

NEWS RELEASE

SANYO Commercial Solutions

SANYO offers consumers the highest number of AHRI compliant models for mini-split systems in HVAC industry in North America

Wood Dale, IL, July 11, 2008—SANYO Commercial Solutions a division of SANYO North America Corporation announces outstanding compliance with new AHRI (Air Conditioning, Heating and Refrigeration Institute) requirements for one to one mini split systems. Effective July 1, 2008 AHRI has outlined new guidelines to post certified variable speed mini split air conditioners and heat pumps to their on-line directory.

The AHRI website that is the only resource for end users, engineers, and utility companies to verify the performance and certification of HVAC products, making regulation and compliance vital to the industry's trust and reliability. SANYO is the only manufacturer to comply on all models listed, with a total of 18 heat pumps and 19 air conditioners. In response to the new requirements, National Sales Manager, Michael McMurrugh said, "We are extremely proud that our products meet the new requirements and it shows the commitment of the factory to continuously develop top quality products that exceed industry standards."

Anyone may access and download these directories and regulations from the AHRI website as follows:

- AHRI Website: <http://www.ahridirectory.org>
- Click "I accept"
- Click "Variable-Speed Mini-Split and Multi-Split Air Conditioners" or "Variable-Speed Mini-Split and Multi-Split Heat Pumps" in the residential category
- Click "The Directory of Certified Variable-Speed Mini- and Multi-Split air conditioners or heat pumps"

About SANYO:

SANYO Electric Co., Ltd. Is a multi billion dollar global leader in providing solutions for the environment, energy and for lifestyle applications based on its brand vision, 'Think GAIA.' SANYO Commercial Solutions (a division of SANYO North America Corporation, a subsidiary of SANYO Electric Co., Ltd.), based in Wood Dale, IL, is recognized as a leader in air conditioning technology. Proudly celebrating 25 years of experience in the U.S., we are consistently building new ideas to help build your business. Our focus on efficiency and reliability demonstrates our commitment to our customers and our planet. By delivering more multi-zone options, space-saving designs and environmental friendship, our solutions become human solutions. When you think about a building as a living space, everyone involved lives better. From design to installation to operation, we build life for the living inside.

More details are available online at <http://www.sanyohvac.com/> or contact SANYO Commercial Solutions for more information.

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