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REACH (EC 1907/2006) Annex XVII Policy for Olympic Steel's Uncoated Flat-Rolled Products

Introduction:

Olympic Steel supplies flat-rolled metal plate, sheet, coil and blank products to a variety of industries. The types of materials supplied include carbon, alloy, aluminum and stainless steels. The metal compositions supplied are well-known materials as specified by ASTM International, the American Iron and Steel Institute (AISI) and the United States Military (MIL-specs). Products are supplied accompanied by a certificate which gives element concentrations within the product and the results of any required physical or metallurgical tests as specified on the material specification. The provision of such information has become standardized throughout the metals industry and until recently has been sufficient to satisfy the needs of our clients.

REACH Compliance

In order to prevent the introduction of hazardous materials into the environment in the European Union, the Union implemented legislation (Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals) in 2010, which prohibits the use of these substances (Annex XVII) in products imported or produced for the EU. Olympic Steel is a supplier of metal products to several industries which may or may not be sold in the EU. The list of compounds contained within the REACH list of Substances of High Concern (Last update January, 21 2025) has been reviewed and at this time, our products are neither manufactured nor supplied with any of these listed compounds at levels above the reporting thresholds. MDS sheets are available or all of our products. The list of elements may change periodically and our compliance will be evaluated at least annually.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions and additional information regarding REACH may be found at www.ec.europa.eu.

Sincerely

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