



Subject: "Specialty Metals" Certification

Date: January 1, 2009

To whom it may concern:

PB Fasteners certifies that within the calendar year of 2009 more than 50% of our purchases of "specialty metals" as defined by 10 USC 2533b are or will be made from domestically melted "specialty metal". Therefore, we consider the commercial fasteners produced by our company to be in compliance with 10 USC 2533b(h)(3).

Applicable supporting documentation will be made available to appropriate parties upon request with 30 days notice.

Respectfully,

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