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CHICAGO – March 1, 2021 – North American Steel Alliance (NASA) announces the addition of Outokumpu Stainless USA as their primary flat roll stainless steel provider.

"I am excited to welcome Outokumpu to the NASA network of Preferred Suppliers. The addition of a stainless-steel supplier gives our Members even more opportunities to buy metals products through the co-op," said Mike Wagner, President of North American Steel Alliance.

Outokumpu Stainless USA, located in Calvert, Alabama, is America's most advanced stainless steel mill, creating value for the customer through a combination of a strong global product portfolio and superior technical expertise. The Calvert operation offers melted and manufactured in the USA sourcing and is the only producer of 72" wide coil in the NAFTA region.

"We view our affiliation with North American Steel Alliance as a complement to our existing distribution strategy and look forward to developing long lasting relationships within the NASA Community," said Bradley Small, Director - Commercial Excellence of Outokumpu Americas.

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About North American Steel Alliance

The North American Steel Alliance is a member-owned, steel cooperative with the buying power of more than \$9 billion. With the strength over 120 independently operated steel service centers and the reach of over 450 distribution and processing facilities—throughout the United States and Canada—we represent the largest purchasing co-op in the industry. Learn more at steelalliance.com.

About Outokumpu

Outokumpu is the global leader in sustainable stainless steel with a crude stainless steel capacity of 3 million tons. We create advanced materials that are efficient, long lasting and recyclable – helping to build a world that lasts forever. Outokumpu employs 10,000 professionals in more than 30 countries. Learn more at outokumpu.com.