



Curtiss-Wright Receives VMETRO Shareholder Approval

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Curtiss-Wright Corporation (NYSE: CW) previously announced on September 15, 2008 the commencement of its voluntary cash tender offer of NOK 12.06 per share for all outstanding shares of VMETRO ASA (OSE: VME). As of September 29, 2008, shareholders controlling more than 90% of the outstanding shares of VMETRO have accepted the offer, fulfilling a condition for executing the transaction. The transaction is expected to be completed by no later than October 17, 2008, subject to certain closing conditions which are outlined in the offer document.

About Curtiss-Wright

Curtiss-Wright Corporation is a diversified company headquartered in Roseland, N.J. The company designs, manufactures and overhauls products for motion control and flow control applications, and provides a variety of specialized metal treatment services. The firm employs approximately 7,600 people worldwide. For more information about Curtiss-Wright visit www.curtisswright.com.

About Curtiss-Wright Controls, Inc.

Headquartered in Charlotte, North Carolina, Curtiss-Wright Controls, Inc. is the Motion Control segment of Curtiss-Wright Corporation. With manufacturing facilities around the world, Curtiss-Wright Controls is a leading technology-based organization providing niche motion control products, subsystems and services internationally for the aerospace and defense markets. For more information, visit www.cwcontrols.com.

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