Air Industries Group Announces Postponement of Special Meeting of Stockholders

November 18, 2026

BAY SHORE, N.Y.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Nov. 18, 2026-- **Air Industries Group ("Air Industries," "AIR" or the "Company") (NYSE American: AIRI),** today announced that the date of the special meeting of the Company's stockholders (the "Special Meeting") that had been scheduled for 10:00 a.m., Eastern Time, on November 18, 2026 has been rescheduled to December 3, 2026. At the Special Meeting, AIR stockholders will vote on the proposals set forth in the Company's proxy statement/prospectus dated November 4, 2026 and filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") (the "Proxy Statement/Prospectus") relating to the Company's proposed merger with Tenax Aerospace Acquisition, LLC ("Tenax") (collectively, the "Proposals").

No changes have been made to the Proposals to be voted on by stockholders at the postponed Special Meeting.

AIR STRONGLY ADVISES ALL OF ITS STOCKHOLDERS TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT/PROSPECTUS AND OTHER PROXY MATERIALS RELATING TO THE SPECIAL MEETING BECAUSE THEY CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION. SUCH MATERIALS ARE AVAILABLE AT NO CHARGE ON THE SEC WEBSITE AT WWW.SEC.GOV. In addition, copies of the Proxy Statement/Prospectus and other documents may be obtained free of charge by directing a written request to the Company's proxy solicitor:

Advantage Proxy, Inc.
P.O. Box 10904
Yakima, WA 98909
Individuals call toll-free: 1-877-870-8565
Banks and brokers call collect: 1-206-870-8565
Email: ksmith@advantageproxy.com

About Air Industries Group

Air Industries Group (NYSE American: AIRI) is an integrated manufacturer of precision assemblies and components for leading aerospace and defense prime contractors and original equipment manufacturers. The Company is a Tier 1 supplier to aircraft Original Equipment Manufacturers, and a Prime Contractor to the U.S. Department of Defense, highly regarded for its expertise in designing and manufacturing parts and assemblies vital for flight safety and performance.

Additional information about the Company can be found in its filings with the SEC and by visiting our newly revamped website at www.airindustriesgroup.com.

Additional Information and Where to Find It

In connection with the proposed merger with Tenax, the Company has filed with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-4 (File No. 333-297628), which was declared effective on November 4, 2026, and the Proxy Statement/Prospectus, which was first mailed to the Company's stockholders on or about November 6, 2026. BEFORE MAKING ANY VOTING OR INVESTMENT DECISION, STOCKHOLDERS ARE URGED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT/PROSPECTUS AND THE OTHER RELEVANT DOCUMENTS FILED OR THAT WILL BE FILED WITH THE SEC BECAUSE THEY CONTAIN OR WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE COMPANY, TENAX AND THE PROPOSED MERGER. These documents are available free of charge on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov or by directing a request to Air Industries Group, 1460 Fifth Avenue, Bay Shore, NY 11706, Attention: Investor Relations, telephone (631) 968-5000.

Participants in the Solicitation

The Company and its directors and executive officers, Tenax Aerospace Acquisition, LLC and its executives, may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from the Company's stockholders in connection with the proposed merger. Information about such persons and their interests in the proposed merger is set forth in the Proxy Statement/Prospectus. Stockholders may obtain free copies of these documents as described above.

Forward Looking Statements

Certain matters discussed in this press release are 'forward-looking statements' intended to qualify for the safe harbor from liability established by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. In particular, the Company's statements regarding trends in the marketplace, future revenues, earnings and Adjusted EBITDA, the ability to realize firm backlog and projected backlog, cost cutting measures, potential future results and acquisitions, the timing of the special meeting of stockholders and the consummation of the proposed merger with Tenax Aerospace Acquisition, LLC, are examples of such forward-looking statements. The forward-looking statements are subject to numerous risks and uncertainties, including, but not limited to, the timing of projects due to variability in size, scope and duration, the inherent discrepancy in actual results from estimates, projections and forecasts made by management, regulatory delays, changes in government funding and budgets, and other factors, including general economic conditions, not within the Company's control. The factors discussed herein and expressed from time to time in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission could cause actual results and developments to be materially different from those expressed in or implied by such statements. The forward-looking statements are made only as of the date of this press release and the Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update such forward-looking statements to reflect subsequent events or circumstances.

No Offer or Solicitation

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