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**THE LEADING USA MANUFACTURER & MASTER DISTRIBUTER OF BRASS, BRONZE, COPPER ALLOYS & MACHINED PARTS**

TO OUR VALUED CUSTOMERS

National Bronze & Metals has provided our company an identity as the leading **USA** manufacturer of Bronze, Brass and Copper Alloys. As we continue to grow our national and global footprint and expand both our manufacturing and machining services, we believe a name change will help to differentiate ourselves as we move forward.

On November 10, 2017, we held an inauguration celebration in Houston with all of our employees and guests and unveiled our new brand identity – **AVIVA METALS** – our new company name. **AVIVA** is a beautiful word meaning “Spring” and “Life”, which reflects our companies’ progress in this new season of growth. This new name communicates our desire to inspire and create a wealth of new ideas and services, and to implement these with both efficiency and determination.

In addition to being the leading manufacturer and distributor of copper-based alloy semi-fabricated products, we now offer a full range of machining services to our customers’ going from raw materials to fully machined components. We have commenced the expansion of our machine shop, and we plan to share these details with you as we move closer to its completion.

There have been no changes in our Shareholders or Board of Directors while the same experienced and long serving management team remains in place in Houston, Ohio, France and Mexico. While our name will be changing our service and quality of product will remain of the highest order and you will continue to receive the same fast and responsive service to which you have been accustomed.

Please note that all of our invoices, packing slips, correspondence, packaging and promotional materials moving forward will reflect our new name **AVIVA METALS** together with our new logo. We expect to have this complete by Q1 of 2018. Please kindly bring this announcement to the attention of your accounts payable department and direct them accordingly.

We feel strongly that our new name, **AVIVA METALS**, will be the beginning of a new era as we seek to fulfill our long-term goals

Once again, we thank you for being our valued customer. We appreciate the support you have given us in the past and we look forward to continuing our great relationship with you in the future.

Kind regards,

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**AVIVA METALS, INC.**