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Wormald and GAAM to show new firefighting ranges at AFAC Conference

Wormald and GAAM Emergency Products will both be showcasing a broad range of products and systems at AFAC's annual conference on the Gold Coast from September 22 to 24, 2009.

At Stand #79, Wormald will be displaying its life safety and rescue products, including its new Scott® Advanced Carrying System (ACS) - a major breakthrough in the self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) market as the only carrying system in the world to offer new ThermoFlex™ technology. The ACS is available with a wide variety of facemasks, cylinders and valve styles which that will also be exhibited, including ProPak, Modulair and Promask Negative Pressure (Promask NP) facemasks. The Promask NP facemasks are designed for pandemic outbreaks, as well as wildland firefighting, offering heat and flame resistance. The Promask facemasks are manufactured using ProComp™ material, which provides superior protection against chemical, biological, radioactive or nuclear threats.

Wormald's stand will also incorporate a dramatic dark room which will be used to highlight the reflective stitching and panels of the ACS and its glow-in-the-dark cylinder band.

"The AFAC Conference is a key exhibition for Wormald each year. It's an ideal platform for us to display our wide range of life safety and rescue products as well as our fire suppressant systems," said John Lynch, National Commercial Operations Manager for Portable Fire Equipment, Wormald.

"We encourage conference attendees to visit the stand to find out more."

At Stand #59, GAAM Emergency Products will be showcasing its brand new ultra-compact Eclipse™ handheld thermal imager. Designed to help prevent disorientation in a fire and assist in search and rescue situations, the Eclipse™ thermal imager boasts a small and lightweight form factor and easy one-button operation.

"We're looking forward to being a part of the AFAC Conference again this year and are particularly keen to discover what people think about our new Eclipse™ thermal imagers. Highly durable, straightforward to use and suitable for all types of fire departments, we expect them to attract a considerable amount of interest," said Ian Price, GAAM Emergency Products.

GAAM will also showcase a wide variety of fire hose nozzles, fire fighting pumps, thermal imaging cameras, Pelican torch and area lighting, Whelen vehicle lighting and its wildfire equipment, which includes couplings and hose stranglers.

For further information, call Wormald on 133 166 or visit <http://www.wormald.com.au> or GAAM Emergency Products on 03 9466 1244 or visit www.gaam.com.au.

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About Wormald

Wormald is Australasia's leading provider of fire protection solutions and a business unit of Tyco Fire & Security Australia/New Zealand. Since 1889, it has designed, manufactured, supplied, installed and serviced fire detection and protection systems for a wide variety of industries, including building and construction, health care, military, government, leisure management, corporate, education and domestic. www.wormald.com.au

About GAAM Emergency Products

GAAM Emergency Products is part of Tyco Fire & Security Australia/New Zealand, a division of Tyco International's Fire & Security Division. GAAM specialises in the emergency services market. Since 1933, Australian firefighters have relied on GAAM equipment to safely go about their daily operations. GAAM manufactures and distributes a range of petrol and diesel powered firefighting pumpsets and accessories. While based in Melbourne, GAAM also has offices in Sydney, and conducts business throughout Australia and New Zealand. www.gaam.com.au