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November 3, 2017

Dear Valued Supplier,

We have recently learned from several news reports that Kobe Steel Ltd., a Japanese metals producer, or its affiliates (collectively, "**Kobe Steel**") admitted to falsifying data on aluminum, copper, iron, and steel products and/or materials that it shipped from September 2016 through August 2017. These items were falsely labeled as meeting customer specifications, industry standards and/or having properties that they did not have.

If you or any of your subtier suppliers purchased any such products and/or materials from Kobe Steel during the above period of time that were used in any products, components, materials or goods sold to General Electric Company or any of its affiliates ("**GE**") or were otherwise provided to GE or its affiliates, **GE requires you to provide the applicable GE Buyer or Supply Chain Leader with a written communication with the details of such materials or products before November 20th 2017.**

This is an on-going investigation. GE will continue to monitor this situation and may have further data and information requests from you as more information becomes available about this issue. Details of the impacted materials and updated findings are posted on Kobe Steel Ltd.'s website: http://www.kobelco.co.jp/english/information/1197841_16244.html.

Please familiarize yourself with this information, stay updated on this issue, and provide any relevant information to GE about any affected products and/or materials you may have provided to GE during any relevant timeframe identified on this site, whether or not GE has requested you to do so. It is imperative that any GE supplier who many have purchased the affected products and/or materials from Kobe Steel be pro-active about this issue.

If you have any questions about this request or any information about this issue that will be helpful to GE to ensure the safety and integrity of the products and/or materials provided by you, please contact your Buyer or other GE Power Sourcing or Supply Chain contact.

Sincerely,

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