

MEDIA RELEASE

Statewide Bearings to release new safety brakes at QME

Statewide Bearings will launch new brakes for electric mining shovels and draglines onto the Australia market on **Stand 1032** during the 2008 Queensland Mining and Engineering (QME) exhibition at the Mackay Showground from July 22-24.

The release follows Statewide Bearing's recent appointment as the Australian distributor of the Industrial Clutch Company's (ICC) brakes.

The brakes are designed to control the swing, crowd, propel and hoist functions on mining shovels and draglines, by stopping and holding their components and material loads within specific times and distances. Often called safety brakes, the purpose of the brakes is to protect operating personnel, machine components and surrounding equipment.

Industrial Clutch Company (ICC) manufactures and supplies Brakes to OEM equipment for new applications and End users for machinery retrofits to ensure they comply with OH&S requirements and increased production demands in today's current markets.

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