

HARDINGE INC
Form SC TO-C
February 19, 2010

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO
Tender Offer Statement Under Section 14(d)(1) or 13(e)(1)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

HARDINGE INC.
(Name of Subject Company)

INDÚSTRIAS ROMI S.A.
(Name of Filing Person (Offeror))

Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01 Per Share
(Title of Class of Securities)

412324303
(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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Press Release, dated February 19, 2010.
