



NORTHLAKE STEEL CORPORATION

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Dear Valued Customer

Re: EU REACH Compliance Letter

Based upon a careful review of the guidelines of the European Union's Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) Regulation (EC 1907/2006) the products supplied by Northlake Steel Corporation to your organization meet the criteria of an "Article". An "Article" is defined as an object which during production is given a special shape, surface or design which determines its function to a greater degree than does its chemical content.

Under Article 7(1), products that contain a substance that is intended to be released under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use are required to be registered. As our products do not meet this criteria, registration is not required.

Under Article 7(2), products that contain a substance of very high concern in a concentration of greater than .1 percent by weight require notification. As our products do not meet this criteria, notification is not required.

If you have any further questions, please contact your sales representative and they will make sure that any questions are addressed. Thank you for your continued business.

Northlake Steel Corporation