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**Ingersoll Rand inaugurates new manufacturing facility in India*****Local manufacturing facility to drive innovation, technology and local product development***

**Chennai, Tamil Nadu, March 20, 2013** – Ingersoll Rand, a world leader in creating and sustaining safe, comfortable and efficient environments, today inaugurated its greenfield manufacturing facility in Mahindra World City, near Chennai.

The new manufacturing facility reinforces Ingersoll Rand's overall growth strategy to drive innovation, technology and product development specifically catering to markets such as industrial efficiency, transportation, food security, environmental control in buildings and energy management. Products and solutions manufactured in this facility will be for both the Indian as well as global markets.

"Our operations in India are a prime example of Ingersoll Rand building on its existing leadership and combining that with focused investments," said **Michael W. Lamach, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Ingersoll Rand**. "With its proximity to the local market, this state-of-the-art manufacturing facility epitomizes our global strategy to manufacture products that will serve the growing demands of both domestic and international markets."

Talking about the new manufacturing facility, **Venkatesh Valluri, Chairman and President, Ingersoll Rand India** said, "India is a strategic market for Ingersoll Rand globally. With an established presence of around 100 years in the country, the new facility is part of the company's overall growth strategy to drive Technology Innovation and Product Development to serve local and global markets. Ingersoll Rand remains committed to indigenously manufacturing solutions driven by innovation. With this inauguration, we continue to commit to providing sustainable and energy efficient solutions in India."

The new Ingersoll Rand manufacturing facility will manufacture a wide range of equipment including Bus and Truck air conditioners and Commercial Heating, Ventilation and Air

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Conditioning products. The delivery of products manufactured and distributed from the site will begin in May 2013.

The new manufacturing unit is spread over a green belt area of 15200 sq. m and holds a gold green building certification. It endeavors for harmony with nature and has considered ecological aspects such as solar street lighting and rain water harvesting. The facility envelops various energy conserving techniques which reduces energy consumption and carbon emissions. It will provide an ecologically sensitive, energy-saving, waste reducing and a healthy environment for employees. With this facility, the company will generate direct and indirect employment to over 500 people located in and around the area once it reaches full capacity.

Besides the new manufacturing facility, the company's operations in India include two world class manufacturing facilities in Naroda (near Ahmedabad) and Sahibabad (near Delhi) and two Engineering and Technology Centers at Bangalore and Chennai. With a work force close to 2000, Ingersoll Rand has presence in more than 18 locations in India.

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Ingersoll Rand (NYSE:IR) advances the quality of life by creating and sustaining safe, comfortable and efficient environments. Our people and our family of brands — including Club Car®, Ingersoll Rand®, Schlage®, Thermo King® and Trane® — work together to enhance the quality and comfort of air in homes and buildings, transport and protect food and perishables, secure homes and commercial properties, and increase industrial productivity and efficiency. Ingersoll Rand products range from complete compressed air systems, tools and pumps to material and fluid handling systems. The diverse and innovative products, services and solutions enhance our customers' energy efficiency, productivity and operations. Ingersoll Rand is a \$14 billion global business committed to a world of sustainable progress and enduring results within our company and for our customers. For more information, visit [ingersollrand.com](http://ingersollrand.com) or [ingersollrandproducts.com](http://ingersollrandproducts.com).

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

Ingersoll Rand is committed to India and is implementing strategies for product innovation and design for Industrial Technologies; Security; Food Safety; Energy Efficiency and Sustainability. The company is based out of 18 locations in the country.

Ingersoll Rand believes that Innovation for emerging economies is critical for products to succeed in these markets. The company has three world class manufacturing facilities at Naroda, Sahibabad and Chennai; and two Engineering and Technology Centers at Bangalore and Chennai. Ingersoll-Rand (India) Limited is listed on the National Stock Exchange of India and the Bombay Stock Exchange. For more information, visit [www.ingersollrand.co.in](http://www.ingersollrand.co.in).

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