



First Ultra-Clean Water Systems Shipped New IAPMO-certified systems are maintenance-free.

Sunnyvale, Calif., June 21, 2006/PRNewswire/—Sylvan Source today announced that distributors and custom homebuilders have taken delivery of the first Sylvan Source M-600 ultra-clean water treatment systems. The eagerly anticipated appliance has already been installed in custom homes near Dallas, Texas, and Chicago, Ill. Orders for the product are being filled through Sylvan Source distributors throughout the United States and Canada.

The maintenance-free Sylvan Source M-600 ultra-clean water system uses a unique multi-step cleaning process that consistently reduces more contaminants more effectively than other technologies. The result is breakthrough water quality without the use of chemicals, filters, or membranes.

"The early response to the M-600 has been tremendous," said Laura Demmons, chief executive officer for Sylvan Source. "It is clear that consumers value our efforts to ensure the highest possible quality and to make the product maintenance-free. We are also gratified by our distributors' efforts to promote and position the M-600 in their regional marketplaces."

The M-600 has earned NSF/ANSI Standard 62 certification, meeting the rigorous global standard for ensuring safe drinking water treatment units. Delivering more than four times the required contaminant reduction levels for certification, the M-600 is also the first ultra-clean water treatment system to be certified by the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials (IAPMO), which protects public health and safety. The M-600 is also approved by Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.