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AMERICAN CHEMISTRY COUNCIL APPROVES FOUR NEW MEMBERS

WASHINGTON (February 5, 2014) – The American Chemistry Council's (ACC) Board of Directors approved the addition of four new Regular members today. The board also accepted two new Responsible Care[®] Partner companies.

The newly approved Regular member companies include Aggrebind, Inc.; Kuraray America, Inc.; Nylon Corporation of America (NYCOA), and Quaker Chemical Corporation.

Aggrebind, Inc., of New Haven, Conn. manufactures styrene acrylic polymers. Kuraray America, Inc., located in Houston, Texas produces ethylene vinyl alcohol along with styrenic block copolymers. Nylon Corporation of America, headquartered in Manchester, N.H. and operating since 1957, is a manufacturer of nylon 6, and Quaker Chemical Corporation of Conshohocken, Pa., manufactures metal working fluids, cleaners, and specialty greases, along with other products.

In addition to the Regular member companies, ACC's Board of Directors also approved two new Responsible Care Partner companies:

- Integra Logistics Services (Integra)
- Southeastern Motor Freight / Triple G Express (Triple G)

"The growth of our diverse membership is essential to our continued success," said ACC President and CEO Cal Dooley. "As we enter 2014 and continue to advance meaningful reform of the Toxic Substances Control Act, these companies help us demonstrate the need for common-sense policies. As small and medium-sized companies, they are the growth engines of our economy, driving the innovations that help keep our country competitive in the global marketplace."

Learn more about ACC membership and the Responsible Care Partner program.

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The American Chemistry Council (ACC) represents the leading companies engaged in the business of chemistry. ACC members apply the science of chemistry to make innovative products and services that make people's lives better, healthier and safer. ACC is committed to improved environmental, health and safety performance through Responsible Care®, common sense advocacy designed to address major public policy issues, and health and environmental research and product testing. The business of chemistry is a \$770 billion enterprise and a key element of the nation's economy. It is the largest exporting sector in the U.S.,

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accounting for 12 percent of U.S. exports. Chemistry companies are among the largest investors in research and development. Safety and security have always been primary concerns of ACC members, and they have intensified their efforts, working closely with government agencies to improve security and to defend against any threat to the nation's critical infrastructure.

