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**BROCO INTRODUCES
BREACHERS A.R.C. ADVANCED
RESPIRATION AND CUTTING SYSTEM**

RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA (FEB. 13, 2008) A cooperative effort between Broco, Inc., Eagle Industries, and Avon-ISI (part of Avon Rubber p.l.c.'s protection business) has produced the Breachers' A.R.C. - Advanced Respiration and Cutting system. The fully-modular system allows side-by-side use of Broco's exothermic torch with respiratory protection for serious breaching operations.

"Breaching operations often encounter smoke and gases that can derail or detain a forced entry or rescue operation," said Tom Joos, Broco vice president. "With the Breachers' A.R.C. momentum is sustained as operators breathe freely and utilize the portable power and speed of the Broco torch to destroy almost any obstacle."

The Breachers' A.R.C. features a comfortable backpack Molle platform with cylinder support enclosures, battery bag, rod extender and cutting rod holders, pouches for mask, hoses, cable, and keeper clips. Users can customize the configuration of the system to their immediate requirements including adaptation to a full-size torch with a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) or mini-torch and SCBA among other solutions.

Broco's tactical division will preview the Breachers' A.R.C. at Trexpo in Long Beach, California, Feb. 19 – 21.

Broco, Inc. specializes in backpacked exothermic cutting systems that were first engineered for and quickly gained recognition as the choice of military and police forces worldwide for first response and forced entry operations.

Eagle Industries is the world leader in manufacturing tactical nylon products for the military and law enforcement community.

Avon is widely acknowledged as the world leader in design, development and manufacture of specialized personal respiratory protection products for the range of CBRN applications.

Broco, Inc. is the world leader in exothermic cutting and underwater welding systems. Broco® is a member of a family of companies currently comprised of three welding and cutting innovators and manufacturers including Rankin Industries™ and Strong Welding

Products, Inc.TM with corporate headquarters located in Rancho Cucamonga, California. Products are available through a global distributor network. Visit www.brocoinc.com for more information.

For more information visit Avon at www.avon-protection.com and Eagle Industries at www.eagleindustries.com.

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