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## **Redi-Mix Announces Certification for Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) for Concrete in the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex**

### **U.S. Concrete Continues Its Commitment to Environmental Protection**

EULESS, Texas, June 18, 2014 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Redi-Mix, LLC, a business unit of U.S. Concrete, Inc. (Nasdaq:USCR), today announced that it was awarded certification from NSF International for its Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) for Concrete in the Dallas/Fort Worth Market. The EPD and a life cycle assessment were independently verified under the product category rules designated by Carbon Leadership Forum.

An EPD is a standardized (ISO 14025/TR) label designed to communicate the environmental impact of a product in a scientifically sound, streamlined and comparable format. EPDs include information on the environmental impact of the product, throughout its lifecycle. Often compared to a nutritional label, EPDs provide the facts and transparency needed for customers to make informed buying decisions as they relate to such characteristics as global warming potential, ozone depletion and water use.

"The need for transparency and clear environmental data is increasingly being added to the information requested by building owners and developers in our markets," said Redi-Mix, Inc. Regional Vice President Niel Poulsen. "We are pleased to respond to these market demands with certified EPDs. By providing our design team partners with clear, comparable data on the environmental impact of our products, not only do they have information they can trust, but they are empowered to make sound decisions when implementing carbon reduction strategies for the planned projects."

### **About U.S. Concrete**

U.S. Concrete services the construction industry in several major markets in the United States through its two business segments: ready-mixed concrete and aggregate products. The company has 103 fixed and nine portable ready-mixed concrete plants and eight producing aggregates facilities. During 2013, U.S. Concrete produced approximately 5.2 million cubic yards of ready-mixed concrete and approximately 3.6 million tons of aggregates. For more information on U.S. Concrete, visit [www.us-concrete.com](http://www.us-concrete.com).

### **CAUTIONARY STATEMENT REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

This press release contains various forward-looking statements and information that are based on management's belief, as well as assumptions made by and information currently available to management. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this press release. The Company disclaims any obligation to update these statements and cautions you not to rely unduly on them. Forward-looking information includes, but is not limited to, statements regarding: the stability of the business; ready-mix backlog; ability to maintain our cost structure; ability to maximize liquidity, monitor fixed costs, manage variable costs, control capital spending and monitor working capital usage; and the adequacy of current liquidity. Although U.S. Concrete believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, it can give no assurance that those expectations will prove to have been correct. Such statements are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions, including, among other matters: general and regional economic conditions; the level of activity in the construction industry; the ability of U.S. Concrete to complete acquisitions and to effectively integrate the operations of acquired companies; development of adequate management infrastructure; departure of key personnel; access to labor; union disruption; competitive factors; government regulations; exposure to environmental and other liabilities; the cyclical and seasonal nature of U.S. Concrete's business; adverse weather conditions; the availability and pricing of raw materials; the availability of refinancing alternatives; and general risks related to the industry and markets in which U.S. Concrete operates. Should one or more of these risks materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results or outcomes may vary materially from those expected. These risks, as well as others, are discussed in greater detail in U.S. Concrete's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including U.S. Concrete's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013 and subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q.

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