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Ransom & Randolph Announces the Launch of Ready-to-Use Slurry for Ferrous Metal Castings

Introducing SuspendaSlurry® ZR material

Maumee, OH – May 25, 2016 – Ransom & Randolph announced the launch of SuspendaSlurry[®] ZR material, a ready-to-use slurry for ferrous metal casting. Formulated with 100% zircon refractory flour, SUSPENDASLURRY ZR material provides industrial casters with a *pre-made* slurry that does not require continuous mixing.

Ransom & Randolph launched SuspendaSlurry[®] FS material for non-ferrous metal casting last year. SUSPENDASLURRY FS material can be used for backup coats with SUSPENDASLURRY ZR material. Both products are shipped in resealable containers, which can be used as a dip tank, or SUSPENDASLURRY materials can be transferred to a larger vessel for dipping. Close the tank tightly when not dipping to preserve the slurry.

The SUSPENDASLURRY material product line was developed to eliminate costs associated with continuous mixing and slurries lost to electrical failure. The SUSPENDASLURRY material family also simplifies the initial mixing process by eliminating the need to weigh and mix binder and refractory components.

Based on R&R's leading primary binder technology, using SUSPENDASLURRY materials allow casters added benefits over standard colloidal silica shells: such as stronger layers; reduced buckling, lifting or cracking defects; and simplified slurry maintenance.

Available from R&R's Maumee, OH manufacturing plant or our Commerce, CA warehouse, SUSPENDASLURRY ZR material is available in 100 and 600 pound slurries; SUSPENDASLURRY FS material is available in 60 and 400 pound slurries. Stuccos are sold separately.

Visit us at <u>www.ransom-randolph.com/binders.html</u> to learn more. To order material, contact your R&R Regional Manager or customer service at 800.253.4502 today!

About Ransom & Randolph

Founded in 1872, Ransom & Randolph is dedicated to advancing the investment casting industry. R&R has provided foundries with extensive process knowledge, exceptional technical expertise and innovative product technology since the 1800s. By coupling revolutionary product developments with experienced staff, manufacturing and warehousing facilities, R&R successfully helps customers become casting industry leaders. R&R is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dentsply Sirona (NASDAQ: XRAY).

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