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Subject: Dodd- Frank Act- Section 1502, Conflict Minerals

Dear Valued Customer,

As a result of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act Section 1502 (the "Act"), many public companies and their supply base are required to make disclosures regarding whether "Conflict Minerals", defined as Tin, Tantalum, Tungsten, or Gold, used to manufacture their products originated in the Democratic Republic of Congo ("DRC") or certain adjoining countries, as defined in the "Act".

TW Metals has been working with our Supply Chain to assure that the materials we receive and supply to you on or after January 31st 2013 are free of "Conflict Minerals". We have conducted a reasonable inquiry of our suppliers with regard to the "Act". In addition, we have added a requirement to our purchase orders that materials received by TW Metals must be free of "Conflict Minerals", (as defined by the applicable SEC rule).

Based on our inquiry and procedures, materials supplied to your company by TW Metals either:

- a) Do not contain Conflict Minerals,
- b) If conflict minerals are utilized, they originated from non-DRC conflict areas or from smelters that have been authenticated by an independent third-party audit firm to be conflict free, or
- c) The Conflict Minerals were the result of a recycled or scrap source.

This is a very important matter to us and we will continue to work diligently with our Supply Chain to assure that TW Metals adheres to the requirements of the "Act".

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact us.

Respectfully,

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