

COUNTERFEIT & FRAUDULENT GOODS POLICY



Scope

To eliminate the supply of counterfeit & fraudulent products into our supply chain through strict verification, monitoring processes.

Products Purchased

The Barrett Steel Group (BSG) are aware that there is a growing concern relating to counterfeit goods in customers' supply chains as they endeavour to secure low-cost alternative sources.

BSG are committed to supplying only the highest quality products for our customer base & therefore purchases products only through our "Authorised Manufacturers & Suppliers", thereby ensuring that its products are fully compliant to standards required, with authentic data, & fully traceable under the direct supplier & that accurate up-to-date technical information is readily available. BSG do not purchase refurbished products. Authorised mills, manufacturers & suppliers are continually assessed to determine past performance.

Traceability of Product

BSG maintain traceability for purchases from authorised suppliers, retaining the original purchase orders & other received documentation, including Material Test Certificates, Certificate of Conformance & any ancillary documentation which is required on any additional Destructive / Non-Destructive Testing.

Commitment To Compliance & Customer Notification

Barrett Steel Limited (& subsidiary companies) has robust systems in place to monitor & review material receipts. This enables us to adapt to any new rules & regulations including the due diligence activities required to ensure we have achieved compliance throughout its supply chain.

Any reported problems will be recorded & acted upon as a 'non-conformance' & all actions recorded under our ISO 9001 quality management system.

Any suppliers who are found to be providing counterfeit or fraudulent products to BSG will be removed from our supplier approval database & a appropriate actions will be taken.

Further Information

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Guy Barrett'.

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