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Annapolis Junction, MD (December 15, 2014) -- Colfax Corporation ("Colfax") (NYSE: CFX), a leading global manufacturer of gas- and fluid-handling and fabrication technology products and services, today announced that Terry Ross has been named Vice President, Investor Relations reporting to Scott Brannan, SVP and CFO of Colfax. In this role Terry will be responsible for all IR initiatives including quarterly results and corporate announcements, investor outreach and marketing efforts. Terry will work closely with Scott Brannan over the coming months to transition the primary IR contact role.

Terry has over 20 years of operational and financial experience. He most recently served as SVP and General Manager of Reliability Services for Colfax Fluid Handling, leading the unit through two years of organic and acquisitive growth. Prior to joining Colfax, Terry held executive leadership, marketing and manufacturing positions with Crane, Danaher and GE.

Scott Brannan, SVP and Chief Financial Officer of Colfax, stated, "I am pleased to announce Terry's appointment to this role. We believe that Terry's diverse industrial background and general management experience will help to improve our investor relations function as we continue to execute Colfax's growth strategy."

ABOUT COLFAX CORPORATION - Colfax Corporation is a diversified global manufacturing and engineering company that provides gas- and fluid-handling and fabrication technology products and services to commercial and governmental customers around the world under the Howden, Colfax Fluid Handling and ESAB brands. Colfax believes that its brands are among the most highly recognized in each of the markets that it serves. Colfax is traded on the NYSE under the ticker "CFX." Additional information about Colfax is available at www.colfaxcorp.com.

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