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SELF-SHIELDED T-8 ELECTRODE FOR CRITICAL STRUCTURES

Fort Loramie, OH –Select-Arc, Inc. has introduced a carbon steel, flux cored, self-shielded T-8 electrode (E71T-8-H8) intended for the all position welding of carbon and certain low alloy steels where good weld metal toughness is required.

Select 78 is designed to provide superior arc stability and low spatter emission, enabling high deposition rates whether in-position or out-ofposition. As opposed to other T-8 products, this electrode has a broad operating window that allows both experienced and apprentice welders to operate with ease. It operates on straight polarity (DCEN) and produces exceptional bead shape with an easily removed slag.

Select 78 possesses the following approvals:

- Canadian Welding Bureau (CWB) E491T-8-H8
- American Bureau of Shipping (ABS) 3YSA H10
- Det Norske Veritas (DNV) III YMS H10
- AWS D1.8 (Seismic Supplement) for all diameters

Available in 1/16", .072" and 5/64" diameters, **Select 78** is utilized in structural steel erection, ship and barge construction and bridge fabrication.

For more information on the new **Select 78**, contact Select-Arc at **1-800-341-5215** or visit our website at <u>www.select-arc.com</u>.