

Meritech announces that Jose Pepper's and Cactus Grill have Purchased Nine CleanTech Automated Handwashing Systems

GOLDEN, Colo. and Kansas City., February 19, 2008 — Meritech, a division of Resurgent Health and Medical and leader in automated handwashing and sanitizing technology, announced today that Jose Pepper's and Cactus Grill restaurants have purchased 9 CleanTech® 500EZ Automated Handwashing Systems for locations in Kansas and Missouri.

"I saw the machines at the National Restaurant Show and I knew it was something I wanted in our kitchens for our cooks and our staff. Our restaurant is proactive in protecting our patrons," said Matt Hench, owner of the Cactus Grill and Jose Pepper's. "I have been very pleased with the results I am seeing - my employees are washing their hands more often due to the ease and enjoyment of the machine."

The touchless system performs a fully-automated ten-second wash, sanitize and rinse cycle. Using Meritech's proprietary Chlorhexidine Gluconate (CHG) sanitizing solution, the single cycle removes over 99.9% of pathogens and continues to kill germs for up to six hours. The FDA certified CHG-based sanitizer contains mild skin conditioners to improve skin health while removing dangerous germs.

The system further boosts compliance by ensuring a pleasant, uniform handwash using high-pressure water jets that perform a consistent wash-and-sanitize cycle every time the machines are used.

About Meritech

Meritech, Inc., a division of Resurgent Health and Medical of Golden, Colo., is the leader in automated handwashing and sanitizing technology. For almost 20 years, its Cleantech® brand systems have been used worldwide in agriculture, food processing, food service, cleanroom manufacturing and healthcare. CleanTech uses up to 75% less water than manual handwashing, discharges 75% less wastewater, and reduces waste in soap utilization. For more information, visit www.meritech.com.

About Jose Peppers and Cactus Grill

In May 1988, a new standard in quality Mexican cuisine began with the opening of **Jose Pepper's Border Grill and Cantina** in Kansas City. The restaurant offers quality, exceptional service with fresh food and authenticity. In 1993 the **Cactus Grill**, offering the same high quality and standards, opened in Missouri. Never straying from the original intention of high quality customer service paired with consistent and affordable food, Jose Pepper's and Cactus Grill restaurants continue to grow, enjoying a broad and loyal clientele in the Kansas City and Missouri areas. For more information, please visit www.josepeppers.com.

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