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## GE Transportation Aircraft Engines

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Dear Valued Supplier:

This letter relates to your obligations under your GET-AE Purchase Agreements and/or Purchase Orders and compliance with GET-AE Standard Terms and Conditions of Purchase, Remark C64, Appendix I, incorporated in the Agreement(s) or order(s).

In particular, we call your attention to DFARS Clause 252.225-7009, Restriction on Acquisition of Certain Articles Containing Specialty Metals. This clause is included in the list of applicable FAR and/or DFARS clauses in Appendix I. For your information, the Specialty Metal definition and Restriction are included in this communication. The complete text of Remark C64 and Appendix I is available on the GET-AE Web Site at this URL:

[http://www.geae.com/aboutgeae/doingbusinesswith/geae\\_po\\_requirements.html](http://www.geae.com/aboutgeae/doingbusinesswith/geae_po_requirements.html). (Enter C64 in the "Search phrase" box and then select the latest edition of the document from the resulting list.)

This DFARS clause incorporates domestic source requirements for certain specialty metals when the end customer will be the US Government. Compliance with the requirements of this clause, at both the prime and subcontractor levels at all tiers, has been under intense scrutiny by DOD and others. This letter is intended to remind you that an essential premise of our relationship is that your firm is fully compliant with the requirements of this clause included in your contract, as well as all other requirements listed in the GET-AE Standard Terms and Conditions of Purchase.

You are required to immediately advise GET-AE, in writing, if you determine, now or in the future, that there may have been or will be actions on the part of your company inconsistent with this or any other clause, and the corrective actions you have taken or will take.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

RESTRICTION ON ACQUISITION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES CONTAINING  
SPECIALTY METALS (JAN 2011)

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause—

(10) “Qualifying country” means any country listed in the definition of “Qualifying country” at 225.003 of the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS).

(12) “Specialty metal” means—

(i) Steel—

(A) With a maximum alloy content exceeding one or more of the following limits: manganese, 1.65 percent; silicon, 0.60 percent; or copper, 0.60 percent; or

(B) Containing more than 0.25 percent of any of the following elements: aluminum, chromium, cobalt, molybdenum, nickel, niobium (columbium), titanium, tungsten, or vanadium;

(ii) Metal alloys consisting of --

(A) Nickel or iron-nickel alloys that contain a total of alloying metals other than nickel and iron in excess of 10 percent; or

(B) Cobalt alloys that contain a total of alloying metals other than cobalt and iron in excess of 10 percent;

(iii) Titanium and titanium alloys; or

(iv) Zirconium and zirconium base alloys.

(13) “Steel” means an iron alloy that includes between .02 and 2 percent carbon and may include other elements.

(b) Restriction. Any specialty metals incorporated in items delivered under this contract shall be melted or produced in the United States, its outlying areas, or a qualifying country.