

Nyrstar: 2012 Annual and Extraordinary General Meeting

23rd March 2012

Nyrstar NV announces that its Annual and Extraordinary General Meeting will take place in Belgium, Brussels, at Diamant Building, A. Reyerslaan 80 on Wednesday 25 April 2012 at 10:30 CET.

Further details are available on the Nyrstar website:

<http://www.nyrstar.com/investors/en/shareholderinformation/Pages/Shareholder-Meetings.aspx>

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About Nyrstar

The partner of choice in essential resources for the development of a changing world. Nyrstar is a leading global multi-metals business, producing significant quantities of zinc and lead as well as other products (including silver, gold and copper). Nyrstar is listed on NYSE Euronext Brussels under the symbol NYR. For further information visit the Nyrstar website, www.nyrstar.com.

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