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### ***BARSDALE CONTROL PRODUCTS LAUNCHES THE SERIES BTS3000: AN ELECTRONIC TEMPERATURE SWITCH***

#### *Switch to Generation 3000*

Los Angeles, CA (February 17, 2015) – Barksdale Control Products, a leading manufacturer of industrial controls, is pleased to announce their latest release of the Generation 3000 Series: the BTS3000, an electronic temperature switch with a 4-digit display. The BTS3000 is part of Barksdale's new Generation 3000 Series of electronic products with sensor technology for Pressure, Temperature, Level and Flow.

"We launched the BPS3000, our Generation 3000 electronic pressure switch in August 2014 with great success, and we are confident that the BTS3000 will parallel that success" said Business Line Manager, Vicken Sarkissian. "The BTS3000 Generation 3000 electronic temperature switch offers the same unique functions as the BPS3000 with its compact size and easy to navigate menu, and by incorporating a market proven sensor technology, this versatile solution offers a competitive advantage."

With no moving parts, electronic switches give you accuracy, long life and durability in a small package, with features and functions that mechanical switches can't provide. For demanding high-cycle applications or where multiple setpoints are required or preventative maintenance is an issue, electronic switches can be a long-term cost saver.

The BTS3000 offers a lot of versatility, making it perfect for a wide array of applications including lubrication systems, factory automation, injection molding machines, and machine tools. Temperature ranges for the unit vary from -22° to +284°F (-30° to +140°C). Standard process connections include the 7/16-20 SAE-4 and 1/4" NPT style. The BTS3000 also offers transmitter functionality by supplying analog output signals 0 to 10 V DC and 4 to 20 mA respectively.

With a housing height just over four inches and a diameter well under two inches, the BTS3000 allows for tight in-cabinet installations. The large 4-digit 14-segment LED angled display is aesthetically pleasing and allows clear readability from multiple points of view. Even if the unit must be mounted upside down, the internal software is capable of rotating its display 180°. Plus, the 320° rotatable electrical connection and display housing makes installing the unit very simple helping reduce installation costs with its versatile design.

The BTS3000 features robust EMI protection allowing for stable output in today's factories where EMF and high powered walkie-talkies are present. Additionally, the IP65/IP67 class rated housing makes this unit suitable for the wettest of environments, and even full submersion.

Founded in 1949, Barksdale Control Products, with offices in Los Angeles, CA and Reichelsheim, Germany and distributors around the world, is an ISO 9001:2008 registered manufacturer of mechanical and electronic controls for industrial applications, specializing in control and measurement of air, hydraulic fluid and gas media. Barksdale is a subsidiary of Crane Co., a diversified manufacturer of highly engineered industrial products. Crane Co. is traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE: CR).

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