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**SUBJECT:** Announcement of Uniti's Norsok Qualification of Commercially Pure Titanium Plate and Sheet products.

Uniti Titanium is pleased to announce the qualification of commercially pure titanium plate and sheet products in accordance with Norsok M-650 standard requirements. This adds to our expanding list of titanium products already qualified to the Norsok standard as detailed below.

Product	Grade	Qualified Maximum Thickness	Uniti Manufacturing Facility
Bar and Billet	Titanium Grade 1 - 4	190 mm	VSMPO, Russia
Seamless Pipe	Titanium Grade 2	9.53 mm	VSMPO Titan Ukraine Ltd, Ukraine
Seamless Tube	Titanium Grade 2	2.64 mm	VSMPO Titan Ukraine Ltd, Ukraine
Bar and Billet	Titanium Grade 5	320 mm	VSMPO, Russia
Plate	Titanium Grade 2	76.2 mm	ATI Allegheny Ludlum, Washington, PA
Sheet	Titanium Grade 1	1.125 mm	ATI Allegheny Ludlum, Louisville, OH

The Norsok standards were developed by utilizing the vast experience of the Norwegian petroleum industry to ensure safety and cost effectiveness in oil and gas applications. The Norsok standards are based on internationally recognized standards with additional requirements found to be effective in the harsh environment of the North Sea.

Uniti Titanium's participation in the offshore oil and gas industry continues to grow as oil companies expand into harsher environments where the durability of titanium for critical systems is required. The structural efficiency (high strength/low density) offered by titanium in combination with the metals excellent corrosion resistance in seawater has made titanium the material of choice for difficult offshore applications. These include piping systems for fire safety water, heat exchangers for seawater cooled systems and components for desalination plants used offshore.

We are very pleased to receive the additional Norsok qualifications for titanium plate and sheet as we strive to be a key supplier of titanium products to the Norwegian petroleum industry. Copies of approved Qualification Test Records (QTR's) are available upon request.

Regards,

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