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LUBE STOP CONTINUES STRONG STANDING IN NORTHEAST OHIO Company Signs 11 New Fleet Accounts Since July

Berea, Ohio, January 16, 2006 – The Lube Stop, Inc. (Lube Stop) announced today that it has signed 11 new fleet accounts within the last 6 months, representing a potential increase of \$80,000 to \$100,000 in annual revenues for the company. The Lube Stop Fleet Account Program, available to companies with 10 or more vehicles, provides convenient monthly billing, no payment at time of service and 37 locations able to service accounts – the most quick lube locations in Northeast, Ohio.

Chris Parker, Fiscal Director at the Society for Handicapped Citizens of Medina County, one of the companies to recently open a fleet account, finds this to be a great convenience to her employees. “We operate out of nine remote locations,” she said, “so it’s convenient for our drivers to have the option to go to any of Lube Stop’s locations and have the ability to pay with a purchase order.”

Other recent fleet accounts opened are Ajax Tree Service, Avis Rent-A-Car, ACRT, All Disaster Services, Apex Pest Control, Applied Laser Technologies, Butts Plumbing, Fastenal, Good Nature Organic Lawn Care, and Snyder One Hour.

Lube Stop also recently announced the rollout of broadband internet connections to all 37 locations. Store to store communication is much more efficient and employees at each location can provide their customers with their entire service history at any Lube Stop. This is especially beneficial to companies with multiple locations or drivers. As a further benefit to busy road warriors, Lube Stop has also added Wi Fi Hot Spots to all locations, allowing customers with wireless devices to use the Internet free of charge. Jim Stocker, CEO of Apex Pest Control is pleased with the service they have received at Lube Stop. “They also offer fast service,” he said. “Our drivers are in and out in 10 minutes. And they do a great job! They don’t have to wait or lose time and can find a Lube Stop wherever they are working that day.”

For more information of the benefits of opening a fleet account or to find a Lube Stop near you, visit www.lubestop.com.

About The Lube Stop, Inc.

Founded in 1985, The Lube Stop, Inc. (Lube Stop) is the oldest and largest privately owned quick oil change company in Northeast Ohio with 37 convenient locations in the Cleveland and Akron-Canton areas. The company has 240 employees and is headquartered in Berea, Ohio. Every month over 30,000 customers choose Lube Stop, and its Complete 19-Point Service, for



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their preventive maintenance needs while waiting in the comfort of their own car. More corporate information, a shop locator, online coupons, surveys, and apparel are available at LubeStop.com.

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