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**Wabtec Awarded \$8 Million Contract To Overhaul Commuter Locomotives**

WILMERDING, Pa., September 7, 2005 -- Wabtec Corporation (NYSE: WAB) today announced that its MotivePower subsidiary has signed an \$8 million contract to overhaul seven commuter locomotives for the Metro-North Commuter Railroad Company in New York. The second-largest commuter railroad in the U.S., Metro-North provides passenger transportation services in New York City and its suburbs in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut.

The work will be performed at MotivePower's Boise, Idaho facility. Delivery of the refurbished units will begin in the first quarter of 2006.

Wabtec Corporation ([www.wabtec.com](http://www.wabtec.com)) is one of North America's largest providers of value-added, technology-based products and services for the rail industry. Through its subsidiaries, the company manufactures a range of products for locomotives, freight cars and passenger transit vehicles. The company also builds new switcher and commuter locomotives, and provides aftermarket services, including locomotive and freight car fleet maintenance. The company has facilities located throughout the world. Wabtec's mission is to be judged by its stakeholders as the world-class corporation focused on helping its global customers compete more effectively through higher levels of safety, quality and productivity.

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