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### **UNIDEN OFFERS SUPERIOR CLARITY AND RANGE WITH 5.8GHZ CORDLESS PHONES**

*New Digital Spread Spectrum (DSS) Phones are First to Offer  
True 5.8GHz Technology*

FORT WORTH, Texas, August 26, 2002 – Uniden America Corporation today announced details about its newest line of 5.8GHz cordless phones. The 5.8GHz phones offer the latest in cordless phone technology including new user-friendly features, dual handset compatibility and superior range performance. Available to consumers this fall, Uniden's 5.8GHz phones transmit on a new, open frequency band that has very little chance for interference, resulting in maximum audio clarity.

"Uniden continues to put significant resources behind its research and development efforts to design valuable and useful products for consumers," said Al Silverberg, President and CEO of Uniden America Corporation. "The 5.8GHz cordless phone is the company's most innovative cordless phone introduction with unparalleled clarity, and underscores Uniden's commitment to becoming the undisputed leader in the industry."

Utilizing Digital Spread Spectrum (DSS) technology and a high-powered, patent-pending directional antenna system, Uniden's 5.8GHz cordless phones allow for the utmost security and have a distinct range advantage. Additionally, unlike other 5.8GHz phones, the Uniden phones convert voice signals to digital streams and transmit and receive data on the new 5.8GHz frequency band, resulting in less interference and superior audio quality.

The 5.8GHz line includes the TRU5865-2 and the TRU5885-2 models. The TRU5865-2 (Street Retail: \$199) features Dual Handsets, a Handset Speakerphone, Caller ID/Call Waiting, Dual Keypad, 100 Dynamic Memory Locations, Voice Mail Waiting Indicator and is also available in a single handset model, TRU5865 (Street Retail: \$149). The TRU5885-2 (Street Retail: \$229) builds upon the base model with a Digital Answering System and New Message Waiting Indicator and is also available in a single handset model, TRU5885 (Street Retail: \$169).

The TRU5885/5885-2 models will be available in October 2002, while the TRU5865/5865-2 models will be available in November 2002 at mass merchandisers and specialty stores. Additional information is available through the Uniden Web site at [www.uniden.com](http://www.uniden.com).

### **About Uniden**

Uniden American Corporation, the North American subsidiary of Japan-based Uniden Corporation, manufactures and markets wireless consumer electronic products including cordless telephones, business telecommunications systems, networking and data products, scanners, FRS/GMRS radios, marine radios and other wireless personal communications products. Based in Fort Worth, Texas, Uniden sells its products through dealers and distributors throughout North, Central and South America.

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