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Dear Customer,

Ref: Sanctions on Russian Iron & Steel - (NTI) 2953 and (EU) 833/2014 schedule 3B

This letter is to confirm that products supplied by Union Steel Tubes Ltd. have been sourced from manufacturers who have declared in writing to Union Steel Tubes Ltd. that they do not use iron or steel sourced directly or indirectly from Russia.

All suppliers to Union Steel Tubes Ltd. are either UK or EU based, they are prohibited by UK and EU law from importing from Russia or a third country, iron or steel products that fall within the 3B schedule for the manufacture of their product.

Here is an extract from the EU faq of the 2/10/23

IMPORT, PURCHASE & TRANSFER OF LISTED GOODS
RELATED ARTICLES: ARTICLE 3g, ARTICLE 3i, ARTICLE 3o OF COUNCIL REGULATION
NO. 833/2014
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS – AS OF 2 OCTOBER 2023

9. Is the mill test certificate (MTC) the only document that is accepted as evidence that the goods to be imported in the Union do not incorporate iron and steel inputs as listed in Annex XVII originating in Russia?

“The origin of the inputs may be established through other means, such as a statement or declaration by the exporter or manufacturer confirming that, after exercising due diligence, the imported product does not contain any Russian steel or iron.”

Regards

Union Steel Tubes Ltd.