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**Record Supply in Gillette, Wyoming is Newest  
VIPAR Heavy Duty Stockholder**  
*Company serves northeast Wyoming customers;  
provides VIPAR with a new footprint in the western state*

**Crystal Lake, Ill.** – **VIPAR Heavy Duty** has announced that Record Supply, Inc. in Gillette, Wyo. is the newest stockholder to join its network of distributors. Under the leadership of its president, Kevin Record, the company operates a heavy distribution business from a nearly 1,500 sq. ft. showroom with additional warehouse space in two locations of over 10,000 sq. ft. Record Supply specializes in truck parts, including wheel end suspension, flywheel resurface and hydraulic hoses.

The company serves the northeast Wyoming heavy duty market with nine employees, three outside sales professionals and six delivery vehicles. Record Supply provides coverage to customers within an 80 mile radius of its Gillette headquarters. In addition to Record, the company is led by its general manager, Dale Praska and heavy duty manager, Seth Barbour.

"Our goal is to better support our customers with an expanded inventory of heavy duty products from the industry's leading brands," said Record. "We are excited to align ourselves with VIPAR Heavy Duty to help achieve this goal and accelerate our overall growth."

In addition to its heavy duty business, Record Supply operates automotive parts and paint supply distribution businesses.

"We are excited that Record Supply has selected VIPAR Heavy Duty as their partner to help facilitate their business growth," said Jim Pennig, vice president, business development, VIPAR Heavy Duty. "They are a second generation family-run company that is committed to expanding and represent a cornerstone point of distribution for VIPAR Heavy Duty in the state of Wyoming."

For more information on Record Supply, phone 307-682-8871. For more information on VIPAR Heavy Duty, visit [www.vipar.com](http://www.vipar.com) or e-mail: [info@vipar.com](mailto:info@vipar.com).

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**About VIPAR Heavy Duty**

VIPAR Heavy Duty is North America's leading network of independent aftermarket truck parts distributors. VIPAR Heavy Duty distributors serve the needs of their customers from over 500 locations across the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico, and Mexico. VIPAR Heavy Duty distributors are specialists who understand the demands of their local, regional, and national customers for quality parts and exceptional service. For more information, visit [www.vipar.com](http://www.vipar.com).

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