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Re: American Iron and Steel Compliant Products (Buy American)

To our valued customers,

With the approval of: **The Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2014** (Signed January 17, 2014) (**Public Law 113-76, Water Resources Reform and Development Act amended the Clean Water Act (CWA) and the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act of 2015 (Public Law 113-2350)**) — all steel and iron products provided for permanent installation for funding assistance recipient projects are required to document compliance to the "**Buy American — American Iron and Steel**" (AIS) clauses included in these laws.

For up to date, specific information concerning the requirements for submitting quotes, products and pricing for projects requiring "**American Iron and Steel**" (Buy American) Certification, visit the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency site at this page:

<http://www.epa.gov/cwsrf/state-revolving-fund-american-iron-and-steel-ais-requirement>

PowerSeal Products generally comply with AIS requirements. However, to ensure that we are AIS compliant, and to fulfill project specifications and documentation guidelines, product requests for "**American Iron and Steel**" (Buy American) projects will be subjected to the following procedures listed below.

For AIS compliant submittals, the following steps must be included for a proper PowerSeal quote:

1. When you contact our PowerSeal customer service department for an initial quote you must provide, in advance, a Project name/number or any other identifier information for the proposed project and indicate that the quote is for an "**American Iron and Steel**" (**Buy American**) submittal.
2. Provide a list of the PowerSeal Products and quantities required for project submittal or bid.
3. PowerSeal order entry personnel will enter the information into our system and assign designated model numbers to indicate an AIS compliant quote.
4. The quote will be returned to you with the properly assigned designated model numbers, with pricing and product availability.
5. When ordered, the designated PowerSeal model numbers must be provided to ensure proper traceability of materials from our domestic mills/suppliers and through our manufacturing process. If a funding assistance recipient requires traceable "**Step Certification**" for an order/product(s), that **MUST BE** indicated at the time of quote/order. As a result of the detailed verification requirements of "**Step Certification**" presented by the EPA, that certification can be provided by PowerSeal only if it is indicated at the time of order.

