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Vent-A-Hood's "Emerald VI" Six-Inch Hood to be Featured Product at KBIS

Richardson, Texas – Vent-A-Hood, the company that created the modern residential range hood, has announced production of the "Emerald VI" range hood, which will be featured at the 2004 Kitchen and Bath Industry Show in Chicago. This new product is manufactured for the consumer who needs to replace their existing low profile hood with a high-performance unit. The product has been successfully test-marketed and is available for distribution throughout the U.S. and Canada.

"We are embarking on a huge opportunity, providing appliance solutions to more homeowners who are demanding better products and efficiency in average American kitchens," said Blake Woodall, director of sales for Vent-A-Hood.

In the past, some of our product designs have been limited by the 9 inch height of the Magic Lung® blower unit, Woodall said. The new "Emerald VI", with its low profile Magic Lung® blower unit, is built to work in conjunction with standard cabinet heights commonly found in today's residential construction. This new product is ideal for the replacement hood market.

"Not every homeowner can afford our custom hoods and the construction modifications that are required for their installation," Woodall said. "But that shouldn't mean that consumers have to settle for poor ventilation in their homes."

Vent-A-Hood's "Emerald VI" was designed to go over standard cooking equipment and will offer 250 CFMs of quality air movement. Because of the unique centrifugal blower design, this translates to over 350 "equivalent CFM" of competitor mesh filter models. Woodall said early customer feedback has been overwhelming.

“This isn’t a product for a professional range that produces high BTUs,” he said. “It’s a product for the vast majority of homeowners who want efficiency, clean air quality, and no lingering odors from their four-burner cook top.”

The “Emerald VI” features an active canopy, halogen lights, and SensaSource that automatically adjusts ventilation power to heat and cooking output. The range hood comes in black, white, biscuit and stainless options and is available in widths of 24, 30, 36 and 42 inches.

“We’re taking luxury performance to a whole new audience with this product,” Woodall said. For more information about the “Emerald VI,” contact Vent-A-Hood at 972-235-5201, or locate your nearest distributor at www.ventahood.com.

About Vent-A-Hood:

Founded in 1933, Vent-A-Hood, based in Richardson, Texas, is the oldest manufacturer of residential range hoods in America. Each product manufactured by Vent-A-Hood is individually engineered for performance in addition to style. Vent-A-Hood products are sold in all 50 states as well as Canada. For more information, please visit www.ventahood.com.