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## KELSO EXECUTIVES TO MEET WITH KEY CUSTOMERS & TARGET ACCOUNTS AT RAIL INDUSTRY MEETING

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2006 - VANCOUVER, BC, CANADA** – Kelso Technologies Inc. (TSXV:KLS), developer of the patented JS75 SRV pressure relief valve, announces that several high level meetings will take place at the Association of American Railroads Tank Car Committee (AAR) Meeting held in Kansas City, Mo. on October 11 & 12, 2006.

The AAR is the governing body located in the United States that oversees a variety of safety, functionality and regulatory matters throughout North America relating to the rail industry. Kelso received AAR certification for its patented JS75 SRV in 2004 and initiated the first sales of its highly regarded and innovative pressure relief in late 2005.

This premier industry event brings together corporate executives and technical/mechanical engineers in the rail transport construction, management and operation from around North America. Several major initiatives will be discussed with existing and potential new accounts at this meeting that will directly impact sales, production and ongoing development of Kelso's Pressure Relief Valve products.

The Kelso JS75 continues to maintain a growing interest among corporate leaders and engineers involved in both manufacturing and retrofitting of existing rolling stock. This interest is a direct result of the superior technological design and performance of the JS75 coupled with numerous safety and cost-saving features with a highly competitive pricing structure.

According to Kelso President & CEO John Carswell, *"Existing pressure relief valve technology in the 75 lb category used in the rail industry is outdated in our opinion. The basic design has been around for decades with no real improvements having been made to functionality. We have shown with this new and innovative valve that we can deliver a product that is generally safer, more reliable, easier to install and less costly to maintain than conventional internal pressure relief valves used on railroad tank cars today. And we can provide it at a cost that is extremely competitive with the old internal valves and substantially less in cost to external valves on the market today. This isn't speculation either; we prove it with every sale we make."*

*"And I am extremely proud to say that our customer base to date has included multi-billion dollar, international companies. Some of these companies have already placed second, third and fourth orders for Kelso valves. Over time, these additional sales will translate into significant revenue providing optimal growth to Kelso and increased shareholder value. Through both Kelso's participation at various rail industry events and customer word-of-mouth, other rail companies are now beginning to take notice of Kelso's unique valve. These new requests for information about our technology are expected to lead to even greater sales of our valves in the months and years ahead,"* he added.

### **ABOUT KELSO TECHNOLOGIES INC. ([www.kelsotech.com](http://www.kelsotech.com))**

Kelso Technologies Inc. is a public company which trades on the TSX Venture Exchange in Canada under the symbol KLS. Headquartered in Vancouver, BC, Kelso Technologies' mandate is to develop industrial technology including its JS SRV valve technology which is patent protected in many major countries around the world. Kelso Technologies (U.S.A.) Inc. is a wholly -owned subsidiary based in Los Angeles, California which markets and sells Kelso's products. Research & Development is based in Brantford, Ontario and Manufacturing is carried out under license in McKenzie, Tennessee.

Kelso's JS75 SRV is generally safer, more reliable, easier to install, and less costly to maintain than conventional internal pressure relief valves used on railroad tank cars today. Kelso's technology has the potential to capture a fast-growing share of the addressable worldwide market for safety devices which, over five years, is estimated to total \$3.2 billion. Potentially, the market for Kelso includes not only the rail industry but also the trucking, petroleum, petrochemical storage, pipeline and marine and air transportation industries. Sales are underway in the North America rail sector.

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