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PRESS RELEASE

TMK Among Most Transparent Companies in Russia.

TMK (LSE:TMKS), one of the world's leading oil and gas steel pipe producers, was once again recognized as one of the most transparent companies in Russia. The Company ranked 6-th in the 2010 Standard & Poor's Transparency and Disclosure Survey of the 90 largest publicly listed companies in Russia, an improvement of one notch over the previous year.

The survey accounts for information included in the three major sources of public information: annual reports, web-based disclosures, and public regulatory reporting.

Vladimir Shmatovich, TMK Senior Vice-President for Strategy and Business Development commented on the survey's results: "TMK applies and maintains principles of transparency and openness in its activities, focusing on the most advanced models of corporate governance and investor relations practices. The Company's achievements in this area are highlighted by the consistently high scores obtained in Standard and Poor's annual transparency rating"

TMK (www.tmk-group.com)

TMK is one of the world's leading manufacturers and suppliers of steel pipes for the oil and gas industry. TMK operates 23 production sites in the United States, Russia, Romania and Kazakhstan. TMK has the world's largest steel pipe production capacity, of which about half is dedicated to the production of high margin oil country tubular goods (OCTG). In 2009, TMK supplied customers in more than 65 countries.

TMK's ordinary shares are listed on the RTS and MICEX stock exchanges in Russia. Its GDRs are traded on the London Stock Exchange and ADRs on the OTCQX International Premier trading platform in the US.

Volzhsky Pipe Plant	Taganrog Metallurgical Works	TMK IPSCO
Sinarsky Pipe Plant	TMK-Premium Service	TMK-Europe
Seversky Tube Works	TMK Oilfield Services	TMK-Kaztrubprom

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