

Keystone Capital, Inc. Acquires Craft Cast Company

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Keystone Capital, Inc. (“Keystone”) is pleased to announce that it has acquired Craft Cast Company (“Craft Cast”), a specialty full-service investment castings manufacturer serving the mining, consumer product, and niche industrial markets.

The Craft Cast acquisition represents the third acquisition for Keystone Capital during 2008, and was completed during a time when the broader financial markets are experiencing significant turmoil. “The acquisition of Craft Cast demonstrates Keystone Capital’s ability to close complex transactions with a high degree of certainty and speed to closing - especially given the broader economic and financial market environment,” said Scott Gwilliam, Managing Director of Keystone Capital.

Craft Cast is a full service provider of castings in ferrous and non-ferrous metals and alloys, including stainless steel, brass, bronze, aluminum, and others. The Company also offers complete engineering support, as well as machining, assembly and finishing services.

This full range of capabilities allows Craft Cast to serve as a one-stop shop that produces a finished part for its diverse set of customers. Craft Cast is headquartered in Jackson, Wisconsin and is led by President and CEO Alexander (Al) Scargall, an industry veteran previously with General Motors and Brillion Iron Works.

Terms of the transaction were not disclosed. Keystone Capital and Craft Cast are committed to the future growth of the Company, and are interested in discussing opportunities to acquire other casting manufacturers (investment casting and other), niche machining service providers, and other manufacturers of precision metal components supplied to world class OEMs in any industry.

ABOUT KEYSTONE CAPITAL, INC.

Keystone Capital, Inc. is a private investment firm based in Deerfield, Illinois. Formed in 1994, its mission is to acquire and build a portfolio of exceptionally high quality, mid-sized businesses that are leaders in their niche markets. Keystone is differentiated by its investment timeline of 10+ years and its willingness to enter into true operating partnerships with the professional management teams of the companies it acquires.