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Dr. Yakov Epshteyn

PHOENIX, AZ, January 28-30, 2010 - Climax Molybdenum Chief Lubrication Engineer, Dr. Yakov Epshteyn, will be presenting a technical paper titled: "Molybdenum Disulfide in Lubricant Applications – A Review" at the National Lubricating Grease Institute (NLGI) India Chapter's 12th Lubricating Grease Conference which will be held from January 28 – 30, 2010 in Goa, India. The theme for this conference is "Lubricating Greases - Challenges Ahead."

Dr. Epshteyn's presentation will review the properties of MoS₂ including physical and chemical properties, electrical properties, effects of temperature and oxidation as well as application areas such as greases, fluid lubricants, and solid film (dry) lubricants where molybdenum disulfide is widely implemented.

About Dr. Yakov Epshteyn

Dr. Epshteyn's professional experience spans more than 20 years including the past two with Climax Molybdenum. He holds Ph.D. in Tribology and M.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering and has published several technical papers and received patents related to tribology, lubrication and other related areas.

About the NLGI

The main objective of this society is to provide a platform for individuals working in a grease industry related endeavor such as: engineers, scientists, manufacturers, users of lubricating grease and gear oils and those involved in supplying raw materials, equipment and services. Presently, NLGI has held activities in over 50 countries and has more than 400 corporate members.