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American Water Heater Employee Receives Industry Award

Water Heaters Sales Manager Honored by Pacific Southwest Distributors Association

ASHLAND CITY, Tenn. (Mar. 11, 2010) – Jim Hilton, senior district sales manager for American Water Heaters, recently received this year’s Industry Honor Award from the Pacific Southwest Distributors Association (PSDA). Hilton received the award at the association’s 49th Annual Installation and Awards Dinner.

The PSDA, an affiliate of the American Supply Association, provides an industry forum for vendors and distributors to discuss issues of common concern and to promote business ethics and sales productivity in southern California, southern Nevada, Arizona and Utah.

“Jim is service-oriented. He runs a very efficient office that is always willing to do whatever it takes to get the job done,” said Bob Bluth, director of the PSDA. “He demonstrates what our organization and our people are all about. He’s hardworking and compatible with everyone around him, competitors included.”

Hilton has represented American Water Heaters as a member of the PSDA for more than 30 years. The Industry Honor Award recognizes his distinguished support of the industry and the association.

“We’re proud of Jim’s accomplishment, and we know he’s well deserving of it,” said David Chisolm, American Water Heaters brand manager. “It’s people like Jim that make American stand out in the industry. We’re glad he calls our company home.”

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