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Dear Hutchinson Aerospace & Industry Customer,

We would like to call your attention to a recent series of attempts to obtain fraudulent payments from customers of Hutchinson at various locations around the world. We want to emphasize that there have been no attempts made on our customers here at Hutchinson Aerospace & Industry.

Hutchinson customers have been approached by individuals, posing as suppliers and requesting that their invoices be paid to a bank account or lock box different from the one normally used. These requests were sent on Hutchinson stationery and included names and titles of actual Hutchinson employees.

Do not cooperate with this request!!

- We are not using any factoring company or any other intermediary for the payment of our invoices;
- Our banks remain the same and we have not changed any bank accounts;
- Our remittance procedures have not changed;
- If you receive a request to remit payment in other than the usual manner, ask for a **written** confirmation from us here at Hutchinson;
- If you are approached with such a request, please contact us by email via:

Alexei.Kovalenko@hutchinsonna.com

Again, we want to emphasize that no such attempt to obtain fraudulent payments has been made on any of our customers here at Hutchinson Aerospace & Industry, but we did want to alert you to the possibility. We thank you for your continued support. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Paul Stupinski', written over a horizontal line.

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