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## **Girbau UK Launches Free Laundry Design Service for Architects**

**28 August 2008** – Girbau UK, has launched a free on-premise laundry (OPL) design service for architects and their clients including hotels, hospitals, care and nursing homes, schools, colleges, sheltered housing and veterinary surgeries.

Part of the Girbau Group, world-leading manufacturer of commercial and industrial laundry equipment, Girbau UK has years of experience in the supply, installation and maintenance of commercial and industrial laundry equipment. It is now offering architects a free design and advice service encompassing every aspect of on-premise laundry installation including equipment selection, services supply, energy efficiency, drainage, ventilation and space requirements. The company will also advise on meeting all relevant regulations including water bylaws, sterile wash and sluice programmes, especially for hospitals and care homes.

Peter Marsh, managing director of Girbau UK, explains the company's move, "With our specialist experience and expertise, we realised it made sense to offer a dedicated laundry design service for architects. Whether for new-build or refurbishment of existing laundries, we frequently find that if we had been consulted earlier in the design process, it would have saved time and money."

Girbau UK markets an extensive range of washers with capacities from 5 to 120kg and dryers with capacities up to 76kg, as well as a range of ironers, folders and stackers. The new Girbau 6 Series of washers, all of which are now covered by the extended guarantee scheme, are among the most energy efficient machines in their class. The HS-6008 is top-rated for energy efficiency of all the machines tested by US body Energy Star.