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Solar grade silicon produced from metallurgic silicon: Solarvalue AG presents process at Photovoltaic Technology Show 2007

Solarvalue AG will be present with its own stand (No. 3 C 1 in hall 3) at the Munich Photovoltaic Technology Show 2007 on 4th and 5th April 2007. Solarvalue is planning to start producing highly pure solar grade silicon from metallurgic silicon as early as 2007. The production site will be a part of the TDR factory in Ruse, Slovenia, which used to produce calcium carbide and is currently being adapted for silicon production.

“We are in the middle of an exciting phase and would like to make contact with solar cell producers and interesting companies working in all segments of the photovoltaic industry at the Photovoltaic Technology Show 2007”, says Claudia Boehringer, CEO of Solarvalue AG. John Mott, the CEO of Solarvalue’s 100% subsidiary, Proizvodnja d.d., which is going to operate the Ruse site, will be available at the stand in Munich to answer questions concerning the production process and the progress of the retrofitting work.

Solarvalue AG was established in June 2005 by Dr. Karoly Horvath. The initial purpose of the company is the manufacture of solar grade silicon. The long-term goal is the development of the entire value chain of an integrated PV enterprise.

For additional information, please refer to our new website at www.solarvalue.com.

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Tapping of the arc furnace at the TDR factory in Ruse, Slovenia. Solarvalue AG will be using this type of furnace for the production of solar grade silicon.

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