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Quietflex AMGFlex™ is Winner in ACHR News 2009 Dealer Design Awards

(Houston, TX, June 17, 2009) - Quietflex Manufacturing Company, LP was recognized for excellence in product design in the 5th annual Dealer Design Awards Program sponsored by *The Air Conditioning Heating & Refrigeration News* magazine (ACHRNews). An independent panel of 41 contractors acted as judges in the contest that had 124 entries from 84 different brands. The company's AMGFlex™ duct was the Bronze Award Winner in the Indoor Air Quality category. *The ACHR News* is the leading trade magazine in the heating, ventilating, air conditioning, and refrigeration industries.

News Publisher, John Conrad, stated, "These awards give us a unique opportunity to recognize the outstanding research and development efforts that go into many of the products serving the HVACR industry and the awards issue gives our readers an opportunity to learn about innovative installation and service solutions."

"I have always considered the Quietflex® brand as an innovative leader in the design, development and manufacture of high quality flexible ducts. This award reaffirms all the hard work and effort exhibited by our entire organization," said Ardee Toppe, President and General Manager of Quietflex, "Given that homeowners and commercial property owners continuously express an increased interest in improving the quality of their indoor air, AMGFlex is a natural extension to allow dealers to provide a complete IAQ system."

AMGFlex duct continuously inhibits the growth and subsequent spreading of various bacteria, fungi, mold and mildew with an antimicrobial coating, Agion[®], on the inner core. This provides a naturally effective solution to combat microbial growth by employing a silver-based technology. Furthermore, AMGFlex duct uses Johns Manville Formaldehyde-free[™] insulation which helps to reduce overall formaldehyde exposure. Available in R-6.0 and R-8.0 values, the AMGFlex uses galvanized metal wire for its core and is oversized to fit easily on collars and register boxes.

AMGFlex is recognized by its gold jacket with a polyester vapor barrier and heavy-duty, rip-stop scrim reinforcement.

For complete information on the entire line of Quietflex products, visit www.quietflex.com.

Winning entries in the Dealer Design Awards were featured in the July 13, 2009 issue of *The ACHR News*, which is distributed nationally to over 33,000 HVACR contractors, wholesalers, and other industry professionals.

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