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Progressive Chooses MasterTax for Payroll Tax Filing

Scottsdale, Arizona – July 26, 2006 – MasterTax, LLC, announced today its newest licensee of payroll tax software: The Progressive Group of Insurance Companies.

Progressive, ranked third in the United States with approximately 12 million auto insurance customers, was looking to reduce the cost of payroll tax compliance, while increasing the quality of customer and IT support from their previous vendor. With MasterTax, Progressive will realize a significant cost savings in processing payroll taxes, while utilizing the latest in technology to complete, maintain, and support their payroll tax process.

“We are extremely pleased that Progressive has chosen us to be their payroll tax software vendor,” said Richard Warneka, President of MasterTax. “We believe that our products and services are the best in the industry, and Progressive’s decision to purchase our software only validates that belief. We look forward to serving Progressive for many years to come.”

About Progressive

The Progressive Group of Insurance Companies, in business since 1937, ranks third in the nation for auto insurance based on premiums written and provides drivers with competitive rates and 24/7 in-person and online service. The products and services of the Progressive Direct Group of Insurance Companies are marketed directly to consumers by phone at 1-800-PROGRESSIVE and online at www.progressivedirect.com through the Progressive Direct® brand. The products and services of the Drive Group of Progressive Insurance Companies are offered by more than 30,000 independent insurance agencies and online at www.driveinsurance.com through the Drive® Insurance from Progressive brand. More information can be found at www.progressive.com.

About MasterTax

MasterTax, LLC, provides payroll tax compliance solutions to quickly and efficiently complete the payroll tax process. MasterTax’s best-in-class suite of products and services provides users with the ability to quickly schedule, pay, balance, and file payroll taxes. MasterTax is headquartered in Scottsdale, Arizona. MasterTax’s website address is <http://www.mastertax.net>.

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