

Press Release

Hollingsworth & Vose Trading Company (India) Private Limited Announces Formation of Warehousing Capability

East Walpole, MA November 10th, 2011: H&V is pleased to announce the formation of its warehouse operation in India under the name Hollingsworth & Vose Trading Company (India) Private Limited. Commenting on the new operation, H&V's Vice President, International, David von Loesecke said "The new trading company, along with the previously announced joint venture with the Nath Group, is a significant milestone in establishing our physical presence in India and growing our business in the surrounding region."

The warehousing operation will allow H&V to offer customers one week lead times on products sold to them in India instead of the more typical 4-6 week lead times for products purchased directly by customers from our mills outside India.

H&V's sales team in India will be contacting customers individually to discuss the new service.

Established in 1843, Hollingsworth & Vose Company is a global leader in the supply of technically advanced engine, high efficiency and liquid filtration media, battery separator materials and industrial nonwovens. The company operates manufacturing sites and research centers in the Americas, Europe and Asia.