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Mr. Rooter® on Franchise Times Top 200

WACO, Texas (Oct. 3, 2008) – Franchise Times magazine recently recognized the Mr. Rooter Corporation in its 2008 Top 200.

This annual list ranks the top 200 franchises based on worldwide sales. *Mr. Rooter* sits at No. 160 with \$311 million in worldwide sales at its 348 franchises across the globe. The plumbing company moved up five spots from last year's list.

“It is an honor to be included in this prestigious list,” said Mary Kennedy Thompson, president of the Mr. Rooter Corporation. “We believe this ranking reflects the outstanding customer experiences our franchisees and their teams provide on a daily basis.”

The 2008 Franchise Times Top 200 is featured in the magazine's October issue as well as on its Web site.

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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