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**The Purafilter[®] – OA (Outside Air) Wins
2007 Dealer Design Awards Program Gold Award for IAQ**

DORAVILLE, GA – Purafil, Inc. is proud to announce that the Purafilter[®] – OA (Outside Air) was recently awarded the Gold Award for Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) in the 2007 Dealer Design Awards (DDA). The DDA's are presented by *The Air Conditioning, Heating, Refrigeration News*, the leading trade magazine in the heating, ventilating, air conditioning and refrigeration industries.

The ACHR News Publisher John Conrad stated, "These awards give us a unique opportunity to recognize the outstanding research and development efforts that go into many of the products serving the HVAC&R industry and the awards issue gives our readers an opportunity to read about innovative installation and service solutions."

Chris Muller, Purafil Technical Director, explained, "We looked at the major contaminants in outside air such as nitric oxide, nitrogen dioxide and sulfur dioxide, ozone, and VOCs, and designed the Purafilter[®] – OA to better address these contaminants than other Purafil media types."

The DDA's recognize contractor-oriented products with features that assist in installation, maintenance, and service of installed products to the HVAC&R industry. An independent panel of 51 contractors acted as judges in the contest that had 106 entries from 73 manufacturers. The product entries are divided into 13 categories and the winners are presented with Gold, Silver or Bronze awards along with 13 Honorable Mentions. Each product entry was rated based on ease of installation, maintenance, service, overall design, uniqueness, and impact on the HVAC&R industry. The July 16, 2007 issue of *The ACHR News*, which is distributed nationally to over 33,000 HVAC&R

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contractors, wholesalers, and other industry professionals, will highlight the Purafilter[®] – OA as one of its Gold 2007 DDA winners.

The Purafilter[®] – OA is a combination particulate and chemical filter. As the product's name denotes, the Purafilter[®] – OA is designed for use in high-occupancy commercial environments, such as hospitals, office buildings and airports, in which the outdoor air quality is questionable and optimal indoor air quality is a requirement. Yet in addition to those environments, the Purafilter[®] – OA can be used in other facilities for general odor control from indoor or outdoor contaminant sources.

For 40 years, Purafil has developed air cleaning systems that eliminate, control and provide real-time monitoring of corrosive, odorous, hazardous and toxic gases. Purafil maintains nearly 20,000 installations in cleanroom, commercial, industrial, preservation and water-wastewater treatment settings worldwide.

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