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**AVIS AND BUDGET CUSTOMERS NO LONGER NEED TO WAIT IN LINE
TO PAY HIGHWAY TOLLS**

First Major Rental Car Companies to Offer Electronic Toll Collection to Customers

PARSIPPANY, N.J. (MARCH, 13, 2006) – Cendant Car Rental Group, LLC today announced that their customers need no longer lose valuable travel time waiting in the cash line when paying highway tolls. Starting this April, customers of Avis Rent A Car and Budget Rent A Car can drive through electronic toll collection booths on highways in the Northeast United States and Houston Texas metropolitan area. In the Northeast, customers can rent a vehicle equipped with an electronic toll collection device. In Houston, customers can rent a vehicle enrolled in the PlatePass™ Program, a service that enables renters to use the high-speed, non-stop toll lanes. There are plans to roll out the systems to additional areas in the Northeast, Texas, Florida and Illinois by year end. The new program will make electronic toll collection available to customers for an additional fee of \$1.50 per day for rentals at New York metropolitan locations and for \$2.00 per day at locations in Houston, TX.

This announcement follows a recently completed test of electronic toll collection devices in rental cars at the Newark, N.J. Budget Rent A Car location. During the 18-month test period, Budget customers rented transponder collection devices more than 25,000 times.

In the New York metropolitan area, Cendant Car Rental Group partnered with Highway Toll Administration (HTA) to offer EZ-Pass, the electronic toll technology service used in the Northeast. Customers will be able to use the service on toll roads, tunnels and bridges from Maine to Virginia. The HTA will equip both Avis and Budget vehicles with EZ-Pass transponders. In Houston and other markets that subscribe to PlatePass, Cendant Car Rental Group has partnered with Scottsdale, AZ based American Traffic Solutions to offer PlatePass™, which will allow Avis and Budget customers to utilize high-speed toll lanes wherever PlatePass is offered, without the need for a vehicle transponder. The service leverages existing toll system infrastructure that captures license plate images at the time of the toll occurrence. The license plate images are linked to the renter's credit card to tabulate the toll due. Once the customer has returned their rental vehicle, both HTA and American Traffic Solutions will consolidate the

tolling history and charges accrued and process a charge to the customer's credit or debit card that was presented at the time of rental.

“We continue to lead the rental car industry in providing technologies that offer our customers cutting-edge solutions,” said Scott Deaver, executive vice president of marketing for Cendant Car Rental Group. “With information we received from our customers as well as the demand for the service at Budget in Newark, we quickly learned just how popular this service would be with our customers. Electronic toll collection provides our customers with a great time-saving service that will make their travels smoother and more stress-free.”

Customers that wish to rent a vehicle with the new service in the North East should request a vehicle equipped with electronic toll collection at the time reservation or at the counter. Vehicles in Houston or other markets where PlatePass is offered are “pre-enrolled” and are ready to use the toll system without any special request. To make a reservation or to learn more about renting a vehicle with electronic toll collection visit www.avis.com and www.budget.com.

About American Traffic Solutions

American Traffic Solutions, Inc. is the leading provider of state-of-the-art, turn-key vehicle detection and imaging technology designed and built specifically for photo traffic enforcement. The company was founded in 1992 and has provided some of the largest and most successful traffic safety and enforcement programs in the world, including New York City, Philadelphia, Houston and Seattle. ATS operates or supports automated traffic safety and enforcement programs in Washington, California, Arizona, Colorado, Texas, Tennessee, Missouri, Maryland, Pennsylvania, New York, and Calgary Alberta Canada. ATS's patent pending PlatePass™ service is a break-through solution that provides a convenient consumer offering to the rental car customer without the need for additional on-board equipment. The technology and service is built based on real-world experience providing toll violation processing solutions to some of the largest Toll Authorities in the United States. For more information about American Traffic Solutions, visit www.atsol.com or www.PlatePass.com or call James D. Tuton at 480-368-0900 Ext 206.

About the Cendant Car Rental Group

Cendant Car Rental Group, LLC, subsidiary of Cendant Corporation (NYSE: CD), is the largest car rental company serving North America, the Caribbean, Australia and New Zealand. Through its subsidiaries and franchisees, the company operates the Avis Rent A Car system, the industry leader in customer service, and the Budget Rent A Car system, the leading value-oriented rental car brand. For more information about Avis and Budget, visit www.avis.com and www.budget.com.

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