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Mr. Rooter® on Entrepreneur magazine's "Franchise 500" List

WACO, Texas (Dec. 26, 2006) – Entrepreneur magazine named *Mr. Rooter*, a full-service plumbing and drain cleaning company, to its 2007 "Franchise 500" and "Top Global Franchises" lists.

Mr. Rooter ranked No. 164 on the "Franchise 500" list and No. 121 on the "Top Global Franchises" list.

Known as the world's first, best and most comprehensive list of franchises, the magazine bases its rankings on financial strength and stability, growth rate and size of the system.

"It is an honor for the *Mr. Rooter* franchise team to be recognized by Entrepreneur magazine," said Mary Kennedy Thompson, president of the *Mr. Rooter* Corporation. "Our franchisees work hard to provide customer-driven service and professional plumbing services, so it's rewarding and humbling to be recognized in this elite group."

Mr. Rooter Plumbing has five sister companies (Aire Serv®, Glass Doctor®, Mr. Appliance®, Mr. Electric® and Rainbow International®) that also made the "Franchise 500" list.

About Mr. Rooter®:

Established in 1970, *Mr. Rooter* is the largest all-franchised, full-service plumbing and drain cleaning company in the world with approximately 300 franchises worldwide. Recognized by Entrepreneur magazine among its "Franchise 500" and Franchise Times Top 200, *Mr. Rooter* franchisees provide services to both residential and commercial customers. *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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