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**NSL Analytical Acquires Central Testing Laboratories**  
*Purchase Enhances NSL's Mechanical Testing Capabilities*

**Cleveland, OH—January 6, 2009** —NSL Analytical Services Inc., Cleveland, OH, announced that it has entered an agreement to acquire Central Testing Laboratories, also of Cleveland. Central Testing provides Metallurgical Engineering, Mechanical Testing and Analytical Chemistry Services. Terms of the transaction were not released.

The purchase of Central Testing allows NSL to expand its metallurgical testing capabilities to include tensile testing, Creep Analysis and additional physical testing, providing “one stop” services to its customers. Like NSL, Central Testing also has ISO/IEC17025 and Nadcap accreditations along with Pratt & Whitney, GE S-400 Rolls Royce, Snecma, GE Medical and many other certifications.

“This is an exciting step for NSL,” said Larry Somrack, President of NSL. “It gives us new resources for growth by expanding our offerings to our current client base. Many of our customers already require tensile testing and prefer to send their Physical and Chemical testing to one laboratory. That will now be possible. We have worked with Central Testing for a number of years and their culture of quality and excellent customer service is similar to ours.”

**About NSL Analytical Services, Inc.**

NSL is an independent commercial testing laboratory specializing in inorganic elemental Chemical analysis, Metallurgical, Physical and Microscopy evaluations, Polymer testing and Materials Characterization materials testing. For over 60 years, NSL has helped customers achieve the highest standards of product quality from design to product launch by providing accurate, reliable and repeatable materials testing results. Information about NSL can be found at <http://www.nslanalytical.com>.

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