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Attn: Ms. Connie Mayhill, President

Subject: Platinum Level – Platinum Source Award

We are pleased to announce that Altemp Alloys, Inc. Supplier Number 866402 has been nominated to receive the Northrop Grumman Platinum Level Platinum Source award. A review of your product history for the previous twelve months reflects sustained excellence as a supplier of quality products and on-time delivery to Northrop Grumman Integrated Systems (IS).

The Platinum Source Supplier Award is recognition for your high level of quality and delivery performance as a Northrop Grumman IS supplier. It empowers your company to act on behalf of IS in conducting final acceptance of your products designated as Platinum Source by Purchase Order.

To expedite removal of Northrop Grumman inspection from your purchase orders, please certify your understanding and willingness to comply with the Platinum Source Supplier Instructions by completing and returning the "Platinum Source Compliance" statement (page 5 of the supplier instructions). Please fax your completed compliance statement to Lori New, (310) 335-3769 no later than 10 September 2008.

Congratulations to you and your employees!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Saliture".

John Saliture, Director
Supplier Quality

CC: Juan Escalante, Quality Manager, J. Miller, J. Velte, D. Gomez, M. Betancourt