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FURUKAWA, OFS EXECUTIVES TO ADDRESS CRU's 6th WIRE & CABLE CONFERENCE IN VIENNA

Norcross, Georgia, June 7, 2012 - Foad Shaikhzadeh, president of Furukawa Industrial S.A. and member of the OFS' board and Peter Arnoff Nielsen, Executive Advisor and Product Manager for OFS, will be among the speakers at CRU's 6th Wire & Cable Conference, incorporating the 33rd KMI Fibreoptics conference, taking place 11-13 June, in Vienna, Austria.

In a keynote presentation, Shaikhzadeh will address prospects in the Brazilian wire and cable market, discussing recent trends and developments in IT and Telecom markets, growth potential and opportunities, and new infrastructure projects. His presentation is scheduled for Tuesday, June 12 at 9:40 a.m.

Nielsen's presentation, titled "Market update from a fibre manufacturer's perspective," will offer OFS' perspectives and predictions for the global market, focusing on fibre issues relating to FTTX, Data Center, and Long Haul needs. His presentation is scheduled for Wednesday, June 13 at 10:10 a.m.

CRU's 6th Wire & Cable conference, incorporating the 33rd KMI Fibreoptics conference, takes place 11-13 June, in Vienna, Austria. This year's event offers the latest market developments and the trends that are shaping the industry. A line-up of international experts will deliver market outlooks, present solutions to current challenges and debate the impacts of new technologies. More information is available at www.wireandcableconference.com.

About OFS

OFS is a world-leading designer, manufacturer and provider of optical fiber, optical fiber cable, connectivity, FTTx and specialty photonics solutions. Our marketing, sales, manufacturing and research teams provide forward-looking, innovative products and solutions in areas including Telecommunications, Medicine, Industrial Automation, Sensing, Government, Aerospace and Defense applications. We provide reliable, cost effective optical solutions to enable our customers to meet the needs of today's and tomorrow's digital and energy consumers and businesses.

OFS' corporate lineage dates back to 1876 and includes technology powerhouses such as AT&T and Lucent Technologies. Today, OFS is owned by Furukawa Electric, a multi-billion dollar global leader in optical communications.

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