

SHUTGUN INTRODUCES NEW PRODUCT TO ITS LINE UP OF FIRE SPRINKLER SHUT OFF TOOLS AT INTERNATIONAL HOTEL, MOTEL, RESTAURANT SHOW

(NEW YORK CITY, New York – Nov. 6, 2014) – The inventors of Shutgun, the world's leading sprinkler head shut off tool, announced today that will be exhibiting at the International Hotel, Motel and Restaurant Show November 9 through November 11 in New York city. President, Greg Patterson will be at booth # 2549 giving live demonstrations of his latest product – The only commercial device in the world that will shut off fully concealed sprinkler head models that are becoming more common in hotels, office towers and high end condo buildings.

<u>Shutgun is</u> an innovative Fire Sprinkler Shut Off Tool, engineered and tested to shut off activated fire sprinkler heads within seconds, avoiding water damage while keeping the remainder of the building fire safe.

For the hotel and motel managers, accidental fire sprinkler floods are one of the largest culprits of costly damage and displaced guests. Just one activated sprinkler head can cost up to \$1,000 for every minute left flowing and the chances of a hotel's insurance premiums rising due to multiple water damage incidents, increases with each occurrence.

"To a hotel manager, the time wasted looking for a solution can be the difference between a single room being out of operation for a few days to multiple rooms being unavailable for weeks. This can now be easily avoided with the Shutgun," said Shutgun engineer and co-inventor, Greg Patterson. "In cases where an employee breaks or accidentally activates a fire sprinkler head, the amount of damage caused by the spill because of clean up, productivity lost and time wasted can run into the tens of thousands of dollars."

When a sprinkler head is activated, water is **released at pressures as high as 170 psi and up to 25 gallons per minute.** Shutgun was specifically designed for hotel managers to address this messy and costly problem.

The newest concealed head Shutgun, now being released and demonstrated at the conference, is specifically designed for concealed sprinkler head models found in conference centres, exhibit halls, ballrooms and theatres. Shutgun's other products works for all exposed, wall mounted, semi-recessed and even broken or sheared sprinkler heads.

To learn more about Shutgun, visit http://www.shutguntool.com/

More than 15,000 Shutguns have been sold as a tool box staple for building managers, superintendents and contractors worldwide. Conceived by a Toronto District Fire Chief of 35 years, Shutgun is a one-handed, easy-to-use fire sprinkler shut off tool. Shutgun avoids shutting off the main water supply to the sprinkler system, thus giving continued fire protection to all units and has a fusible link that releases upon fire flare up or recurrence. Shutgun shuts off most types of sprinkler heads including the concealed and semi-recessed style now popular in commercial complexes.