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NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release

CleanSafe™ 585 Aqueous Cleaner For Medical Device Manufacturing

Gurnee, IL – Petroferm Cleaning Products Division has recently developed CleanSafe 585, a best-in-class aqueous cleaning agent designed for use in immersion ultrasonic cleaning equipment. CleanSafe 585 effectively removes buffing and polishing compounds, metalworking fluids and particulate from orthopaedic products, cardiovascular devices, and surgical tools and instrumentation. In a recent demonstration, **CleanSafe 585 effectively removed hard-to-clean MMPCO V-V376 and V376 GREY STAR buffing compounds.** CleanSafe 585 is safe for use on many alloys, polymers and elastomers used in medical device manufacturing including stainless steel, titanium, cobalt-chrome, Nitinol, PEEK, UHMW-PE and ceramics. CleanSafe 585 has the environmental advantages of being VOC-free, phosphate-free and NPE and APE-free.

About Petroferm Cleaning Products

Petroferm Cleaning Products, a division of Petroferm Inc., develops, manufactures, and markets environmentally responsible cleaning agents to meet the increasing demands of today's industrial manufacturing operations. Sold under the AXAREL®, BIOACT®, CleanSafe™, HYDREX®, LENIUM®, RE-ENTRY® and SOLVAG™ trade names, Petroferm products are used to clean precision parts during production, ranging from simple hand wipe applications to

sophisticated multi-stage cleaning systems. Petroferm's portfolio includes innovative formulations for all major cleaning process technologies including aqueous, co-solvent, non-aqueous, semi-aqueous, and vapor degreasing. Our major markets are Aerospace, Defense, Electronics, and Medical Device manufacturing as well as other high tech industries. As a global leader in precision cleaning, Petroferm's cleaning agents are readily available throughout the Americas, Europe and Asia/Pacific regions. For more information, visit www.petroferm.com.