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East Pipes Integrated Company for Industry Announces Successful Completion and Operational Launch of New Helical Submerged Arc Welded (HSAW) Steel Pipe Production Line in Dammam

East Pipes Integrated Company for Industry (“East Pipes” or the “Company”), listed on the Saudi Exchange under ticker 1321), Saudi Arabia’s leading manufacturer of **Helical Submerged Arc Welded (“HSAW”) steel pipes**, today announced the **successful completion of the construction and installation** of its new **HSAW steel pipe production line** at the Company’s plant in the **Second Industrial City in Dammam**.

This development marks an **important milestone in East Pipes’ broader strategic vision** to reinforce its manufacturing leadership, expand its production footprint, and deliver sustained long-term value to its shareholders. The investment forms part of the **Company’s capacity expansion strategy** aimed at meeting **growing demand for steel pipe solutions** across Saudi Arabia’s critical infrastructure sectors, including water transmission, oil and gas, and large-scale industrial applications.

Construction and installation have now been completed, and **operations have formally commenced** in line with the approved operational plan and targeted timelines. The new line further **enhances East Pipes’ manufacturing capabilities** and enables the Company to serve a broader range of clients and project requirements with greater flexibility, efficiency, and scale.

The project **adds approximately 100,000 metric tons of incremental annual capacity**, increasing East Pipes’ total nominal production capacity from 400,000 metric tons to **approximately 500,000 metric tons**, with the potential to reach **up to 600,000 metric tons** depending on project specifications. The expanded capacity is also expected to support **improved operational efficiency and asset utilization**, supported by the Company’s fully integrated business model.

As the Kingdom continues to advance its economic transformation priorities, East Pipes remains well positioned to contribute to **Saudi Arabia’s infrastructure ambitions**. This expansion reflects the Company’s continued focus on **disciplined execution and long-term growth**, while reinforcing East Pipes’ role within the Kingdom’s industrial landscape.

“The successful commissioning of our new HSAW production line marks a significant milestone for East Pipes and reflects the Company’s strong execution and disciplined expansion plans. The new line is expected to begin contributing to revenue and profitability from the fourth quarter of the current fiscal year. This expansion highlights our confidence in the Company’s growth outlook and sustained demand across its core markets, while reaffirming our commitment to long term sustainable growth.”

Dr. Mohammed Darweesh
Chief Executive Officer *Interim*



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About East Pipes

Established in 2010, East Pipes Integrated Company for Industry (East Pipes) is one of the leading manufacturers of Helical Spiral Arc Welded (HSAW) pipes in Saudi Arabia, which are used in critical infrastructure sectors, predominantly water and oil & gas applications. Thanks to its state-of-the-art manufacturing capabilities and fully integrated business model, which includes a double joining plant and coating mill, the Company is capable of producing more than 500,000 metric tons of spiral pipes per annum, making it one of the largest integrated manufacturers of spiral pipes in the region.

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