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NEW HBIA OFFICE ADDRESS

MATTHEWS, NC (May 11, 2009) – The US administrative office of the HBI Association Ltd. has moved to a new location in the greater Charlotte, NC area. Effective today the new address is:

HBI Association Ltd.
624 Matthews-Mint Hill Road
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Frank Griscom continues in his position as executive director and can be contacted as follows:

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HBI Association, Ltd. (HBIA) is a not-for-profit, international corporation whose purpose is to promote HBI as steel's most versatile source of metallics, to inform ship owners/operators, charters, and terminal operators of the handling shipping, and storage benefits of HBI, and to assist the global iron and steel industry in the effective use of HBI. HBIA members include all major producers and exporters of HBI; suppliers of process technologies, equipment, materials, and services to the HBI Industry; traders and brokers involved in buying and selling HBI; and individuals who have made notable contributions to the fields of direct reduction technology and HBI production.

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