

**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HANDY &amp; HARMAN LTD.</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>1133 WESTCHESTER AVENUE</u>  (Street) <u>WHITE PLAINS NY 10604</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>10/14/2011</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ModusLink Global Solutions Inc [ MLNK ]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director _____ 10% Owner _____ Officer (give title below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) _____ <u>See Explanation of Responses</u>	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
<u>Common Stock, par value \$0.01<sup>(1)</sup></u>	<u>3,807,260</u>	<u>D<sup>(2)</sup></u>	

**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

**Explanation of Responses:**

- This Form 3 is filed by Handy & Harman Ltd. ("HNH"). HNH is a member of a Section 13(d) group that owns more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding Common Stock. HNH disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by the other members of the Section 13(d) group except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
- Shares owned directly by HNH. SPH Group Holdings LLC ("SPHG Holdings") owns approximately 55% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of HNH. Steel Partners Holdings L.P. ("Steel Holdings") owns 99% of the membership interests of SPH Group LLC ("SPHG"). SPHG is the sole member of SPHG Holdings. Steel Partners LLC ("Partners LLC") is the manager of Steel Holdings and has been delegated the sole power to vote and dispose of the securities held by SPHG Holdings. Warren G. Lichtenstein is the manager of Partners LLC. Accordingly, each of SPHG Holdings, Steel Holdings, SPHG, Partners LLC and Mr. Lichtenstein could be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by HNH. Each of SPHG Holdings, Steel Holdings, SPHG, Partners LLC and Mr. Lichtenstein disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by HNH.

By: Handy & Harman Ltd., By:  
/s/ James F. McCabe, Jr., 10/19/2011  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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