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Severn Trent Services Introduces A-Flex™ Capital Leasing and Service Agreement Program for SORB 33® Arsenic Removal Treatment Systems

Flexible program helps U.S. water treatment facilities manage cash flow by providing favorable purchase or lease terms on arsenic removal system.

FORT WASHINGTON, Pa. – January 12, 2007 – Severn Trent Services has introduced the A-Flex™ capital leasing and service agreement program, a flexible program specifically tailored to meet the arsenic removal needs of U.S. water treatment facilities. The A-Flex program offers purchase or lease terms for Severn Trent's SORB 33® systems and accompanying Bayoxide® media fill, change-out, replacement and disposal services to meet client-specific needs.

The A-Flex program offers utilities a solution to manage cash flow and still comply with the more stringent drinking water arsenic regulation of 10 parts per billion (ppb). Competitive finance rates are available for purchase or lease options. With one monthly payment, Severn Trent Services guarantees the performance of the SORB 33 system and Bayoxide media for the life of the agreement.

Under the A-Flex program, an arsenic treatment system operation agreement also is available. Severn Trent Services' service representatives will visit each wellhead site, check the operation of the equipment, collect samples required for compliance testing and perform routine or emergency maintenance.

The SORB 33 process and technology developed by Severn Trent Services to reduce arsenic contamination has been commercially proven to effectively and economically meet the stringent standard of 10 ppb across a range of water treatment applications. Bayoxide is a dry, robust, ferric oxide media designed with a high capacity for arsenic, providing long operating cycles and low operating costs. Compared to competitive technologies, Bayoxide offers the lowest capital cost while providing ease of operation and maintenance. The media has been permitted for use by health and environmental agencies in 24 states, more than any other arsenic removal technology.

The introduction of the A-Flex program further supports Severn Trent Services' commitment to make the proven SORB 33 and Bayoxide technology more accessible to utilities in need of arsenic removal treatment.

For more information about the A-Flex program, please contact Dennis Bitter at 714.305.6111.

About Severn Trent Services

Severn Trent Services (www.severntrentservices.com), based in Fort Washington, Pa., is a leading supplier of water and wastewater treatment solutions. The company's broad range of products and services is concentrated around disinfection, instrumentation and filtration technologies, contract operating services and state-of-the-art residential metering products and services. Our analytical services group is the United Kingdom's leading environmental testing organization, and our international management services business provides support in all aspects of water and wastewater utility operational development and business transformation. Severn Trent Services is a member of the Severn Trent Plc (London: SVT.L) group of companies. Severn Trent is a FTSE 100 company.

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