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Tudertecnica to co-organize Hose Manufacturers Conference with *Rubber & Plastics News*

Cranbury, NJ — Italy-based hose manufacturer Tubigomma Deregibus S.R.L., a.k.a. Tudertecnica, has agreed to join *Rubber & Plastics News* in organizing the 2013 Hose Manufacturers Conference.

The event, which includes technical presentations and a table-top exhibit, will take place August 27th- 28th, 2013 at the Hilton in Akron, Ohio.

Guy Renshaw, Vice President, Industrial, for CRP Industries, based in Cranbury, NJ, and the exclusive North American distribution partner for Tudertecnica, will serve as the conference's chairman, developing the program's content and securing speakers. He said he sees the conference as a tremendous opportunity for the hose industry to come together to learn and to discuss trends and issues affecting hose manufacturing.

Renshaw has begun soliciting papers and presentations. Anyone interested in presenting a paper should go to the conference website at conferences.rubbernews.com/2013/hose-manufacturers and click on the "present a paper link," to submit their topic.

"Tudertecnica is extremely pleased to co-organize the 2013 Hose Manufacturers Conference with *Rubber & Plastics News*," said Andrea Deregibus, CEO and co-owner of Tubigomma Deregibus. "Our participation in this well-respected event further emphasizes Tudertecnica's commitment to expand our products and services into the North American market. We look forward to this conference."

The Hose Manufacturers Conference is a comprehensive technical event designed for senior managers, manufacturing engineers, plant managers and supervisors, R&D compounders and quality assurance supervisors involved in all aspects of producing rubber hose.

“We are excited to have Tudertechnica as our partner,” said David Zielasko, publisher of *Rubber & Plastics News*. “Tudertechnica is one of Europe’s leading manufacturers of high-quality rigid mandrel hose for specialty industries applications. Working together we aim to offer a conference of high value with technical information that will benefit delegates in running their operations more effectively, efficiently and profitably.”

Registration fee for the conference is \$350 and includes a CD of all the technical papers presented. In addition, delegates will receive lunch and an opening night cocktail reception. The registration fee for suppliers to the hose industry is \$750.

To register or learn more about the conference, go to www.rubbernews.com and click on the events icon.

For exhibit and sponsorship information, contact: Brent Weaver, *Rubber & Plastics News* Sales Manager, at (330) 865-6119; email: bweaver@crain.com

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CRP Industrial is a division of CRP Industries Inc., one of NAFTA’s largest suppliers of specific industrial accessories and applications, and has been a proven partner to the North American industrial hose market for more than 20 years, specializing in custom orders for high-pressure thermoplastic hose. The group consists of four diverse specialty product groups: Tudertechnica rigid mandrel hose, ContiTech industrial belts, Perske electric motors, and Reinflex high-pressure thermoplastic hoses. With the support of warehouses in the USA and Canada, CRP can fabricate and ship an order in as little as 24 hours.

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