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To Whom It May Concern:

The Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) disclosure rule broadly requires that certain companies submit a filing that describes their efforts to conduct a reasonable country-of-origin inquiry for necessary conflict minerals used in their products. These minerals include tin, tungsten, tantalum, and gold. Depending on the preliminary determination as to whether these minerals came from the DRC or adjoining countries (covered countries), the rule requires companies to perform due diligence to determine the source of their minerals.

Although Plast-O-Matic Valves, Inc. and its subsidiaries are exempt from these requirements, we feel it is our corporate and social responsibility to comply with the conflict minerals initiatives.

While we do not purchase any minerals from any source, they exist in trace amounts in the materials and components we use in our manufacturing processes. We work exclusively with suppliers that investigate the source and chain of custody of these minerals, and to responsibly purchase any such minerals from sources that do not aid nor contribute to human rights abuses in the DRC region.

Sincerely,

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