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Press Release

TMK Ships Pipes with ULTRA SF Premium Connections to Gazprom Neft

TMK, one of the world's leading oil and gas steel pipe producers, has completed a shipment of casing with ULTRA SF premium connections to Gazprom Neft for the Urmanskoye field.

The shipment contained grade P110 casing with ULTRA SF connections (OD 127mm, wall thickness 9.19mm) that was produced by TMK IPSCO. The product is designated for use at the Urmanskoye field in the Tomsk Region.

"Previously Gazprom Neft imported this type of pipes from our global competitors. Now, having complemented our premium connections portfolio with Ultra threads developed by TMK IPSCO, our US Division, TMK can supply a large range of world class premium products to Russian oil and gas companies," said Alexander Shiryayev, TMK CEO.

TMK (www.tmk-group.com)

TMK is a leading global manufacturer and supplier of steel pipes for the oil and gas industry, operating 23 production sites in the United States, Russia, Romania and Kazakhstan. TMK has the world's largest steel pipe production capacity, about half of which is dedicated to the production of high margin oil country tubular goods (OCTG). In 2010, TMK's pipe sales totaled approximately four million tonnes, shipped to customers in more than 65 countries.

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

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