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Build America, Buy America (BABA)
American Iron and Steel (AIS)

To our valued customer:

JCM Industries can provide products in compliance with the Build America, Buy America Act (BABA) as mandated in the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) Pub. L. No. 117-58, §§ 70901 and in EPA's State Revolving Fund Programs, Clean Water Act (CWA) (if applicable) to the "American Iron and Steel" (AIS) provision in Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2014, P.L. 113-76, and subsequent Continuing Appropriations Acts concerning American Iron and Steel.

As a standard, many JCM products comply with AIS requirements. However, to ensure that JCM is aware of the BABA/AIS constraint, and to fulfill project specifications and required documentation guidelines, product requests for the Build America, Buy America (BABA) for the iron/steel category "American Iron and Steel" (AIS) projects must follow the procedures listed below. For BAB/AIS-compliant submittals, the following steps will take place:

1. Contact the JCM Sales Team with the project name/number or other identifier information for the proposed project and indicate that the quote is for a BABA/AIS "American Iron and Steel" submittal.
2. Provide a list of JCM Products/quantities required for project submittal or bid.
3. JCM Customer Service will enter the information into our quotations system, assign designated model numbers (if required) to indicate a BABA/AIS-compliant quote.
4. The quote will be returned to you with the properly assigned designated JCM model numbers, with quote and availability.
5. When ordered, the designated JCM model numbers must be provided to ensure traceability of materials from the domestic mill/supplier and through the JCM manufacturing system. If the funding assistance recipient requires traceable "step certification" for that order/product(s), that must be indicated at the time of quote/order. Because of the detailed verification requirements of "Step Certification" presented by the EPA, that certification can be provided by JCM only if it is indicated at the time of order.

Contact JCM Industries for any additional information, Customer Service at 800.527.8482 or 903.832.2581