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**THE NEW JBL® ON AIR CONTROL® 2.4G AW LOUDSPEAKER SYSTEM
OFFERS HIGH-QUALITY INDOOR AND OUTDOOR MUSIC ENJOYMENT**

BERLIN – Add musical ambience to your pool party or barbeque, enjoy your favorite Chopin piano concerto out on the porch, or turn up the tunes in your bedroom or kitchen with the wireless all-weather JBL® On Air Control® 2.4G AW loudspeaker speaker system. What else can you do with these compact two-way loudspeakers? Attach them to your home theatre system for surround sound – without the trouble and expense of running speaker wires from your A/V receiver to your surround speakers. Connect them to your computer, laptop, DVD/CD player, iPod or other portable music player, and enjoy music anywhere in your home or garden. Or use them for second-room music systems. However you choose to use them, JBL On Air Control 2.4G AW loudspeakers offer outstanding performance, multifunctionality, and easy setup and operation.

The JBL On Air Control 2.4G AW system includes a pair of compact two-way loudspeakers that incorporate a wireless transceiver and amplifier, and a transmitter/receiver module. The transmitter/receiver module connects to an audio/video receiver via its RCA audio jacks, and includes a 3.5mm mini-jack adapter for connection to the stereo audio output of a laptop or desktop computer or a portable audio device. It utilizes the 2.4GHz frequency range to ensure interference-free transmission, and has an operating distance of up to 21m (70 feet). The transmitter/receiver module can be used with up to two pairs of JBL On Air Control 2.4G AW speakers.

These powerful, full-spectrum, magnetically shielded speakers feature a 12mm (1/2-inch) titanium-laminate-dome tweeter, a 100mm (4-inch) high-excursion woofer and 15 watts of built-in amplification for natural, richly detailed sound. Further enhancing the system's versatility, the active speaker includes a mini-jack input for connection to a second local audio source, and a subwoofer output that enables the speakers to be used as part of a 2.1-channel satellite/subwoofer audio system. The JBL On Air Control 2.4G AW system includes a remote control with volume, input selection and mute functions, as well as wall-mount brackets for the speakers.

JBL On Air Control 2.4G AW speakers are specially designed to be used outdoors. For example, the better grade of the polypropylene used for the enclosures can withstand temperatures of up to 85 degrees



Celsius, compared to only 60 degrees Celsius for non-all-weather products. In addition, the quality of the speakers' construction and materials means better UV- and corrosion-resistance, which ensures they'll last for a long time, and retain their white color longer. Lastly, the AC adapter of the active speaker comes with a special housing, enabling safe outdoor use. When installing JBL On Air Control 2.4G AW speakers outside, they must be placed in a sheltered area; one in which they won't be directly exposed to water or snow to ensure optimum life time.

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