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### Girbau Industrial unveils DRB Feeder

Oshkosh, WI—Girbau Industrial (GI) recently unveiled its new DRB Automatic Front Feeder – a recent addition to the DR Feeder Series line. It automatically feeds linen of different types and sizes into a corresponding ironer. The DRB Feeder allows for automatic feeding of large dimension items from two or three spreader feeding stations, as well as manual feeding – with or without vacuum assistance – from one to four lanes.

“The DRB Feeder allows operators to quickly change from small- to large-piece feeding,” said Joel Jorgensen, Continental Girbau Inc. (Continental) vice president of sales and customer services. “It feeds an array of items, including fitted sheets, into a corresponding ironer – drastically improving productivity and ironing quality.”

The DRB – engineered for safety, durability, efficiency, productivity and flexibility – features spreading belts and a vacuum box and table to ensure quality automated feeding. When configured with an optional suction table and dual-transfer servers, the DRB processes 790-1,000 items per hour from two or three stations. Moreover, the design of the DRB’s feeding clamps and technology make it possible to feed all types and sizes of linen. Articles are positioned quickly on the feeding conveyor, while the drawing power of the suction box and other systems work together to deliver flawless feeding. Optional crease-removing brushes smooth fabrics and further enhance feeding quality.

Equipped for ease of use, the DRB Control features a color touch-screen display that simplifies programming and automatically synchronizes the feeder, ironer and folder. The menu screens, arranged according to function, make it simple for users to program feeding specifications for a variety of laundry items.

The DRB, which offers configurations for two or three operators, is engineered for safety and longevity. Each of the feeder's components is independently tested and certified to withstand years of constant use. The User Protection System – featuring doors that prevent the user from accessing feeder clamps and servers during operation – ensures correct operation and operator safety. Straightforward operation prevents complications in functioning and aids maintenance operations

To find out more about GI laundry products – backed by leading IndustrialCare™ Warranties – visit [www.girbauindustrial.com](http://www.girbauindustrial.com) or call 800-256-1073.

One of three brands of Continental Girbau Inc., Girbau Industrial provides industrial laundry products to North American clients, including large-capacity washer-extractors and drying tumblers, high-volume flatwork ironers, tunnel washing systems, presses, feeders, folders, conveyor systems and related system machinery.

Continental Girbau Inc. is the largest of 15 subsidiaries of Girbau S.A., based in Vic, Spain. Girbau S.A. laundry products – marketed throughout 80 countries worldwide – meet rigorous environmental and safety standards established by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO). Girbau S.A. holds both ISO9001 and ISO14001 certifications. Ever focused on laundry efficiency, Continental Girbau is a member of the U.S. Green Building Council (USGB), a 501(c)(3) nonprofit that developed the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Green Building Rating System. Visit Continental at [www.continentalgirbau.com](http://www.continentalgirbau.com), or call 800-256-1073.

