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TMS Foundation Grant to Fund Project with Engineers Without Borders-USA

TMS is building on its core mission to invest in knowledge, people, products, and infrastructure that positively impact societal quality of life by approving a grant for a collaborative project with Engineers Without Borders-USA (EWB-USA). A grant from the TMS Foundation will subsidize a soon-to-be determined project that centers on using materials science and engineering principles as applied to sustainable development.

The venture will be carried out by a student project team consisting of at least two Material Advantage student members.

“This grant supports our expanded Foundation mission and our approach to work with capable partners in execution,” said Ray D. Peterson, TMS President. “We hope that our collaboration with Engineers Without Borders-USA



will be the first of many projects in the future.”

EWB-USA is a non-profit humanitarian organization established to partner with developing communities worldwide in order to improve their quality of life. This partnership involves the implementation of sustainable engineering projects, while involving and training internationally responsible engineers and engineering students.

“Engineers Without Borders-USA is thrilled to have the support of TMS,” said Cathy Leslie, executive director of EWB-USA. “The money provided for grants will support EWB-USA projects and developing communities around the world.”

The selected project will be announced at the Materials Science & Technology (MS&T) 2009 Conference & Exhibition that will be held October 25–29 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The students participating in the project will be invited to present a report at the TMS 2010 Annual Meeting & Exhibition on February 14–18 in Seattle, Washington.

For more information on EWB-USA, visit www.ewb-usa.org/. Information on the TMS Foundation can be found at www.tms.org/Foundation/Foundation.html.

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