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## **New Minuteman PRO-RT Series UPS Serves as ‘Electrical Firewall’**

*Complete, affordable power protection for security, network and telephone systems*

Dallas, TX – July 12, 2018 – Para Systems, Inc., a leading provider of comprehensive power protection solutions announced today the release of the new and expanded Minuteman® PRO-RT® series. This new line of uninterruptible power supplies (UPS) is designed to provide fail-safe protection from all power anomalies for small to medium-sized security, telephone, server, and network peripheral systems.

Characterized as an “electrical firewall” with budget-friendly pricing, the PRO-RT product line features four models with power capacities of 750VA, 1000VA, 1500VA, and 2000VA. The PRO-RT UPS’s include valuable features such as load shedding with two controllable receptacle banks, independent battery bypass, plus auto-restart when power is restored after an extended power outage.

Power problems can wreak havoc for both business owners and consumers. Even minor power glitches that may go unnoticed can cause data corruption and severe damage to valuable electronic equipment. An uninterruptible power supply prevents catastrophic damage from blackouts, brownouts, surges and spikes. When damage to expensive equipment does occur from these types of anomalies, it is generally not covered under a manufacturer’s warranty. A UPS is an essential component for protecting any type of mission critical electronic equipment.

“When business owners and managers purchase expensive security, telephone or networking systems and do not protect them from potential damage or power outages, these devices are obviously at high risk,” stated Bill Allen, vice president of marketing. “When you compare the price tag associated with downtime along with the expense of replacing damaged equipment, the PRO-RT’s are an extremely cost-effective way to preserve and protect those investments.”

In addition to protecting connected equipment from catastrophic surges and spikes, the PRO-RT incorporates automatic voltage regulation to provide stable power during brownouts. They are also equipped with battery power during blackouts, providing a bridge through a power outage and allowing ample time to gracefully shut down systems during an extended loss of power.

The PRO-RT series can be rack-mounted or floor-mounted with included hardware, or wall-mounted with Minuteman’s optional bracket. An LCD display that shows power status, battery run-time (based on attached load), and operational mode is also a standard feature. As an additional bonus, Minuteman’s SentryHD™ power monitoring and management software is available as a free download. Communication between the user and the UPS is accomplished through the unit’s USB port using a web browser interface. These new products also have an option slot for an SNMP card or programmable relay card.

As an Energy-Star® product, users can also benefit from the PRO-RT’s green features and advanced efficiency. The voltage regulation circuitry is automatically bypassed until needed, reducing vampire power consumption. Other power-saving features can be tapped into by using Minuteman’s SentryHD

software to schedule automatic shut down and re-start of equipment during nights and weekends when many devices sit idle yet continue to consume energy resources. The units are also RoHS compliant and Para Systems offers a free battery recycling service for all Minuteman UPS's.

"The Minuteman PRO-RT series raises the bar by offering a feature-rich rack-mount product at an affordable price. When you combine the extensive feature-set, 3-year warranty, and affordable pricing, the PRO-RT's do represent an excellent value," added Mr. Allen.

All models are currently available for purchase through Minuteman's extensive distribution network, systems integrators and on-line resellers. For more information, visit [www.minutemanups.com/prort](http://www.minutemanups.com/prort).

### **About Para Systems, Inc.**

Para Systems, Inc., based in Carrollton, TX, is a leading provider of power protection products. The company's Minuteman brand of comprehensive power protection solutions include small to large-scale uninterruptible power supply (UPS) products, along with a full line of surge protectors, power distribution units, and remote power management systems. Minuteman products protect telephone/VOIP systems, computers, network servers and peripherals, security systems, distributed antenna systems (DAS), and industrial applications. The Minuteman brand of products is sold through a network of distributors and resellers throughout the United States, Canada, Central, and South America. Para Systems is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Components Corporation of America, headquartered in Dallas, TX, whose roots date back to 1916. For more information, visit [www.minutemanups.com](http://www.minutemanups.com).

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