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Mr. Rooter® On “Bond’s Top 100 Franchises” List

WACO, Texas (Sept. 28, 2006) — *Mr. Rooter* is on the “Bond’s Top 100 Franchises” list, which is created by an independent organization that evaluates more than 2,300 franchise systems without the influence of paid advertising.

This is the second time *Mr. Rooter* made the list.

“We are honored to have a coveted spot on the ‘Bond’s Top 100 Franchises’ list,” said Mike Bidwell, president of *Mr. Rooter*. “It is rewarding for our entire *Mr. Rooter* team to be recognized because our franchisees work hard to ensure quality, professional service for all of our customers.”

“Bond’s Top 100 Franchises,” published by Source Book Publications, breaks down the franchising industry into three groups: food-service, retail and service-based, where *Mr. Rooter* is featured.

The criteria for choosing the top franchises consist of historical performance, brand identification, market dynamics, franchisee satisfaction, the level of franchise training and on-going support, financial stability and other key factors.

Mr. Rooter has two sister companies that also made the list — Glass Doctor® and Mr. Electric®.

The book is now available in bookstores.

About Mr. Rooter®:

Established in 1970, *Mr. Rooter* is the largest all-franchised, full-service plumbing and drain cleaning company in the world. Recognized by Entrepreneur magazine among its “Franchise 500” and Franchise Times Top 200, *Mr. Rooter* franchisees provide services to both residential and commercial customers at more than 200 locations in the United States and Canada and more than 100 locations internationally through master licensees. *Mr. Rooter* began franchising in 1974 and is a subsidiary of The Dwyer Group, Inc. For more information or to find the location nearest you, please visit our Web site at www.mrrooter.com.

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