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(Traverse City, Michigan, USA. March 12th, 2009) - MAXAL INTERNATIONAL, INC. ANNOUNCES THEY HAVE RECEIVED THE ABS (AMERICAN BUREAU OF SHIPPING) APPROVALS.

MAXAL International, Inc. (www.maxal.com) announced today that they have received the ABS (AMERICAN BUREAU OF SHIPPING) approval for the following product; ER/R5356 and ER/R5183. The addition of this approval body allows the MAXAL products to be used throughout the Shipping/Marine and High Speed Ferries industries in the USA.

Mr. Brian J. Farkas, the National Sales Manager is quoted as saying "We are very excited about this opportunity to advance the MAXAL aluminum weld wire into Shipping and Marine industry. This will allow MAXAL to continue to gain real exposure in the aluminum welding consumables arena."

MAXAL specializes in the manufacturing of high quality aluminum welding wire. MAXAL is a state-of-the-art aluminum welding electrode manufacturing company based in Traverse City, Michigan. The company is located in a brand new 40,000 sq ft manufacturing facility. It is owned and operated by leaders in the field of aluminum welding technology and electrode production. Management has over 200 years of combined experience in the aluminum weld wire manufacturing and welding industries. Our new fabrication technologies produce exceedingly high-quality electrode that has been recognized by our partners as the new standard for product quality.

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