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SSINA APPOINTS NEW MARKET DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

(Washington, DC, April 18, 2008) – Specialty Steel Industry of North America (SSINA) announced today that William B. Milon, Director of U.S. Field Sales for ATI Allegheny Ludlum, has been appointed Chairman of the association's Market Development Committee. In this role, Milon's duties will include overseeing the SSINA website, supervising SSINA consultants in responding to questions from customers and users regarding applications and technical matters, and consideration of special projects to promote the use of stainless steel.

“Bill has significant marketing expertise in the specialty metals industry and will be an excellent leader for the Market Development Committee,” said SSINA Chairman Douglas A. Kittenbrink, Executive Vice President, Corporate Planning and International Business Development, Allegheny Technologies Incorporated.

Milon has been a member of the Market Development Committee since January 2007, and has been with ATI Allegheny Ludlum in a variety of positions since 1992. Prior to his current position as Director of U.S. Field Sales, Milon served as the Director of Sheet Marketing. He also previously served as the Eastern Regional Sales Manager for Strip Products in the company's Exton, PA Services Center until January 2002. Prior to that, Milon held various commercial positions in ATI Allegheny Ludlum's Eastern and Midwest Territory including Area, Territory and District Sales responsibilities in Buffalo, NY; Dallas, TX and Chicago, IL.

Milon holds a Bachelor of Science in Business from the University of Notre Dame and earned an MBA in Finance and Strategy from Northwestern University's Kellogg School of Management.

About Specialty Steel Industry of North America

Specialty Steel Industry of North America (SSINA) is a Washington, DC-based trade association representing virtually all continental specialty metals producers, which include high technology, high value stainless and other specialty alloy products.

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SSINA member companies include: AK Steel Corporation, West Chester, OH; ATI Allegheny Ludlum, Pittsburgh, PA and ATI Allvac, Monroe, NC (both Allegheny Technologies companies); Carpenter Technology Corporation, Reading, PA; Crucible Specialty Metals, Syracuse, NY; Electralloy, Oil City, PA; Haynes International Inc., Kokomo, IN; ThyssenKrupp Mexinox SA de CV, San Luis Potosí, S.L.P., Mexico; North American Stainless, Ghent, KY; Outokumpu Stainless, Inc., Schaumburg, IL; Precision Rolled Products, Inc., Florham Park, NJ; Latrobe Specialty Steel Company, Latrobe, PA; Universal Stainless and Alloy Products, Bridgeville, PA; and Valbruna Slater Stainless Inc., Fort Wayne, IN.

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