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Blanchard Continues to Expand Product Line

West Columbia, SC, June 16, 2008 – Blanchard Machinery Company is pleased to announce the appointment as the new authorized dealer for the **Doppstadt** line of recycling and processing equipment. **Doppstadt** is a German company that manufactures grinders, chippers, shredders, trommel screens and sorting stations for the recycling market. These products will be distributed through Pioneer South Carolina the Forestry and Recycling Division of Blanchard Machinery Company.

Doppstadt products are primarily Mercedes engine powered and lead the industry in fuel efficiency. Per this agreement, Blanchard will become an authorized Mercedes parts and service dealer for the **Doppstadt** line. You are encouraged to go online to <http://www.doppstadtus.com/> to learn about these new products. Preparations are already underway to establish parts inventories, schedule service training and begin communication with our customers.

The **Doppstadt** line, combined with the recent additions of **Metso** Rock Crushers, **Woodsman** Chippers and **Peterson** Chippers and Grinders, gives Blanchard a well-balanced product line to sell into the fast growing recycling market.

Also, review the other new lines recently added:

<http://www.metsominerals.com/>

<http://www.woodsmanchippers.com/>

<http://www.petersonpacific.com/>

Blanchard Machinery Company is a family-owned organization, headquartered in West Columbia, is the authorized Caterpillar dealership in South Carolina. Founded in 1982 by G. Robert Blanchard, and is currently led by his son, President & CEO Joseph R. Blanchard. The focus on heavy equipment, compact equipment, power systems equipment, truck and marine engine, forestry and recycling equipment and rental services allows the opportunity to provide a full range of products and services to a wide variety of customers through 15 locations servicing the state.

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