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CHANGES ANNOUNCED FOR TOTAL MAINTENANCE CENTER AND ALABAMA ELECTRIC MOTOR SERVICES

This morning, Wes Oberholzer, Executive Vice President and COO of Wise Metals Group, announced two management changes, affecting Alabama Electric Motor Services (AEMS) and Total Maintenance Center (TMC). Chip Flournoy will assume complete responsibility for AEMS, and TMC will be headed by Randy Ray.

“With the addition of a facility in Mobile, AEMS has become an entity that needs the attention of its own President,” said Oberholzer. “Because of this we have decided to split management of the two, instead of having them both report to the same person.”

Chip Flournoy, who started his career at Reynolds in 1978, has worked his way from Maintenance Engineer to Director of Information Technology, Director of Engineering and Environmental, and then to President of both Total Maintenance Center and AEMS. Randy Ray joins Wise from Alcoa, where he most recently served as Engineering, Maintenance Manager at Alcoa's facility in Wenatchee, Washington. “Randy comes to us with experience that closely parallels the work we do at TMC,” said Oberholzer, “and during his career at Alcoa he has worked at their facilities in Tennessee, Maryland and Pennsylvania. He has experience in maintenance and engineering support, which makes him a ideal fit.” Randy and his family will relocate to the Shoals as a part of the relocation of corporate headquarters.

The management changes will take effect September 7.