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<mailto:terry.huch@arvinmeritor.com>**ArvinMeritor Reveals New Second Generation
Inverted Portal Axle (IPA2G)***IPA2G offers advanced benefits for city bus applications*

BEIJING, China (April 21, 2008) – ArvinMeritor, Inc. (NYSE: **ARM**) revealed its next generation inverted portal axle (IPA2G) at the 2008 Auto China Beijing Automotive Exhibition for the Asian transit and bus markets.

The modularly-constructed IPA2G features an extra deep differential drop for the lowest possible bus floor. Other features include low noise, reduced oil volumes and long change intervals. The axle will be available with disc brakes, as well as super single or dual tires.

The axle's gross axle weight rate (GAWR) is 13 tons, and the gross vehicle weight rating (GVWR) is 28 tons. Ratios range from 4.11:1 to 9.79:1. The IPA2G provides a standard drop of 169 mm and a super drop of 184 mm. Anti-lock braking and cartridge-type wheel end bearings are standard. The axle is equipped with the Meritor ELSA 225 air disc brake family. Central Tire Inflation (CTI) is optional.

"The new IPA2G allows a bus manufacturer to design the lowest floor and widest aisle. Further, the axle will offer overall reductions in weight, an improved noise level, possibility to package longer prop-shaft, more efficiency and less cost of ownership," said Rakesh Sachdev, president, Asia Pacific, ArvinMeritor. "This new axle design is a key ingredient of our Asian

growth strategy as the passenger transit market will grow with the rapid development of Asia continues.”

The company's Meritor coach axles and brakes are designed to effectively meet the extremes of operating conditions that these vehicles endure, from urban stop-start city bus applications to high-speed, long-distance coach operations.

Since 1909, ArvinMeritor has been leading the axle market with reliable, long-life axles and advanced gearing technology. The company's nearly 100 years of axle-producing experience has led the group to become one of the world's largest independent manufacturer of heavy-duty truck axles for a vast range of vehicle applications.

About ArvinMeritor

ArvinMeritor, Inc. is a premier global supplier of a broad range of integrated systems, modules and components to the motor vehicle industry. The company serves commercial truck, trailer and specialty original equipment manufacturers and certain aftermarkets, and light vehicle manufacturers. Headquartered in Troy, Mich., ArvinMeritor employs approximately 18,000 people in 24 countries. ArvinMeritor common stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the ticker symbol ARM. For more information, visit the company's Web site at: <http://www.arvinmeritor.com/>.

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