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To Our Valued Customer:

National Strand has been closely monitoring the spread of the novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) as it has become a growing global concern. We are working to evaluate the current threat posed by the COVID-19 to both our staff and business community. The safety, health and well-being of our employees, customers and vendors is our top priority.

Internally, we have instituted a communication process posting increased efforts we are taking to keep our common areas, gear and equipment clean and sanitized. We are limiting outside visitors and contractors coming to our facilities to required on-site personnel only. We are asking that everyone follow the CDC's recommendations for prevention and protection. The safety of our employee work family is paramount.

For our customer community, our success is built on helping you succeed. Be assured that every precaution is being taken to secure an unrestricted supply chain. Fortunately, our galvanized steel strand products are domestically produced, mostly from internal supply and are not subject to import restrictions. We are confident that we will be able to provide an uninterrupted supply for your business. In addition, National Strand has two other Heico facilities with stranding capacity and four additional North American wire mills to assist in the event of any unexpected interruptions. With two other redundant stranding facilities, adequate inventories and internal wire supply we feel prepared to keep you, your customers and projects supplied and on time.

As you know, this is a very fluid and dynamic situation that we are monitoring very closely. We will promptly communicate any changes or developments and ask that you do the same. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us at 713-455-2888.

Sincerely,

Marty McNair
VP/GM