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Steel & Wire Company

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To our Valued Customer,

Subject: Proposition 65 Letter

This letter serves to provide information on the State of California's Proposition 65 law (Prop 65) as it relates to Taubensee Steel & Wire's (TSW) hot rolled and cold finished bar and wire products.

TSW's products may contain the following chemicals, which are included on the Prop 65 list of chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm: carbon black, nickel, lead, cobalt, and cadmium.

Please note that the concentration of each of these chemicals contained in TSW's steel bar and wire products may range from <0.001% to a maximum of 2% by weight. TSW has no reason to believe that any foreseeable use of our product would expose any individual to levels at or above the Prop 65 No Significant Risk Levels (NSRLs) for carcinogens or the Maximum Allowable Dose Levels (MADLs) for reproductive toxicity.

TSW reasonably anticipates that the bar and wire products will be used in an occupational setting as part of our customer's manufacturing processes. Accordingly, TSW fully complies with all warning and labeling requirements of Federal and State OSHA hazard communication standards.

TSW supplies its customer with hot rolled and cold finished bar and wire products as a raw material, and not in a "direct Consumer Product" form. The determination of whether manufactured products will require a Prop 65 exposure warning is based on, among other things, the end foreseeable uses of the manufactured products.

Sincerely,

Taubensee Steel & Wire Company