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New Ultra-Low NOx Power Vent Gas Water Heaters

We are pleased to announce the addition of Ultra-Low NOx Power Vent models to our residential specialty vent gas product offering.

On February 1, 2012, ULN-compliant 40 and 50-gallon [tall] models will be available. These models, designated as GPNH-40 and GPNH-50, are also ENERGY STAR[®] qualified. These models utilize the ULN burner and combustion chamber design currently used on atmospheric vent products, with the current power vent gas control.

Other features of these new models include:

- Intelli-Vent[™] gas control
- Inconel alloy and stainless steel ULN burner construction
- Altitude rating up to 7,700 feet
- Venting up to 80 eq. ft. with 2" diameter venting and 120 eq. ft. with 3" diameter venting, with PVC, ABS, or CPVC

Upon launch, the specification sheet and installation manual for these new models will be available online at <u>www.hotwater.com</u>.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or your A. O. Smith Sales Representative with any questions or for further details.

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