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### **Schwarze Industries Ships Alternative Fuel Fleet to Fresno, California**

(Huntsville, Ala.) August 11, 2010 – Schwarze Industries, one of the world’s largest street sweeper and road patcher manufacturers, announced today the delivery of eight Schwarze M6000SE CNG Mechanical Street Sweepers to the city of Fresno, California.

Powered by compressed natural gas (CNG), the fleet of sweepers will allow the City of Fresno to comply with AQMD Rule 1186.1 as well as various CARB regulations. “California is extremely aggressive and a leader when it comes to air and water quality,” said Raymond Massey, Director of Sales and Marketing for Schwarze. “Our compressed natural gas Schwarze M6000 single engine street sweeper has lower emissions, which is paramount when it comes to clean air.”



*The compressed natural gas fuel system on the Schwarze M6000SE produces lower NOx levels and virtually no particulate matter when compared to a traditional diesel engine.*

In addition to being a cleaner alternative to diesel fuel, compressed natural gas fuel is significantly cheaper than the petrol alternative. “It’s really a win-win for the city of Fresno,” said Massey. “They get an extremely rugged, simplistic sweeper that will provide them with numerous years of dependable service, while mitigating greenhouse gas emissions.”

About Schwarze Industries:

Since its inception more than 30 years ago, Schwarze Industries, Inc. has grown to become one of the world’s largest street sweeper manufacturers and a leader in sweeping technology. Headquartered in Huntsville, Ala., Schwarze has a workforce of more than 200 employees, manufacturing street sweepers, parking lot sweepers and road repair units. In 1996 Schwarze opened a manufacturing facility in Brisbane, Australia to meet the demand for products in other parts of the world. To date, Schwarze Industries’ products operate in more than 35 countries.

For more information about Schwarze Industries and Fresno’s alternative fuel fleet, visit [www.schwarze.com](http://www.schwarze.com) or contact Raymond Massey at 800.879.7933.

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