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KONA IRRIGATION SUPPLY, LTD. WINS TORO GOLF IRRIGATION DISTRIBUTOR OF THE YEAR AWARD

KAILUA-KONA – Kona Irrigation Supply, Ltd. of Hawaii has been named the top distributor of Toro brand golf irrigation products nationwide for the year 2007, the company has announced.

The company received the annual prestigious award – called "Partners in Excellence, Best in Irrigation" – at a recent company luncheon in Kona. Kona Irrigation received the award for reaching sales goals as well as for overall customer and client satisfaction

The award was presented by Steve Snow, Toro vice-president of golf sales, to Kona Irrigation President Mike Crossley. Crossley started Kona Irrigation Supply, Ltd. in 1980 and the company now has two offices, in Kona and also in Honolulu.

Kona Irrigation supplies a variety of irrigation products and systems for golf, residential, commercial, hotel/resort projects throughout Hawaii and has provided quality Toro irrigation products for major golf courses on all the Hawaiian Islands and Guam.

The company is the exclusive distributor for Toro brand products. The Toro Company is a global leader in turf maintenance equipment and precision irrigation systems, with nearly \$2 billion in sales in 2007. Toro's diverse products line encompasses five major markets: golf, sports fields, professional contractors, residential homeowners and agriculture.

Kona Irrigation Supply, Ltd. is among a network of thousands of select Toro brand product distributors, dealers and retailers in the 50 United States and in other countries. In a letter to Kona Irrigation accompanying the award, Toro commended the Kona-based firm for its "efforts to set and achieve higher standards of excellence for yourself and other distributors."

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