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Senator Judd Gregg Honored for Support of Small Manufacturers

Ceremony to be held on Thursday, October 28 at 3 p.m. at GT Equipment Technologies, 243 Daniel Webster Highway in Merrimack

In recognition of his tireless support of manufacturers in New Hampshire and across the country, the American Small Manufacturers Coalition (ASMC) together with the New Hampshire Manufacturing Extension Partnership (NH MEP) will present Senator Judd Gregg with the *ASMC 2004 Legislator of the Year Award* at a ceremony on Thursday, October 28 at 3 p.m. at GT Equipment Technologies in Merrimack.

As chairman of the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice and State, Senator Gregg has long championed the cause of manufacturers and recently was instrumental in restoring a majority of the federal funding for the MEP's national budget. Restoring these funds was vital to keeping the NH MEP in operation after massive budget cuts in January threatened to close the local program.

WHO: Senator Judd Gregg, R-NH

Lucille Jordan, president, NH Community Technical Colleges in Claremont, Nashua and Keene (presenting award on behalf of ASMC)

Jack Metzenmakers, NH MEP board member/president, Scott Electronics, Salem

Tom Zarrella, president, GT Equipment Technologies

WHAT: Presentation of the *2004 Legislator of the Year Award* to Senator Judd Gregg for his continued support of manufacturers in NH and throughout the country and his support of the Manufacturing Extension Partnership

WHEN: Thursday, October 28, 2004,
3:00 - 3:30 p.m.

WHERE: GT Equipment Technologies, Inc.
243 Daniel Webster Highway, Merrimack, NH

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DIRECTIONS TO GT EQUIPMENT TECHNOLOGIES IN MERRIMACK:

FROM BOSTON AND POINTS SOUTH:

Take Route 93 North to Route 95 South / Rte 128 South to Route 3 North. Take Route 3 North through Massachusetts into New Hampshire. Stay on Route 3 North (Route 3 becomes Everett Turnpike a toll road). Take Exit 10 (exit pay toll 50¢). Right turn at end of exit ramp and get in left lane. Take left at the light onto Daniel Webster Highway (Rt. 3). You will pass by the Anheuser Busch plant on your right. Go straight through 1 light and continue a short distance. The entrance to GT Equipment is on your right (directly across from the Days Inn and Residence Inn).

FROM POINTS NORTH:

Take the Everett Turnpike South toward Merrimack/Nashua, (a toll road). Go through the toll (75¢). Take Exit 10. Turn left at end of exit ramp (over the highway) and stay in the left lane to the end (short distance). Take a left at the light onto Daniel Webster Highway (Rt. 3). You will pass by the Anheuser Busch plant on your right. Go straight through 1 light and continue a short distance. The entrance to GT Equipment is on your right (directly across from the Days Inn and Residence Inn).