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Krystal Planet announces First Sales of Hydrogen Fuel Cell Home Unit

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Krystal Planet has announced the sale of its third integrated hydrogen fuel cell system for the home, the Krystal Hydrogen System in as many months.

The Krystal Hydrogen System uses solar and wind energy to produce hydrogen on site from electrolysis. Krystal Planet claims that it produces enough renewable energy to power 100% of a typical energy efficient home plus makes enough extra hydrogen to power up to two vehicles. The company reports receiving over 70 serious inquiries already, some from celebrities, and expects to sell 50 systems in 2006 and over 200 in 2007.

"Although initially the market for our Krystal Hydrogen System will be early adopters with the financial wherewithal to purchase the system, those who do will be able to enjoy true energy independence," says Troy Helming, founder and CEO. "The system will initially retail for US\$150,000, which is often less than the cost of the cars sitting in a customer's driveway. But this investment will protect its owner from rising and volatile energy costs and has an expected life of 30-50 years depending on location." He went on to add "With sales of about 5,000 systems per year," says Helming, "the cost is projected to be \$300 per month when financed using a home equity line."

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