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Dear Customer:

I am very pleased to report that the previously announced sale of substantially all of the assets and business of Commercial Metal Forming (the "Commercial Business") to CE Star Holdings, LLC ("CE Star"), a newly-formed entity owned by a group of the prior holding company's secured noteholders, has closed. As part of the sale transaction, CE Star acquired the rights to use the name Commercial Metal Forming. Therefore, while our legal name is now Star Manufacturing, LLC, we will also do business under the Commercial Metal Forming name. Most important, we will operate with the same quality and service you've come to expect from us and this process should be seamless to you.

There were a number of important business initiatives accomplished during the Chapter 11 process, and our new company now moves forward with a significantly healthier balance sheet, reduced liabilities, and improved financial flexibility. We are now even better positioned to provide the very best products and services to you and we are very excited about the future.

I would like to thank you again for your support and understanding throughout this process, and we look forward to building on our successful partnership as we embark on this new phase for our business.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bob Messaros". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Bob Messaros
President