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## For Immediate Release

## KOBELCO USA Introduces Next Generation SK140SRLC-7 SR Series Excavator

*Katy, TX* – KOBELCO Construction Machinery USA is pleased to introduce the enhanced SK140SRLC-7 excavator model in North America. The next-generation SK140SRLC-7 sets the standard for mid-sized machines and offers full-size benefits with short rear swing capabilities and exceptional features.

Performance advancements allow the SK140SRLC-7 to deliver greater efficiency and productivity as well as increased power and speed than its predecessor. The upgraded SK140SRLC-7 boasts a dynamic digging force of 24,800 lbs. to achieve leading-class work volume. A compact design and long digging reach capabilities provide a broad working range and easy maneuverability, while a top-of-class digging depth of 19' 7" and impressive swing speed of 11 rpm shorten cycle times by ~10%.

Equipped with a new Tier IV Final engine that increases power output by ~10%, the SK140SRLC-7 maintains superior productivity and efficiency, even while working at high power levels or lifting heavy loads. The SK140SRLC-7's strong drawbar pulling force produces powerful travel capabilities, enabling it to tackle steep and rough terrain with ease. And independent travel, an exclusive KOBELCO feature, allows the SK140SRLC-7 to move, lift and swing simultaneously without experiencing loss of power.

Enhanced multi-function capabilities include an attachment selection system with adjustable flow-rate presets for the bucket, breaker, nibbler and thumb, allowing the operator to change between tools quickly and easily. The SK140SRLC-7 is also available with an optional offset boom which increases stability and maneuverability while working in confined areas, such as next to walls or close to traffic.

When it comes to comfort, the SK140SRLC-7 offers intuitive operation and comprehensive safety. This KOBELCO machine comes standard with an ergonomic lever and Grammer air ride



suspension seat to reduce operating force and fatigue. The SK140SRLC-7 also boasts various cab features, including an optimized control layout with a new jog dial and 10-inch color monitor. An unfastened seatbelt indicator, and built-in rear, left and right-side cameras with a customizable splitscreen display function enhance operator awareness and jobsite safety.

Maintenance on the SK140SRLC-7 is easy and cost efficient. Remote diagnostic and preventive maintenance systems utilize the latest IT innovations to improve operating product lifecycle costs. Easy access to maintenance data from the operation management system greatly improves ease of maintenance scheduling and ensures a long service life. Operators can expect extended service intervals when it comes to engine oil, hydraulic oil, filter changes and greasing.

KOBELCO Construction Machinery USA offers industry-leading crawler excavators in the 3,000 lb. to 185,000 lb. classes including zero tail swing, compact, standard, long reach, high and wide undercarriages, mass excavation, auto recycling and demolition models. Well-known as the excavator authority, KOBELCO is committed to producing quality machines with advanced productivity-boosting features and innovative technologies. With premier capabilities such as no time limit power boost and exclusive independent travel, KOBELCO machines ensure superior performance and efficiency for the toughest worksite challenges.

For more information on KOBELCO Construction Machinery USA or KOBELCO products, please visit <u>www.KOBELCO-USA.com</u> or call 281-888-8430.

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<u>Photo Caption 1</u>: The enhanced KOBELCO SK140SRLC-7 delivers unmatched power and performance capabilities.



Photo Caption 2: The KOBELCO SK140SRLC-7 features a new 10-inch color monitor with a split-screen

display function to customize operator viewing needs.





Photo Caption 3: KOBELCO USA introduces its upgraded SK140SRLC-7 excavator model in North

America.