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Latitude Equipment Leasing LLC opens Chicago Illinois operation.

Marlton, NJ, June 19, 2009 - **Latitude Equipment Leasing LLC**, a New Jersey based general equipment leasing company, announced today the opening of a new field office in Chicago IL. **Mr. James J. Garner** has joined the company and will head the new office.

Mr. Garner holds a Masters Degree in Business Administration as well as a Bachelor of Science Degree. Garner has held senior sales and sales management positions with several large independent as well as captive leasing companies in the Chicago area over his 25 year career. "I am particularly impressed with the Latitude model. My growing list of clients and vendors in Chicago are demanding competitive lease options as firms begin to expand again. I'm confident that I will now be able to meet their needs for capital" said **Garner**.

"We are extremely pleased to see **Jim** bring his talent, experience, and resources to the **Latitude** team. I expect Chicago and the Midwest states to be early winners in the economic recovery, and our new office there positions **Latitude** for continued solid growth" said **Bill Waddell** co-founder and current Sales Vice President of Latitude.

About Latitude Equipment Leasing LLC.

Latitude provides mid and small ticket equipment leases and niche financing services to clients throughout the US. Latitude is known as a leader in Vendor Leasing programs by providing superior responsiveness and client service levels. The principal partners of **Latitude Equipment Leasing** each have well over 20 years of successful experience in leading and operating leasing companies. The company operates a Headquarters location in Southern New Jersey, a Sales Operations Office in Northern New Jersey and 24 field offices throughout the United States. More information regarding the firm can be found on their interactive web portal www.latitudeleasing.com.

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