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TOCUMEN AIRPORT EXPANSION UTILIZES DAYTON SUPERIOR COUPLERS

DAYTON, Ohio, March 25, 2014 – Dayton Superior has recently been selected by Brazilian contractor, Odebrecht, to supply D310 and D330 Taper-Lock couplers for the Tocumen International Airport expansion project.

Located 15 miles east of Panama City, Panama's Tocumen International Airport is among the largest and busiest passenger traffic airports in Central America. Currently, it is also among Central America's busiest airports for construction. The airport is implementing an expansion project that includes a new 50,000 square meter passenger terminal, a new control tower, four direct airport access lanes and added parking. Odebrecht is serving as the design and construction contractor for the project.

The Dayton Superior D310 Taper-Lock couplers are being used to join bar-to-bar connections of #11 bars, where bars can be rotated. The D310 couplers were selected by Odebrecht because they simplify rebar splicing in areas where rebar congestion can prevent the use of long lap splices. Engagement of the bar within the coupler is simplified by the taper thread, thus aiding in alignment. Odebrecht also selected Dayton Superior's D330 Taper-Lock couplers for their ability to join two bars of the same size in applications where neither bar can be rotated. Both the D310 and D330 couplers provide Type 2 splicing capacities. The couplers are being supplied to the project through Dayton Superior's Panama facility, located just west of the airport.

"Dayton Superior is proud to be working with Odebrecht on this important project in Panama," said Rick Wilson, Dayton Superior's Regional Vice President for Latin America. "Dayton Superior has been involved in airport expansion projects throughout the world. This expansion in Panama will serve to further enhance Tocumen International Airport's presence as the hub of Latin American air travel."

The Tocumen Airport expansion project represents an investment of approximately \$680 million U.S.

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