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Carlisle Construction Materials to Add Fifth TPO Line

(Carlisle, Pa.) – June 4, 2013- Carlisle Construction Materials (CCM) is pleased to announce plans to establish a thermoplastic polyolefin (TPO) membrane manufacturing operation at its Carlisle, Pa. campus. The newest and most technologically advanced manufacturing equipment will allow this new line to produce a variety of sizes and thicknesses of CCM's Carlisle SynTec-branded, industry-leading TPO roofing membranes. The Carlisle, Pa. operation, scheduled to be completed in the fourth quarter of 2014, will be CCM's fifth TPO manufacturing line, and is expected to increase its TPO manufacturing capacity by approximately 25 percent per year. In addition, the new line will create an estimated 30 new jobs in 2014, with the potential for additional jobs in years to come.

"CCM's 50+ years of single-ply membrane manufacturing experience and expertise will be invaluable in getting its newest TPO line up and running. The Carlisle, Pa. TPO line will offer enhanced service and increased product availability, particularly to customers in the Eastern United States," stated Nick Shears, Carlisle Construction Materials' Vice President of Sales and Marketing. "The tremendous growth of the TPO market is not a passing trend, and the construction of a fifth TPO line demonstrates CCM's intention to remain the TPO industry leader," continued Shears.

CCM is the leading supplier of TPO membrane, having manufactured and sold more than four billion square feet since it first began production in the late 1990s. Its TPO membranes offer an industry-leading, state-of-the-art weathering package, and its tan and white membranes are ENERGY STAR®-qualified. In addition, the high reflectivity of CCM's TPO membrane can help reduce cooling costs, which is particularly beneficial in warm, southern climates.

About Carlisle SynTec: Carlisle SynTec Systems, headquartered in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, has been manufacturing single-ply membrane roofing systems for half a century. Carlisle SynTec Systems is a business segment of Carlisle Construction Materials and has manufacturing facilities in Carlisle, Pa.; Greenville, Ill.; Senatobia, Miss.; and Tooele, Utah. For more information, call 800-479-6832 or visit www.carlisesyntec.com.

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