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Memorandum

To: [REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]

Date: March 19, 2020

Re: Essential Defense Industrial Base Manufacturing Supplier

You are a [REDACTED] supplier supporting various weapons systems contracts with the U.S. Department of Defense (DoD). In a memorandum, dated March 19, 2020, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Agency (CISA) designated the Defense Industrial Base as critical infrastructure during the COVID-19 response. Moreover, Pursuant to the Defense Production Act of 1950, your subcontracts are rated orders under the Defense Priorities and Allocation System (DPAS), which is used to prioritize national defense-related programs and contracts to support critical military, energy, homeland security, emergency response, and infrastructure requirements. As such, you are essential personnel involved in the manufacture of vital national defense articles.

Delivery of product for these programs continues to be critical for the DoD's mission to support national security and the U.S. warfighter. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact my supply chain leader, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Thank you.

Regards,

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