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ME₂C® Environmental Secures Multi-Year Contract Renewal Expected to Reach \$1.5 Million Annually

The Second of Two Supply Contract Renewals in 2022 for Major Utility Customer Based in the South

CORSICANA, TX, Feb. 23, 2022 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Midwest Energy Emissions Corp. (OTCQB: MEEC) ("ME₂C Environmental" or the "Company"), a leading environmental technologies firm, announced the signing of a multi-year contract renewal with an annual value expected to reach \$1.5 million. Under the extended supply contract, ME₂C will continue supplying its patented Sorbent Enhancement Additive (SEA®) technologies for mercury emissions capture.

"Our long-term supply customer in mercury emissions has received significant benefits from our mercury emissions capture technologies and expertise," stated Richard MacPherson, CEO of ME₂C Environmental. "This second contract renewal for a third plant at one of the largest utilities in the U.S. provides strong validation of our approach to mercury emissions. We previously announced in January a renewal for two other plants operated by this customer. As coal-fired power increases throughout the U.S. over the next couple of years, ME₂C has the capacity and infrastructure in place to be a solid business partner for major utilities across the U.S. working to achieve reduced mercury emissions, ensure high-quality coal ash for beneficial use, and partner with an environmentally friendly technology company."

"We are happy to continue to support the scalable needs of this major U.S. utility and look forward to growing our existing mercury emission customer base through this year," concluded MacPherson.

About ME₂C® Environmental

ME₂C Environmental is a leading environmental technologies company developing and delivering patented and proprietary solutions to the global power industry. ME₂C's leading-edge mercury emissions services have been shown to achieve emissions removal at a significantly lower cost and with less operational impact than currently used methods, while maintaining and/or increasing power plant output and preserving the marketability of byproducts for beneficial use. ME₂C Environmental is a trade name of Midwest Energy Emissions Corp. For more information, please visit <http://www.me2cenvironmental.com/>.

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