

AIRGAS INC
Form POSASR
March 10, 2010

As Filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 10, 2010

Registration Statement No. 333-161774

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Post-Effective Amendment No. 2

TO

Form S-3

REGISTRATION STATEMENT

UNDER

THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

AIRGAS, INC.

And the Subsidiary Guarantors listed below

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation or Organization)

56-0732648
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)

259 North Radnor-Chester Rd.
Radnor, PA 19087-5283
(610) 687-5253

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrants principal executive offices)

Robert H. Young, Jr.

Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Airgas, Inc.

259 North Radnor-Chester Rd.
Radnor, PA 19087-5283
(610) 687-5253

(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

with copies to:

James J. Clark, Esq.

Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP

80 Pine Street

New York, NY 10005

(212) 701-3000

Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: From time to time after the effective date of this registration statement.

If the only securities being registered on this Form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box. "

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If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box.

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If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. "

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. "

If this Form is a registration statement pursuant to General Instruction I.D. or a post-effective amendment thereto that shall become effective upon filing with the Commission pursuant to Rule 462(e) under the Securities Act, check the following box. x

If this Form is a post-effective amendment to a registration statement filed pursuant to General Instruction I.D. filed to register additional securities or additional classes of securities pursuant to Rule 413(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box. "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer	x	Accelerated filer	"
Non-accelerated filer	"	Smaller reporting company	"

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Each Class of Securities to be Registered	Amount to be Registered (a)	Proposed Maximum Offering Price per Unit (a)	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price (a)	Amount of Registration Fee (c)
Debt Securities				
Guarantees of Debt Securities (b)				

- (a) An indeterminate aggregate initial offering price or number of the securities of each identified Debt Security is being registered as may from time to time be offered at indeterminate prices.
- (b) Pursuant to Rule 457(n), no additional registration fee is required with respect to the guarantees.
- (c) In accordance with Rules 456(b) and 457(r) under the Securities Act, the Registrant is deferring payment of all registration fees.

TABLE OF SUBSIDIARY GUARANTORS

All the following subsidiaries are wholly owned subsidiaries:

Name	State of Incorporation
Airgas Carbonic, Inc.	DE
Airgas Data, LLC	DE
Airgas-East, Inc.	DE
Airgas-Great Lakes, Inc.	DE
Airgas-Intermountain, Inc.	CO
Airgas Investments, Inc.	DE
Airgas Merchant Gases, LLC	DE
Airgas Merchant Holdings, Inc.	DE
Airgas-Mid America, Inc.	DE
Airgas-Mid South, Inc.	DE
Airgas-Nor Pac, Inc.	DE
Airgas-North Central, Inc.	DE
Airgas-Northern California & Nevada, Inc.	DE
Airgas-Refrigerants, Inc.	DE
Airgas Retail Services, LLC	DE
Airgas Safety, Inc.	DE
Airgas-South, Inc.	DE
Airgas-Southwest, Inc.	DE
Airgas Specialty Gases, Inc.	TX
Airgas Specialty Products, Inc.	DE
Airgas-West, Inc.	CA
Medical Gas Management, Inc.	DE
Missouri River Holdings, Inc.	KS
National Welders Supply Company, Inc.	NC
Nitrous Oxide Corp.	DE
Oilind Safety, Inc.	DE
Red-D-Arc, Inc.	NV
WorldWide Welding, LLC	DE

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 relates to the Registrants' Automatic Shelf Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-161774), filed by the Registrants on September 8, 2009 as amended by Post-Effective Amendment No. 1, filed by the Registrants on September 8, 2009 (the "Registration Statement"). The Registrants are filing this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 pursuant to Rule 462(e) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, solely to amend the cover page of the Registration Statement to replace the notice information with respect to Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP with notice information for Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP. Since this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 does not amend any other portion of the Registration Statement, the balance of the Registration Statement is omitted from this filing.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, Airgas, Inc. certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the city of Radnor, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on March 10, 2010.

AIRGAS, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ PETER McCAUSLAND *	Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer
Peter McCausland	(Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ ROBERT M. McLAUGHLIN *	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
Robert M. McLaughlin	(Principal Financial Officer)
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Vice President and Controller
Thomas M. Smyth	(Principal Accounting Officer)
/s/ MICHAEL L. MOLININI *	Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer
Michael L. Molinini	
/s/ W. THACHER BROWN *	Director
W. Thacher Brown	
/s/ JAMES W. HOVEY *	Director
James W. Hovey	
/s/ RICHARD C. ILL *	Director
Richard C. Ill	
/s/ PAULA A. SNEED *	Director
Paula A. Sneed	
/s/ DAVID M. STOUT *	Director
David M. Stout	
/s/ LEE M. THOMAS *	Director
Lee M. Thomas	
/s/ JOHN C. VAN RODEN, JR. *	Director
John C. van Roden, Jr.	
/s/ ELLEN C. WOLF *	Director
Ellen C. Wolf	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,

as attorney-in-fact

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AIRGAS CARBONIC, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ PETER McCAUSLAND *	Director
Peter McCausland	
/s/ PHIL FILER *	Director (Principle Executive Officer)
Phil Filer	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ CHUCK TOOMEY *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Chuck Toomey	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,
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AIRGAS DATA, LLC

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ CAREY VERGER *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Carey Verger	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)
Thomas M. Smyth	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,
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AIRGAS-EAST, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities indicated and on March 10, 2010.

Signature	Title
/s/ FRED MANLEY *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Fred Manley	
/s/ B. SHAUN POWERS *	Director
B. Shaun Powers	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ DAVE BROWN *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Dave Brown	

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AIRGAS-GREAT LAKES, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ KEVIN MCBRIDE * Kevin McBride	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ B. SHAUN POWERS * B. Shaun Powers	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ PAM CLAYPOOL * Pam Claypool	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,

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AIRGAS-INTERMOUNTAIN, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ DOUG JONES * Doug Jones	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ MAX D. HOOPER * Max D. Hooper	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ JIM JOHNSTON * Jim Johnston	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS INVESTMENTS, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ LESLIE J. GRAFF *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Leslie J. Graff	
/s/ ROBERT M. McLAUGHLIN *	Director (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)
Robert M. McLaughlin	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,
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AIRGAS MERCHANT GASES, LLC

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ TOM THOMAN *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Tom Thoman	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ CHRIS PLITNICK *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Chris Plitnick	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS MERCHANT HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ TOM THOMAN *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Tom Thoman	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)
Thomas M. Smyth	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,
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AIRGAS-MID AMERICA, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ BOB HILLIARD *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Bob Hilliard	
/s/ B. SHAUN POWERS *	Director
B. Shaun Powers	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ LEE CHERRY *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Lee Cherry	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,
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AIRGAS-MID SOUTH, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ TERRY LODGE *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Terry Lodge	
/s/ MAX D. HOOPER *	Director
Max D. Hooper	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ PAUL FITZGERALD *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Paul Fitzgerald	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS-NOR PAC, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ EDWARD A. RICHARDS Edward A. Richards	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ MAX D. HOOPER * Max D. Hooper	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ WILLIAM M. PILAND William M. Piland	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS-NORTH CENTRAL, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ PAM SWANSON Pam Swanson	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ B. SHAUN POWERS * B. Shaun Powers	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ MIKE ALLISON * Mike Allison	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,

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AIRGAS-NORTHERN CALIFORNIA & NEVADA, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities indicated and on March 10, 2010.

Signature	Title
/s/ MIKE CHANDLER *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Mike Chandler	
/s/ MAX D. HOOPER *	Director
Max D. Hooper	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ CELINE KEARNEY *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)
Celine Kearney	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS-REFRIGERANTS, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ CHUCK BROADUS *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Chuck Broadus	
/s/ ANDY CICHOCKI *	Director
Andy Cichocki	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ EMMANUEL DUPREE *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Emmanuel Dupree	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS RETAIL SERVICES, LLC

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ KELLY JUSTICE *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Kelly Justice	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ ROGER GEIB	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Roger Geib	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS SAFETY, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ DONALD S. CARLINO *	Principal Executive Officer
Donald S. Carlino	
/s/ MIKE MOLININI *	Director
Mike Molinini	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ DENNIS JOHNSON *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Dennis Johnson	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS-SOUTH, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ JAY SULLIVAN * Jay Sullivan	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ B. SHAUN POWERS * B. Shaun Powers	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ BRETT COHEN * Brett Cohen	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
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AIRGAS-SOUTHWEST, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ BRENT SPARKS * Brent Sparks	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ MAX D. HOOPER * Max D. Hooper	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ MONICA DELAGARZA * Monica DeLaGarza	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,

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AIRGAS SPECIALTY GASES, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities indicated and on March 10, 2010.

Signature	Title
/s/ WILLIAM RUSSO *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
William Russo	
/s/ JIM MULLER *	Director
Jim Muller	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ RICHARD MARTIN *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Richard Martin	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,
as attorney-in-fact

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AIRGAS SPECIALTY PRODUCTS, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ TED SCHULTE *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Ted Schulte	
/s/ ANDY CICHOCKI *	Director
Andy Cichocki	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ RUSS LEE *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Russ Lee	

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Robert H. Young, Jr.,
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AIRGAS-WEST, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ SAM THOMPSON *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Sam Thompson	
/s/ MAX D. HOOPER *	Director
Max D. Hooper	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ TODD CURRY *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Todd Curry	

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Robert H. Young, Jr.,
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MEDICAL GAS MANAGEMENT, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ JOHN HOLMWOOD *	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
John Holmwood	
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH *	Director
Thomas M. Smyth	
/s/ PAUL PLESSE *	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
Paul Plesse	

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,
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MISSOURI RIVER HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ MAX D. HOOPER * Max D. Hooper	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ ROBERT M. McLAUGHLIN * Robert M. McLaughlin	Director (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,

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NATIONAL WELDERS SUPPLY COMPANY, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ STEVE MARINELLI * Steve Marinelli	Principal Executive Officer
/s/ ANDY CICHOCKI * Andy Cichocki	Director
/s/ PETER MCC AUSLAND * Peter McCausland	Director
/s/ ALAN DEMART * Alan DeMart	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
/s/ ROBERT McLAUGHLIN * Robert McLaughlin	Director

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Robert H. Young, Jr.,

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NITROUS OXIDE CORP.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ MARTIN TUPMAN* Martin Tupman	Principal Executive Officer
/s/ ANDREW R. CICHOCKI * Andrew R. Cichocki	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ RUSS LEE * Russ Lee	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,

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OILIND SAFETY, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ HENRY B. COKER III * Henry B. Coker III	Principal Executive Officer
/s/ JACK APPOLONIA * Jack Appolonia	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ WENDY SCHUKNECHT * Wendy Schuknecht	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,

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RED-D-ARC, INC.

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ MICHEL IMIELINSKI * Michel Imielinski	Director (Principal Executive Officer)
/s/ JACK APPOLONIA * Jack Appolonia	Director
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director
/s/ STEVE DARROCH * Steve Darroch	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer

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WORLDWIDE WELDING, LLC

By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Name: **Robert H. Young, Jr.**
Title: **Senior Vice President General Counsel**

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Signature	Title
/s/ DONALD S. CARLINO * Donald S. Carlino	Principal Executive Officer
/s/ MIKE MOLININI * Mike Molinini	Director
/s/ DENNIS JOHNSON * Dennis Johnson	Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer
/s/ THOMAS M. SMYTH * Thomas M. Smyth	Director

* By: /s/ ROBERT H. YOUNG, JR
Robert H. Young, Jr.,

as attorney-in-fact