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Snap-on's 18-Volt Cordless Reciprocating Saw: A Perfect Combination of Power, Comfort

KENOSHA, **Wis.** – **January 14**, **2009** – With its variable speed trigger, one-handed quick release blade change and comfort cushion handle and noise piece, Snap-on's 18-Volt Cordless Reciprocating Saw (CTRS4850) is the perfect combination of power and comfort to handle any challenging heavy duty job.

"The Snap-on18-Volt Cordless Reciprocating Saw is designed to take the stress and strain out of all heavy-duty cutting jobs," said Rodger Isetts, product manager for Snap-on. "No one wants to feel beat up after using a tool. Snap-on's 18-Volt Cordless Reciprocating Saw not only gives you tremendous power, but it also offers great comfort, allowing you to be more efficient and productive when tackling challenging jobs."

The Snap-on 18-Volt Cordless Reciprocating Saw features:

- Quick release, one-handed tool less blade change which allows easy ejection and insertion
 of blades allowing you to get the job done quickly.
- Sealed nose mechanism keeps the dirt out, which prevents contamination of critical components leading to significantly longer tool life.
- Non-slip cushioned nose for positive tool control lets you work longer with less stress and strain.
- Variable speed trigger with soft touch and precise control means less finger stress and strain.
- Die-cast aluminum gear mechanism housing provides strength and durability leading to a long lasting tool life.
- Glass-filled impact modified nylon housing gives it durable, high impact strength which leads to a longer tool life.
- Heavy duty helical cut steel gearing generates greater tooth engagement leading to greater cutting strength.
- Thick steel wall construction motor housing.
- Dual ball bearing shielded motor delivers power and durability.

- Heavy duty armature with balanced motor means less vibration and greater strength.
- Heavy duty 14-gauge wiring handles heavy loads which keeps you working longer.
- Turbine style cooling system allows for a cooler running tool giving it a longer life.
- Replaceable brushes keep you working with less down time.

The Snap-on 18-Volt Cordless Reciprocating Saw (CTRS4850) set also includes an18-volt battery (CTB4185), a charger (CTC420), three saw blades and a plastic storage case (PB165). In addition, the Snap-on mobile charger (CTC428), light (CTLED4918), Xenon light (CTL4981) and Snap-on recip saw blades are great accessories for use with the Snap-on 18-Volt Cordless Reciprocating Saw. It also works with Snap-on's CTB4145 14.4 volt 2.4Ah battery.

Customers can find out more about the Snap-on 18-Volt Cordless Reciprocating Saw by contacting their local Snap-on franchisee, visiting www.snapon.com or by calling toll free 877-SNAPON-2 (877-762-7662).

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