



COLORADO'S SENATOR BENNET AND CONGRESSMAN TIPTON NAMED "STEEL CHAMPIONS" BY EVRAZ AND AISI

Pueblo, Colo. [August 26, 2015] – EVRAZ North America presented Senator Michael Bennet (D-CO) and Congressman Scott Tipton (R-CO) with American Iron and Steel Institute's (AISI) 2015 Congressional Steel Champion Awards this week. The awards recognize Bennet and Tipton's dedication and support of the American steel industry and its workers, including support of legislation to improve the effectiveness of trade laws and promote more fair competition for the American steel industry.

"American steel companies are currently challenged by the flood of unfairly traded and subsidized imports," said EVRAZ North America President and CEO Conrad Winkler. "We greatly appreciate the efforts of Senator Bennet and Representative Tipton to strengthen our antidumping and countervailing duty laws. They understand how critical effective trade legislation is to our business and the more than 1,200 steelworkers we employ here in Colorado." Winkler is on the AISI Board of Directors.

"The American steel industry is one of the most important pillars of our economy, and it deserves our strong support," said Bennet. "Our office will continue to stand up for steel, which is so critical to the economy in the Pueblo region, and to the hundreds of steelworkers who live, work and raise their families in Colorado."

"I'm proud that EVRAZ Rocky Mountain Steel, and the men and women who work there, call the Third Congressional District home," Tipton said on a visit to the company's Pueblo facility. "I'm standing with our steel industry not only for free trade, but for fair trade. We know that if there's a level playing field, American steel can compete and win anywhere, anytime."

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About EVRAZ

EVRAZ North America (the "Company") is a wholly owned subsidiary of EVRAZ plc, one of the largest vertically integrated steel and mining businesses in the world. The Company is a leading North American producer of engineered steel products for rail, energy and industrial end markets. The Company has six production sites located in the USA (Portland, Oregon; Pueblo, Colorado) and Canada (Regina, Saskatchewan; Calgary, Camrose and Red Deer, Alberta).

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About AISI

AISI serves as the voice of the North American steel industry in the public policy arena and advances the case for steel in the marketplace as the preferred material of choice. AISI also plays a lead role in the development and application of new steels and steelmaking technology. AISI is comprised of 19 member companies, including integrated and electric furnace steelmakers, and approximately 125 associate members who are suppliers to or customers of the steel industry. For more news about steel and its applications, view AISI's website at www.steel.org.

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