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CaptiveAire announces release of new Recirculating Hood

RALEIGH, NC - January 26, 2009 - CaptiveAire Systems, Inc. today announced the release of the Recirculating Hood. The design of the Recirculating Hood eliminates the need for duct systems or roof mounted exhaust fans by providing a three stage filtration to purify the air.

The filtration system is made up of a stainless steel baffle filter to trap large grease particles, a HEPA filter for trapping other airborne particles, and a charcoal filter for odor elimination. The compact design does not require a large horsepower motor for air circulation, reducing energy costs and noise pollution, and allows the hood to easily be moved around the kitchen.

Captive-Aire's integrated kitchen ventilation packages include hoods, exhaust fans, electrical controls, direct-fired heaters, self-cleaning systems, pollution control units, fire protection systems, factory-welded ductwork, Captrate Combo and Solo filters, perforated supply plenums and utility distribution systems. Captive-Aire's clients include independent restaurants, national chains, and other public and private institutions.

CaptiveAire, the nation's largest and most widely respected manufacturer of commercial kitchen ventilation equipment, operates five manufacturing plants, including a new plant in Bedford, Pennsylvania, and 60 sales and engineering offices across the United States and Canada.

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