



## News Release

### **Ingersoll Rand Appoints Parminder Singh Sandhu as Business Head and General Manager for Security Technologies in India**

**New Delhi, March 21, 2011:** Ingersoll Rand, a world leader in creating and sustaining safe, comfortable and efficient environments, has appointed **Parminder Singh Sandhu as Business Head and General Manager for Security Technologies business in India**. In his current role, Parminder will be responsible for redefining and driving the strategic direction of the Security Technologies business in India.

Ingersoll Rand's Security Technologies sector is a leading global provider of products and services that make environments safe, secure and productive. As Business Head and General Manager for the security business in India, Parminder will develop and promote Ingersoll Rand's Security Technologies, play an active role in furthering the company's expanding footprint in India, create greater employee engagement and nurture the talent stewardship program to build the organization's capabilities across the region.

Commenting on the appointment **Venkatesh Valluri, Chairman and President, Ingersoll Rand India** said, *"India is a strategic growth market for Ingersoll Rand and over the next two years, we anticipate our India operations to grow to nearly \$500 million. Our Security Technologies business will play a crucial role during this period of growth for the organization. Ingersoll Rand's two strategic brands 'Schlage' - the largest security brand in the world for commercial and residential sector and 'Cisa' - for the hospitality sector, will be key drivers for this market. As we build the Security Technology business in India, Parminder takes on the responsibility of creating and building a large unserved market."*

Parminder joins Ingersoll Rand from Shell Lubricants where in his last position he was heading the B2B business. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Engineering from Bangalore University and a management degree.



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### **About Ingersoll Rand in India**

Ingersoll Rand is based out of 18 locations in the country. In India, Ingersoll Rand is working on three key areas – “Productivity” by leveraging its local manufacturing operations in Ahmedabad and Sahibabad, “Innovation” through its engineering R&D centers in Bangalore and Chennai and “Growth” through the expanded footprint it has in the country. Ingersoll – Rand (India) Limited is listed on the National Stock Exchange of India and on the Bombay Stock Exchange. Ingersoll Rand is committed to India and recognizes it as a large market.

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