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FHWA's Buy America Compliance

Various agencies and customers require that the manufacturing origin of our steel products be stated on the material test report. The statement listed below is used by Optimus Steel to comply with these requirements and will be printed on the material test report in the area below the signature.

"This material, including the billets, was melted and manufactured in the USA."

When this statement is present, Optimus Steel certifies that the material was melted and manufactured in the United States of America and complies with the FHWA's policy for Buy America as described in Title 23 CFR 635.410.

Sincerely,

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