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Attention: Explosives Vendors

RE: Third Party Invoicing of Explosives Sales or Transfers to Valid Licence Holders

The Explosives Regulatory Division has recently reviewed the practice of vendors invoicing unlicensed third parties for the sale of explosives to valid license holders, and determined that this practice may continue in accordance with the procedure below. This review was required to update the previous letter on the topic dated October 26, 2010 and signed by Christopher Watson.

The invoice issued by the vendor must clearly indicate the company that is to receive the product, and that they are a valid licence holder. The name, licence number, and licence expiry date of the licence holder receiving the explosives must be indicated on the invoice. The invoice must include the name of the company paying the invoice, with the wording "Invoice paid by..." The licence holder receiving the explosives must also receive a copy of the invoice for their records.

As long as the aforementioned procedure is followed, explosives vendors may continue the practice of invoicing unlicensed third parties for explosives sales to licence holders who will receive the explosives.

Yours sincerely,

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