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To: Our Customers

Subject: **“Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design” (LEED) Certification**
related to Percentage of Recycled Content in our steel tubing.

ArcelorMittal Tubular Products Shelby, Inc. utilizes hot band steel coils and steel billets/bar in the production of our steel tubing products. The content/percentage of the recycled content in our steel tubing depends upon whether the material has been produced from the basic oxygen furnace (BOF) or the electric arc furnace (EAF) process.

According to information provided by our steel suppliers and the Steel Recycling Institute, the average percentage of total recycled content of steel used in making steel varies depending upon the method used to make the steel. If the steel is made using the basic oxygen furnace method (BOF) the recycled content ranges between 25 to 31.0% and if the steel is made using the electric arc furnace method (EAF) the recycled content ranges between 82.8 to 100 %, with an average of 96.4%.

Normally in order to provide you, the customer, with the recycled content of the steel tubing purchased from our facility, information related to the Heat Number of the material purchased would have to be provided. Once the Heat Number is known then the Quality Support Department can then provide the needed recycled content of the product purchased related to that specific order.

If you have any further needs or concerns, please feel free to contact me at (419) 342-1365.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David C. Monnin".

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