

Dear Tenaris Shareholder and ADR Holder,

I am pleased to invite you to attend the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company. The meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 3, 2009, at 46A, Avenue John F. Kennedy L-1855 Luxembourg and will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m. (Central European Time).

At the Annual General Meeting, you will have the opportunity to hear a report on the Company's business, financial condition and results of operation and to vote on various matters, including the approval of the Company's financial statements, the election of the members of the Board of Directors and the appointment of the independent auditors.

The Notice and Agenda for the meeting, the Shareholder Meeting Brochure and Proxy Statement and the Company's 2008 annual report (which includes the Company's consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007 and 2006 and the Company's annual accounts as at December 31, 2008, together with the independent auditors' reports and the Board of Directors' management report and certification), are available free of charge at the Company's registered office in Luxembourg and on our website at www.tenaris.com/investors. They may also be obtained upon request, by calling (352) 26-47-89-78 (if you are in Luxembourg), 1-800-555-2470 (if you are in the United States), or +1-267-468-0786 (if you are in another jurisdiction).

Even if you only own a few shares or ADRs, I hope that you will exercise your right to vote at the meeting. You can vote your shares personally or by proxy. If you choose to vote by proxy, you may use the enclosed dedicated proxy form. If you are a holder of ADRs, please see the letter from THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, depositary bank, for instructions on how to exercise your vote by proxy.

Yours sincerely,

Paolo Rocca

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

April 24, 2009



Re: TENARIS S.A.

To: Registered Holders of American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs") for shares of common stock, US\$1 Par Value ("Common Stock"), of Tenaris S.A. (the "Company"):

The Company has announced that its Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held on June 3, 2009, at 11:00 a.m. (Central European Time). The meeting will take place at 46A, Avenue John F. Kennedy L-1855 Luxembourg. A copy of the Company's Notice of Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, including the agenda for such meeting, is enclosed.

The Notice of Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, the Shareholder Meeting Brochure and Proxy Statement, and the Company's 2008 annual report (which includes the Company's financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007 and 2006 and the Company's annual accounts as at December 31, 2008, together with the independent auditors' report and the Board of Directors' management report and certification), are available on the website at www.tenaris.com/investors and may also be obtained upon request, by calling 1-800-555-2470 (if you are in the United States) or +1-267-468-0786 (if you are outside the United States). These materials are provided to allow the shares of Common Stock represented by your ADRs to be voted at the meeting.

Each holder of ADRs as of each of April 27, 2009 and May 20, 2009, is entitled to instruct THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, as Depositary (the "Depositary"), as to the exercise of the voting rights pertaining to the Company's shares of Common Stock represented by such holder's ADRs. Although voting instructions are sent to holders and proxy materials are available on the website beginning on May 1, 2009, only those holders of record at each of April 27, 2009 and May 20, 2009 will be entitled to provide the Depositary with voting instructions. Notwithstanding that holders of ADRs must have held ADRs on each such date, in order to avoid the possibility of double vote, only those positions on May 20, 2009 will be counted for voting instruction purposes. Eligible ADR holders who desire to have their shares represented by their ADRs voted at the meeting must complete, date and sign a proxy form and return it to the Depositary at THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, Proxy Processing P.O. Box 3549, S. Hackensack, NJ 07606-9249, U.S.A. If the Depositary receives properly completed instructions by 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on May 28, 2009, then it shall vote or cause to be voted the shares underlying such ADRs in the manner prescribed by the instructions. However, if by 5:00 p.m., New York time, on May 28, 2009, the Depositary receives no instructions from the holder of ADRs, or the instructions are not in proper form, then the Depositary shall deem such holder to have instructed the Depositary to vote the underlying shares of Common Stock represented by any such ADRs in favor of any proposals or recommendations of the Company, for which purposes the Depositary shall issue a proxy to a person appointed by the Company to vote such underlying shares in favor of any proposals or recommendations of the Company (including any recommendation by the Company to vote such underlying shares on any given issue in accordance with the majority shareholder vote on that issue). No instruction shall be deemed given and no proxy shall be given with respect to any matter as to which the Company informs the Depositary that (i) it does not wish such proxy given, (ii) it has knowledge that substantial opposition exists with respect to the action to be taken at the meeting, or (iii) the matter materially and adversely effects the rights of the holders of ADRs.

Any holder of ADRs entitled to have the shares represented by its ADRs voted at the meeting, is entitled to revoke any instructions which it has previously given to the Depositary by filing with the Depositary a written revocation or duly executed instructions bearing a later date at any time prior to 5:00 p.m., New York time, on May 28, 2009. No instructions, revocations or revisions thereof shall be accepted by the Depositary after that time.

IF YOU WANT YOUR VOTE TO BE COUNTED, THE DEPOSITARY MUST RECEIVE YOUR VOTING INSTRUCTIONS PRIOR TO 5:00 P.M. (NEW YORK CITY TIME) ON MAY 28, 2009.

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON

Depositary

April 24, 2009 New York, New York



Tenaris S.A.

Société Anonyme Holding 46A, avenue John F. Kennedy L-1855, Luxembourg RCS Luxembourg B 85 203

Notice of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders to be held on June 3, 2009

Notice is hereby given to holders of shares of common stock of Tenaris S.A. (the "Company") that the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held on June 3, 2009, at 11:00 a.m. (Central European Time). The meeting will be held at 46A, avenue John F. Kennedy L-1855 Luxembourg. In the Annual General Meeting, shareholders will vote with respect to the items listed below under the heading "Annual General Meeting of Shareholders".

Agenda

Annual General Meeting of Shareholders

- 1. Consideration of the Board of Directors' and independent auditors' reports on the Company's consolidated financial statements. Approval of the Company's consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007 and 2006.
- 2. Consideration of the Board of Directors' and independent auditors' reports on the Company's annual accounts. Approval of the Company's annual accounts as at December 31, 2008.
- 3. Allocation of results and approval of dividend payment.
- 4. Discharge to the members of the Board of Directors for the exercise of their mandate during the year ended December 31, 2008.
- 5. Election of the members of the Board of Directors.
- 6. Compensation of the members of the Board of Directors.
- 7. Appointment of the independent auditors for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2009 and approval of their fees.
- 8. Authorisation to the Board of Directors and the board of directors or other governing bodies of the Company's subsidiaries to acquire Company shares.
- 9. Authorisation to the Board of Directors to cause the distribution of all shareholder communications, including its shareholder meeting and proxy materials and annual reports to shareholders, by such electronic means as is permitted by any applicable laws or regulations.

Pursuant to the Company's Articles of Association, resolutions at the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be passed by simple majority vote, irrespective of the number of shares present or represented.



Procedures for Attending the Meeting

Holders of shares wishing to attend the meeting must obtain an admission ticket by depositing their certificates representing their common stock, not later than 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 29, 2009, at the Company's office in Luxemburg or at the offices of any of the Company's subsidiaries set forth below:

Luxembourg: 46A, Avenue John F. Kennedy

L-1855 Luxembourg Attn: Adélia Soares

Argentina: c/o Siderca S.A.I.C.

Carlos María della Paolera 299, piso 16°

(C1001ADA) Buenos Aires

Attn: Horacio de las Carreras and/or Eleonora Cimino

Italy: c/o Dalmine S.p.A.

Piazza Caduti 6 luglio 1944 n. 1 24044

Dalmine (BG)

Attn: Marco Tajana and/or Teresa Gaini

Mexico: c/o Tubos de Acero de México, S.A.

Campos Elíseos 400-17 Col. Chapultepec Polanco 11560 México D.F.

Attn: Félix Todd and/or Luis Armando Leviaguirre

Holders of shares holding their shares through fungible securities accounts wishing to attend the meeting must present a certificate (issued by the financial institution or professional depositary holding such shares) evidencing such deposit and certifying the number of shares recorded in the relevant account as of May 29, 2009. Such certificate must be filed not later than **4:00 p.m.** (local time) on May 29, 2009, at any of the addresses indicated above and, in the case of shares held in Mexico, with S.D. Indeval, S.A. de C.V. (Paseo de la Reforma #255, 20. y 3er. piso Col. Cuauhtémoc, Mexico City).

Holders of shares as of May 29, 2009, may also vote by proxy. To vote by proxy, holders must file the required certificate evidencing their holdings of shares and a completed proxy form not later than **4:00 p.m.** (local time) on May 29, 2009 at any of the addresses indicated above or, in the case of shares held in Mexico, with S.D. Indeval, S.A. de C.V, in Mexico City.

Holders of American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs") as of April 27, 2009, which continue to hold such ADRs on May 20, 2009, are entitled to instruct THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, as Depositary (the "Depositary"), as to the exercise of the voting rights pertaining to the Company's shares of common stock represented by such holder's ADRs. Although voting instructions are sent to holders and proxy materials are available at our website beginning on May 1, 2009, only those holders of record as of each of April 27, 2009 and May 20, 2009 will be entitled to provide the Depositary with voting instructions. Notwithstanding that holders of ADRs must have held ADRs on each such date, in order to avoid the possibility of double vote, only those positions on May 20, 2009, will be counted for voting instruction purposes. Eligible ADR holders who desire to vote at the meeting must complete, date and sign a proxy



form and return it to the Depositary, at THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, Proxy Processing P.O. Box 3549, S. Hackensack, NJ 07606-9249, U.S.A., by 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on May 28, 2009.

The Shareholder Meeting Brochure and Proxy Statement (which contains reports on each item of the agenda for the meeting, and further details on voting procedures) and the forms furnished by the Company in connection with the meeting, may be obtained at any of the addresses indicated above or upon request by calling (352) 26-47-89-78 (if you are in Luxembourg), 1-800-555-2470 (if you are in the United States), or +1-267-468-0786 (if you are in another jurisdiction), but also from the Depositary, Borsa Italiana SpA (Piazza degli Affari 6, 20123, Milan, Italy) and S.D. Indeval S.A. de C.V., as from May 1, 2009, between 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (local time).

Copies of the Shareholder Meeting Brochure and Proxy Statement and the forms are also available at www.tenaris.com/investors. Copies of the Company's 2008 annual report (including the Company's consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007 and 2006 and the Company's annual accounts as at December 31, 2008, together with the independent auditors' report and management report and certification, and the documents referred to in the preceding sentence) may also be obtained free of charge at the Company's registered office in Luxembourg or upon request by calling (352) 26-47-89-78 (if you are in Luxembourg), 1-800-555-2470 (if you are in the United States), or +1-267-468-0786 (if you are in another jurisdiction).

Cecilia Bilesio

Secretary to the Board of Directors

April 24, 2009 Luxembourg



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Shareholder Meeting Brochure and Proxy Statement

Annual General Meeting of Shareholders to be held on June 3, 2009

This Shareholder Meeting Brochure and Proxy Statement is furnished by Tenaris S.A. (the "Company") in connection with the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders to be held, for the purposes set forth in the accompanying Notice of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders (the "Notice"), on June 3, 2009, starting at 11:00 a.m., at 46A, avenue John F. Kennedy L-1855 Luxembourg.

As of April 24, 2009, there were issued and outstanding 1,180,536,830 shares of common stock, each entitled to one vote, US\$1 par value each, of the Company (the "Common Stock"), including the shares of Common Stock (the "Deposited Shares") deposited with various agents for THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, as depositary (the "Depositary"), under the Amended and Restated Deposit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2008 (the "Deposit Agreement"), among the Company, the Depositary and all holders from time to time of American Depositary Receipts (the "ADRs") issued thereunder. The Deposited Shares are represented by American Depositary Shares, which are evidenced by the ADRs (one ADR equals two Deposited Shares).

Each holder of shares of Common Stock is entitled to one vote per share. Holders of shares wishing to attend the meeting must obtain an admission ticket by depositing their certificates confirming their holding of Common Stock, not later than 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 29, 2009, at any of the addresses indicated in the Notice. Holders of shares that hold shares through fungible securities accounts and wish to attend the meeting must present a certificate (issued by the financial institution or professional depositary holding such shares) evidencing such deposit and certifying the number of shares recorded in the relevant account on May 29, 2009. Such certificate must be filed not later than 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 29, 2009, at any of the addresses indicated in the Notice, or, in the case of shares held in Mexico, with S.D. Indeval, S.A. de C.V., in Mexico City.

Holders of shares as of May 29, 2009, may also vote by proxy. To vote by proxy, holders must file the required certificate evidencing their holdings of shares and a completed proxy form not later than 4:00 p.m. (local time), on May 29, 2009, at any of the addresses indicated in the Notice, or, in the case of shares held in Mexico, with S.D. Indeval, S.A. de C.V., in Mexico City.

Each holder of ADRs as of April 27, 2009, which continues to hold such ADRs on May 20, 2009, is entitled to instruct the Depositary, as to the exercise of the voting rights pertaining to the Company's shares of Common Stock represented by such holder's ADRs. Although voting instructions are sent to holders and proxy materials are available at our website beginning on May 1, 2009, only those holders of record as of each of April 27, 2009 and May 20, 2009 will be entitled to provide the Depositary with voting instructions. Notwithstanding that holders of ADRs must have held ADRs on each such date, in order to avoid the possibility of double vote, only those positions on May 20, 2009 will be counted for voting instruction purposes. Eligible holders of



ADRs who desire to have their shares represented by their ADRs voted at the meeting must complete, date and sign a proxy form and return it to the Depositary, at THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, Proxy Processing P.O. Box 3549, S. Hackensack, NJ 07606-9249, U.S.A. If the Depositary receives properly completed instructions by 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on May 28, 2009, then it shall vote or cause to be voted the shares underlying such ADRs in the manner prescribed by the instructions. However, if by 5:00 p.m., New York time, on May 28, 2009, the Depositary receives no instructions from the holder of ADRs, or the instructions are not in proper form, then the Depositary shall deem such holder to have instructed the Depositary to vote the underlying shares of Common Stock represented by any such ADRs in favor of any proposals or recommendations of the Company, for which purposes the Depositary shall issue a proxy to a person appointed by the Company to vote such underlying shares in favor of any proposals or recommendations of the Company (including any recommendation by the Company to vote such underlying shares on any given issue in accordance with the majority shareholder vote on that issue). No instruction shall be deemed given and no proxy shall be given with respect to any matter as to which the Company informs the Depositary that (i) it does not wish such proxy given (ii) it has knowledge that substantial opposition exists with respect to the action to be taken at the meeting, or (iii) the matter materially and adversely effects the rights of the holders of ADRs. Any holder of ADRs entitled to have the shares represented by its ADRs voted at the meeting is entitled to revoke any instructions which it has previously given to the Depositary by filing with the Depositary a written revocation or duly executed instructions bearing a later date at any time prior to 5:00 p.m., New York time, on May 28, 2009. No instructions, revocations or revisions thereof shall be accepted by the Depositary after that time.

Due to regulatory differences and market practices in each country where the Company's shares or ADRs are listed, holders of shares traded on the Argentine and Italian stock exchanges who have requested admission to the meeting, or who have issued a voting proxy, must have their shares blocked for trading until the date of the meeting, while holders of shares traded in the Mexican stock exchange and holders of ADRs traded in the New York stock exchange need not have their shares or ADRs, as the case may be, blocked for trading. However, the votes of holders of shares traded in the Mexican stock exchange who sell their shares between May 28, 2009 and June 2, 2009, shall be disregarded for voting purposes.

Under Luxembourg legislation implementing the EU Transparency Directive, investors in the Company's securities should notify the Company and the Luxembourg *Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier* (CSSF) on an ongoing basis whenever their direct or indirect ownership or other control rights over shares of the Company's capital or rights to vote such shares either reaches, exceeds or falls below any of the following thresholds: 5%, 10%, 15%, 20%, 25%, 33.33%, 50% and 66.66%. The total number of issued and outstanding shares and votes set forth in the Shareholder Meeting Brochure and Proxy Statement should be used for purposes of determining whether an investor reaches or exceeds each such threshold. Any such notification shall be made as indicated in the Company's website at www.tenaris.com/investors and in accordance with CSSF regulations. Failure to make such notification shall cause the suspension of the exercise of voting rights relating to the shares exceeding the fraction that should have been notified.

The meeting will appoint a chairperson *pro tempore* to preside the meeting. The chairperson *pro tempore* will have broad authority to conduct the meeting in an orderly and timely manner and to establish rules for shareholders who wish to address the meeting; the chairperson may exercise broad discretion in recognizing shareholders who wish to speak and in determining the extent of discussion on each item of the agenda.



Pursuant to the Company's Articles of Association, resolutions at the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be passed by simple majority of the votes cast, irrespective of the number of shares present or represented.

The meeting is called to address and vote on the following agenda:

Annual General Meeting of Shareholders

1. Consideration of the Board of Directors' and independent auditors' reports on the Company's consolidated financial statements. Approval of the Company's consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007 and 2006.

The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR approval of the Company's consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007 and 2006, after due consideration of the reports from each of the Board of Directors and the independent auditors on such consolidated financial statements. The consolidated balance sheets and the related consolidated statements of income, of cash flows and of changes in equity and the notes to such consolidated financial statements, the independent auditors' report on such consolidated financial statements, and the Board of Directors' management report on and certification to such consolidated financial statements are included in the Company's 2008 annual report, a copy of which is available on our website at www.tenaris.com/investors and may also be obtained upon request, by calling (352) 26-47-89-78 (if you are in Luxembourg), 1-800-555-2470 (if you are in the United States), or +1-267-468-0786 (if you are in another jurisdiction).

2. Consideration of the Board of Directors' and independent auditors' reports on the Company's annual accounts. Approval of the Company's annual accounts as at December 31, 2008.

The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR approval of the Company's annual accounts as at December 31, 2008, after due consideration of the reports from each of the Board of Directors and the independent auditors on such annual accounts. The balance sheet, the profit and loss account and the notes to such annual accounts, the independent auditors' report on such annual accounts, and the Board of Directors' management report -which has been combined with its management report on the Company's consolidated financial statements- and certification to such annual accounts are included in the Company's 2008 annual report, a copy of which is available on our website at www.tenaris.com/investors and may also be obtained upon request, by calling (352) 26-47-89-78 (if you are in Luxembourg), 1-800-555-2470 (if you are in the United States), or +1-267-468-0786 (if you are in another jurisdiction).

3. Allocation of results and approval of dividend payment.

The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR approval of a dividend in U.S. dollars, in the amount of US\$0.43 per share of Common Stock currently issued and outstanding and US\$0.86 per ADR currently issued and outstanding. As required by Luxembourg law, this dividend includes the interim dividend of US\$0.13 per share (US\$0.26 per ADR) paid on November 27, 2008. Accordingly, if this dividend proposal is approved, the Company will make a dividend payment on June 25, 2009, in the amount of US\$ 0.30 per share of Common Stock currently issued and outstanding and US\$ 0.60 per ADR currently issued and outstanding.

The aggregate amount of US\$ 153,469,787.90 distributed as interim dividend on November 27, 2008, was paid from reserves of earnings from the nine-month period ended September 30, 2008. The aggregate amount of US\$ 354,161,049.00 to be distributed as dividend on June 25, 2009, is to be paid from profits earned during the year ended December 31, 2008. The balance of the fiscal year's profits will be allocated to the Company's retained earnings account.



Upon approval of this resolution, it is proposed that the Board of Directors be authorized to determine or amend, in its discretion, the terms and conditions of the dividend payment.

4. Discharge to the members of the Board of Directors for the exercise of their mandate during the year ended December 31, 2008.

In accordance with applicable Luxembourg law and regulations, it is proposed that, upon approval of the Company's annual accounts as at December 31, 2008, the members of the Board of Directors be discharged from any liability in connection with the management of the Company's affairs during such year.

5. Election of the members of the Board of Directors.

The Company's Articles of Association provide for the annual election by the holders of shares of Common Stock of a Board of Directors of not less than five and not more than fifteen members. Members of the Board of Directors have a term of office of one year, but may be reappointed.

Under the Company's Articles of Association and applicable U.S. laws and regulations, effective as of July 15, 2005, the Company is required to have an Audit Committee comprised solely of directors who are independent.

The present Board of Directors of the Company consists of ten directors. Three members of the Board of Directors (Messrs. Jaime Serra Puche, Amadeo Vázquez y Vázquez and Roberto Monti) qualify as independent directors under the Company's Articles of Association and applicable law and are members of the Audit Committee.

It is proposed that the number of members of the Board of Directors be maintained at ten and that all of the current members of the Board of Directors be re-elected.

Set forth below is summary biographical information of each of the candidates:

- 1. **Roberto Bonatti.** Mr. Bonatti is a member of our board of directors. He is a grandson of Agostino Rocca, founder of the Techint group, a group of companies controlled by San Faustin N.V. ("San Faustin"). Throughout his career in the Techint group he has been involved specifically in the engineering and construction and corporate sectors. He was first employed by the Techint group in 1976, as deputy resident engineer in Venezuela. In 1984, he became a director of San Faustin, and since 2001 he has served as its president. In addition, Mr. Bonatti currently serves as president of Tecpetrol S.A. ("Tecpetrol") and Techint Compañia Técnica Internacional S.A.C.I. He is also a member of the board of directors of Ternium S.A. ("Ternium"), Siderca S.A.I.C. ("Siderca") and Siderar S.A.I.C. ("Siderar"). Mr. Bonatti is an Italian citizen.
- 2. Carlos Condorelli. Mr. Condorelli is a member of our board of directors. He served as our chief financial officer from October 2002 until September 2007. He is also a board member of Ternium. He began his career within the Techint group in 1975 as an analyst in the accounting and administration department of Siderar. He has held several positions within Tenaris and other Techint group companies, including finance and administration director of Tubos de Acero de México, S.A. ("Tamsa") and president of the board of directors of Empresa Distribuidora La Plata S.A., or Edelap, an Argentine utilities company. Mr. Condorelli is an Argentine citizen.



- 3. Carlos Franck. Mr. Franck is a member of our board of directors. He is president of Santa María S.A.I.F. and Inverban S.A., vice president of Siderca and a member of the board of directors of Techint Financial Corporation N.V., III Industrial Investments Inc., Siderar, Tecpetrol and Tecgas N.V. He has financial, planning and control responsibilities in subsidiaries of San Faustin. Mr. Franck is an Argentine citizen.
- 4. **Roberto Monti.** Mr. Monti is a member of our board of directors. He is the non-executive chairman of Trefoil Limited and a member of the board of directors of Petrobras Energia and of John Wood Group PLC. He has served as vice president of Exploration and Production of Repsol YPF and chairman and CEO of YPF. He was also president of Dowell, a subsidiary of Schlumberger and president of Schlumberger Wire & Testing division for East Hemisphere Latin America. Mr. Monti is an Argentine citizen.
- 5. **Gianfelice Rocca.** Mr. Rocca is a member of our board of directors. He is a grandson of Agostino Rocca. He is chairman of the board of directors of San Faustin, a member of the board of directors of Tamsa and Ternium, president of the Humanitas Group and president of the board of directors of Techint Compagnia Tecnica Internazionale S.p.A. and Tenova S.p.A. In addition, he sits on the board of directors or executive committees of several companies, including Allianz S.p.A, RCS Quotidiani, and Buzzi Unicem. He is vice president of Confindustria, the leading association of Italian industrialists. He is a member of the Advisory Board of Allianz Group, the Trilateral Commission and the European Advisory Board of the Harvard Business School. Mr. Rocca is an Italian citizen.
- 6. **Paolo Rocca.** Mr. Rocca is chairman of our board of directors and our chief executive officer. He is a grandson of Agostino Rocca. He is also chairman of the board of directors of Tamsa, and vice president of Confab. He is also chairman of the board of directors of Ternium, director and vice president of San Faustin and director of Techint Financial Corporation N.V. Mr. Rocca is the vicechairman of the World Steel Association and member of the International Advisory Committee of the NYSE Euronext (New York Stock Exchange). Mr. Rocca is an Italian citizen.
- 7. **Jaime Serra Puche.** Mr. Serra Puche is a member of our board of directors. He is chairman of SAI Consultores, a Mexican consulting firm, and a member of the board of directors of Chiquita Brands International, the Mexico Fund, Grupo Vitro and Grupo Modelo. Mr. Serra Puche served as Mexico's Undersecretary of Revenue, Secretary of Trade and Industry, and Secretary of Finance. He led the negotiation and implementation of NAFTA. Mr. Serra Puche is a Mexican citizen.
- 8. **Alberto Valsecchi.** Mr. Valsecchi is a member of our board of directors. He served as our chief operating officer from February 2004 until July 2007. He joined the Techint group in 1968 and has held various positions within Tenaris and other Techint group companies. He has retired from his executive positions. He is also a member of the board of directors of San Faustin and has been elected as the chairman of the board of directors of Dalmine, a position he assumed in May 2008. Mr. Valsecchi is an Italian citizen.
- 9. **Amadeo Vázquez y Vázquez.** Mr. Vázquez y Vázquez is a member of our board of directors. He is an independent member of the board of directors of Gas Natural Ban S.A. He is a member of the executive committee of the Asociación Empresaria Argentina, and of the Fundación Mediterránea, and he is a member of the Advisory Board of the Fundación de Investigaciones Económicas Latinoamericanas. He served as CEO of the Banco Río de la Plata S.A. until August 1997 and was also the chairman of the board of directors of Telecom Argentina S.A. until April 2007. Mr. Vázquez y Vázquez is a Spanish and Argentine citizen.



10. Guillermo Vogel. Mr. Vogel is a member of our board of directors. He is vice chairman of Tamsa, chairman of Grupo Collado S.A.B. de C.V, vice chairman of Estilo y Vanidad S.A. de C.V. and member of the board of directors of Alfa S.A.B. de C.V., the American Iron and Steel Institute, the North American Steel Council and the North American Competitiveness Council. In addition, he is a member of the board of directors and of the investment committee of the Corporación Mexicana de Inversiones de Capital and a member of the board of directors and the audit committee of HSBC (México). Mr. Vogel is a Mexican citizen.

Each elected director will hold office until the next Annual General Meeting of Shareholders. Under the current Company's Articles of Association, such meeting is required to be held on June 2, 2010.

The Company's Board of Directors met nine times during 2008. On January 31, 2003, the Board of Directors created an Audit Committee pursuant to Article 11 of the Company's Articles of Association. As permitted under applicable laws and regulations, the Board of Directors does not have any executive, nominating or compensation committee, or any committees exercising similar functions.

6. Compensation of the members of the Board of Directors.

It is proposed that each of the members of the Board of Directors receive an amount of US\$ 70,000 as compensation for their services during the fiscal year 2009. It is further proposed that the members of the Board of Directors who are members of the Audit Committee receive an additional fee of US\$50,000 and that the Chairman of such Audit Committee receive, further, an additional fee of US\$10,000.

7. Appointment of the independent auditors for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2009 and approval of their fees.

Based on the recommendation from the Audit Committee, the Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers (acting, in connection with the Company's annual accounts and annual consolidated financial statements required under Luxembourg law, through PricewaterhouseCoopers S.àr.l., Réviseur d'entreprises, and, in connection with the Company's annual and interim consolidated financial statements required under the laws of any other relevant jurisdiction, through Pricewaterhouse & Co. S.R.L.) as the Company's independent auditors for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2009, to be engaged until the next Annual General Meeting of Shareholders that will be convened to decide on the 2009 accounts.

In addition, the Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR approval of the independent auditors' fees for audit, audit-related and other services to be rendered during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2009, broken-down into four currencies (Argentine Pesos, Euro, Mexican Pesos, and U.S. Dollars), up to a maximum amount for each currency equal to AR\$6,860,409, €491,221, MX\$4,204,640 and US\$1,446,582. Such fees would cover the audit of the Company's consolidated financial statements and annual accounts, the audit of the Company's internal controls over financial reporting as mandated by the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, other audit-related services, and other services rendered by the independent auditors. For information purposes, based on the exchange rate between the U.S. Dollar and each applicable other currency as of December 1, 2008, the aggregate amount of fees for audit, audit-related and other services to be rendered by the independent auditors during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2009, is equivalent to US\$4,403,368. The Board of Directors also recommends that its Audit Committee be authorised to approve any increase or reallocation of the independent auditors' fees as may be necessary, appropriate or desirable under the circumstances.



8. Authorisation to the Board of Directors and the board of directors or other governing bodies of the Company's subsidiaries to acquire Company shares.

It is recommended that an authorisation be granted to the Company and to the Company's subsidiaries to acquire, from time to time, shares of Common Stock, including shares of Common Stock represented by ADRs. Any such acquisition of shares of Common Stock must be made on the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The nominal value of the shares of Common Stock so acquired, together with shares of Common Stock previously acquired by the Company, the Company's wholly-owned subsidiaries or any other person acting on the Company's behalf, and not cancelled, shall not exceed 10 % of the Company's issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock or, in the case of acquisitions of shares of Common Stock made through a stock exchange in which the Company's shares or ADRs are traded, such lower amount as may not be exceeded pursuant to any applicable laws or regulations of such market.
- 2. The acquisitions of shares of Common Stock may be made in one or more transactions as the Board of Directors or the board of directors or other governing bodies of the relevant entity, as applicable, considers advisable. The number of shares of Common Stock acquired as a block may amount to the maximum permitted amount of purchases.
- 3. The purchase price per share to be paid in cash may not exceed 125% (excluding transaction costs and expenses), nor may it be lower than 75% (excluding transaction costs and expenses), in each case of the average of the closing prices of the Company's shares of Common Stock or ADRs in the stock exchange through which the Company's shares of Common Stock are acquired, during the five trading days in which transactions in the shares were recorded in such stock exchange preceding (but excluding) the day on which the Company's shares of Common Stock are purchased. For over-the-counter or off-market transactions, the purchase price per ADR to be paid in cash may not exceed 125% (excluding transaction costs and expenses), nor may it be lower than 75% (excluding transaction costs and expenses), in each case of the average of the closing prices of the Company's ADRs in the New York Stock Exchange during the five trading days in which transactions in ADRs were recorded in the New York Stock Exchange preceding (but excluding) the day on which the Company's ADRs are purchased; and, in the case of purchases of shares other than in the form of ADRs, such maximum and minimum purchase prices shall be calculated based on the number of underlying shares represented by such ADRs.
- 4. The above maximum and minimum purchase prices shall, in the event of a change in the par value of the shares of Common Stock, a capital increase by means of a capitalization of reserves, a distribution of shares of Common Stock under compensation or similar programs, a stock split or reverse stock split, a distribution of reserves or any other assets, the redemption of capital, or any other transaction impacting on the Company's equity be adapted automatically, so that the impact of any such transaction on the value of the shares of Common Stock shall be reflected.
- 5. The acquisitions of shares of Common Stock may not have the effect of reducing the Company's net assets below the sum of the Company's capital stock plus its undistributable reserves.
- 6. Only fully paid-up shares of Common Stock may be purchased pursuant to this authorisation.
- 7. The acquisitions of shares of Common Stock may be carried out for any purpose, as may be permitted under applicable laws and regulations, including without limitation to reduce the share capital of the Company, to offer such shares to third parties in the context of corporate mergers or acquisitions of other entities or participating interests therein, for distribution to the



Company's or the Company's subsidiaries' directors, officers or employees or to meet obligations arising from convertible debt instruments.

- 8. The acquisitions of shares of Common Stock may be carried out by any and all means, as may be permitted under applicable laws and regulations, including through any stock exchange in which the Company's shares or other securities representing shares are traded, through public offers to all shareholders of the Company to buy shares of Common Stock, through the use of derivative financial instruments or option strategies, or in over the counter or off-market transactions or in any other manner.
- 9. The acquisitions of shares of Common Stock may be carried out at any time, during the duration of the authorisation, including during a tender offer period, as may be permitted under applicable laws and regulations.
- 10. The authorisation granted to acquire shares of Common Stock shall be valid for such maximum period as may be provided for under applicable Luxembourg law as in effect from time to time (such maximum period being, as of to date, 18 months).
- 11. The acquisitions of shares of Common Stock shall be made at such times and on such other terms and conditions as may be determined by the Board of Directors or the board of directors or other governing bodies of the relevant entity, provided that, any such purchase shall comply with Article 49-2 *et.seq.* of the Luxembourg Law of 10 August 1915 on commercial companies, as amended (or any successor law) and, in the case of acquisitions of shares of Common Stock made through a stock exchange in which the Company's shares or other securities representing shares are traded, with any applicable laws and regulations of such market.

It is recommended that the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders grant this authorization and further grant all powers to the Board of Directors and to the board of directors or other governing bodies of the Company's subsidiaries, in each case with powers to delegate in accordance with applicable laws, the Company's Articles of Association or the articles of association of other applicable organizational documents of the relevant Company's subsidiary, to decide on and implement this authorisation, to define, if necessary, the terms and procedures for carrying out any purchase of shares of Common Stock, and, in particular, to place any stock exchange orders, conclude any agreements, including for keeping registers of purchases and sales of shares of Common Stock, make any declarations to the applicable regulatory authorities, carry out all formalities and, generally, do all such other acts and things as may be necessary, appropriate or desirable under the circumstances. The Board of Directors is expressly authorized to delegate to its Chairman, with the latter having the option to sub-delegate to any other person(s), the performance of the actions entrusted to the Board of Directors, pursuant to, or in connection with, this authorisation.

9. Authorisation to the Board of Directors to cause the distribution of all shareholder communications, including its shareholder meeting and proxy materials and annual reports to shareholders, by such electronic means as is permitted by any applicable laws or regulations.

In order to expedite shareholder communications and ensure their timely delivery, the Board of Directors recommends that it be authorised to cause the distribution of all shareholder communications, including its shareholder meeting and proxy materials and annual reports to shareholders (either in the form of a separate annual report containing financial statements of the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries or in the form of an annual report on Form 20-F or similar document, as filed with the securities authorities or stock markets) by such electronic means as are permitted or required by any applicable laws or regulations (including any interpretations thereof), including, without limitation, by posting such communication on the Company's website,



or by sending electronic communications (emails) with attachment(s) in a widely used format or with a hyperlink to the applicable filing by the Company on the website of the above referred authorities or stock markets, or by any other existing or future electronic means of communication as is or may be permitted by any applicable laws or regulations.

In this resolution the Company seeks authorisation under Article 16 of the Luxembourg Transparency Law of 11 January 2008 to give, send or supply information (including any notice or other document) that is required or authorised to be given, sent or supplied to a shareholder by the Company whether required under the Company's Articles of Association or by any applicable law or any other rules or regulations to which the Company may be subject, by making such information (including any notice or other document) available on the Company's website or through other electronic means.

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The Company anticipates that the next Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held on June 2, 2010. Any holder of shares who intends to present a proposal to be considered at the next Annual General Meeting of Shareholders is requested to submit its proposal in writing to the Company at any of the offices indicated in the Notice not later than 4:00 P.M. (local time) on March 31, 2010, or in accordance with the procedures set forth under applicable Luxembourg law, in order for such proposal to be considered for inclusion on the agenda for the 2010 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

PricewaterhouseCoopers are the Company's independent auditors. A representative of the independent auditors will be present at the meeting to respond to questions.

Cecilia Bilesio

Secretary to the Board of Directors