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Hypertherm Plasma Featured as World's Greatest

HANOVER, N.H.—July 15, 2008—Hypertherm, the world leader in plasma arc metal cutting technology, today announced its selection as the “World’s Greatest” manufacturer of plasma cutting systems.

“World’s Greatest” is a thirty minute show dedicated to highlighting the world’s greatest companies, products, places, and people. Each show is a fast paced tour around the world featuring behind the scenes footage, informative interviews, and exciting visuals.

Hypertherm is featured in a “World’s Greatest” episode titled “Maximum Performance”. The show, shown on the ION network, is scheduled to air July 23-28, 2008. For exact air times, please visit www.ionline.tv.

“Hypertherm is exactly the type of company we like to feature on World’s Greatest,” said executive producer, Gordon Freeman. “The company has been leading the way for more than 40 years now by building high performance plasma systems people can count on time and time again.”

Hypertherm designs and manufactures the world’s most advanced plasma cutting systems for use in a variety of industries such as shipbuilding, manufacturing, and automotive repair. Its product line includes handheld and mechanized plasma systems and consumables, as well as CNC motion and height controls. Hypertherm systems are trusted for performance and reliability that results in increased productivity and profitability for tens of thousands of businesses. The New Hampshire based company’s reputation for plasma innovation dates back 40 years, to 1968, with Hypertherm’s invention of water injection plasma cutting. The company, consistently named one of the best places to work in America, has more than 1,000 associates along with operations and partner representation worldwide.

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