



"THE METAL CASTING MARKETPLACE OF THE FUTURE"

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buyCASTINGS Inc. Brings Energy Savings to its Member Companies

Dayton, Ohio, (May 8, 2001) -- buyCASTINGS Inc., an Ohio based Business Services and Manufacturing Outsourcing Company, has negotiated volume discounts with a major, independent energy broker. The idea is not only to help businesses cut energy costs but also to help them cut through the deregulation maze. This partnership will help buyCASTINGS' member companies get direct access to energy experts that can help them with administration of their energy needs and understanding of costs throughout the energy transaction chain. "Most importantly, this will allow our participating companies to get ultra-competitive quotes for electricity and natural gas" according to Neil Chaudhry, VP Business Development at buyCASTINGS.

Please contact Mr. Neil Chaudhry at nchaudhry@buyCASTINGS.com or call 1-866-buyCASTINGS to learn more about the energy and other volume discounts as well as buyCASTINGS membership programs.

buyCASTINGS is an independent business-to-business (B2B) e-marketplace where, buyers/designers, foundries, and suppliers to the metal casting industry come together as a community to take advantage of the efficiencies of e-Commerce. buyCASTINGS facilitates business-to-business e-commerce for the metal casting industry.

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