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Carrier Leads the Industry with the Most Complete Line of Seismic-Compliant Chillers

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Jan. 30, 2012 — Now offering a special seismic-compliant package on their [Evergreen](#)[®] and [Aqua Series](#) air- and water-cooled chillers, [Carrier](#), the world's leader in high technology heating, ventilation, air-conditioning and refrigeration (HVACR) solutions, has the most complete line of seismic-compliant chiller equipment in the industry. With this optional package, Carrier chillers meet or exceed the California Office of Statewide Health and Planning Development (OSHPD) standards. The Carrier special seismic-compliant package is also available on the [WeatherMaker](#)[®] 3 to 25 ton rooftop models. Carrier is a part of UTC Climate, Controls & Security Systems, a unit of United Technologies Corp. (NYSE: UTX).

“Carrier is not only the sole heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) manufacturer with an OSHPD pre-approved light commercial rooftop, but we also are the first manufacturer with a comprehensive line of pre-approved chillers. This includes water-cooled and air-cooled chillers in addition to commercial splits,” stated Greg Alcorn, vice president, commercial sales and marketing, Carrier. “It is our goal to ensure that building owners and engineers have a complete line of pre-approved seismic-compliant equipment to meet all of their needs.”



Tom Franaszek, product business manager, commercial applied products, Carrier Residential and Commercial Systems added, “Our chillers lead the industry in standard ratings. The Evergreen® 19XR chiller has a 1.93g rating, which is the most stringent requirement by OSHPD and is up to 66 percent better than the competition. Our other equipment has ratings up to 2.50g, which exceeds OSHPD requirements.”

With the optional, installed seismic package, building owners and engineers can be assured, without any additional calculations or testing, that Carrier equipment meets current International Building Code, California Building Code and ASCE 7 seismic qualification requirements in concurrence with ICC ES AC156 Acceptance Criteria for Seismic Qualification by Shake Table Testing of Nonstructural Components and Systems.

Carrier’s certificate of compliance and OSHPD pre-approval documentations are available online at oshpd.ca.gov.

ABOUT CARRIER

Carrier is the world’s leader in high technology heating, air-conditioning and refrigeration solutions. Carrier experts provide sustainable solutions, integrating energy-efficient products, building controls, and energy services for residential, commercial, retail, transport and foodservice customers. Founded by the inventor of modern air conditioning, Carrier improves the world around us through engineered innovation and environmental stewardship. Carrier is a part of UTC Climate, Controls & Security Systems, a unit of United Technologies Corp., a leading provider to the aerospace and building systems industries worldwide. Visit www.carrier.com for more information.

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