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**AutoTradeCenter and Auto Use Partner To Give Wholesale Dealers
Greater Flexibility for Financing Used Vehicles Online**

*Auto Use to offer 0% Interest Floorplan Financing on all vehicles purchased on
ATC Open for the next 30 days*

MENLO PARK, Calif. & ANDOVER, Mass., June 5, 2006 – AutoTradeCenter (ATC), a leading online auction company for automotive dealers to buy and sell wholesale vehicles, and Auto Use, a leading independent source of wholesale used vehicle financing, today announced a new partnership that gives dealers the ability to purchase and obtain financing when buying used wholesale cars through ATC Open at www.atcopen.com. As part of the partnership, Auto Use also announced 0% Floorplan Financing for 30 days on all vehicles purchased on ATC Open and financed with Auto Use from June 5, 2006 to July 4, 2006. By adding Auto Use’s flexible financing services to ATC Open’s inventory allows all dealerships to have an equal opportunity to compete for and acquire quality wholesale vehicles without having to leave their office.

According to CNW Marketing Research, the used car market was \$367 billion last year and transactions for wholesale inventory via online auctions are expected to grow in the future. As the use of online auctions to procure wholesale used cars becomes more commonplace for dealers, they will demand the same financing opportunities that are available through traditional physical auctions. ATC already delivers fast access to premium off-lease vehicles from a variety of the industry’s top sellers through its online auction ATC Open. The additional Auto Use financing benefits now give dealers even greater payment options to make their online auction experience easy, seamless and more profitable.

“Dealers are becoming more comfortable with wholesale online auctions as a trusted option for purchasing used cars,” said, Mark Jensen, chief operating officer, ATC. “By partnering with Auto Use, ATC is able to offer more attractive payment options for dealers, making it even easier to buy wholesale vehicles online. Furthermore, independent dealers can have confidence that they not only will find a great inventory of

wholesale vehicles via ATC, but the financing for these vehicles will be simple and easily manageable on our website.”

Increased Buying Power for Independent Dealers

By receiving Auto Use financing, also known as a floor plan line, through ATC, an independent dealer can enhance its current purchasing power, and gain the additional flexibility to buy more inventory online without having to tap into any existing credit lines. This allows independent dealers of all sizes to compete for the best available used cars that are available through the ATC Open wholesale online marketplace.

Independent dealerships that register with ATC will now have the opportunity to apply for a new floor plan line for up to \$1,000,000. Furthermore, through this partnership, dealerships that currently have a finance line with Auto Use will be able to purchase and finance vehicles directly from ATC.

“We are always looking for innovative ways to help dealers sell more vehicles,” said Michael DeLuca, vice president of sales and marketing, Auto Use. “By partnering with ATC, we have created the opportunity for dealers to buy quality used vehicles without ever having to leave their dealership. Additionally, independent dealers will now have the opportunity to apply for and receive a new floor plan line quickly and easily over the Internet.”

About Auto Use

Recognized as one of the country’s premier automotive finance companies, Auto Use is backed by its proven track record of over 30 years of successful business experience. Auto Use continues to grow its dealer base, strengthening its position as one of the largest floor plan providers to independent dealers in the United States. Accepted as a funding source at over 300 auctions nationwide, Auto Use gives its dealers the added buying power to buy vehicles where they want when they want. For more information, visit the company's Web site at www.autouse.com.

About AutoTradeCenter

AutoTradeCenter, Inc. (ATC) is the leading online auction company for automotive dealers to buy and sell wholesale used vehicles. The company offers proven, end-to-end auto remarketing products and services to auto manufacturers, captive finance companies, lease and rental companies, financial institutions and wholesale auto auctions. ATC powers successful online remarketing programs for Audi Financial Services, American Honda Finance, Chase Manhattan Automotive Financial, Daimler Chrysler Financial Services, Ford Motor Credit, Porsche Financial Services, Volkswagen Credit, Enterprise Rent-a-Car, Subaru of America and several others. For more information, visit the company’s website at www.autotradecenter.com or call +1 (866) 969-0321.

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