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Dear Mr. Zygocki:

This letter is written in response to your inquiry concerning the importation of oilfield goods into the United States. With the following information I have outlined some considerations that should be of interest to you and others who wish to market Canadian products in the U.S.

U.S. Customs Entry

All commercial merchandise imported into the U.S. is subject to U.S. Customs inspection and entry procedures.

A commercial invoice is required if the merchandise is valued over \$500.00 U.S. and this document is helpful even if the value is less than \$500.00 U.S.

The invoice should adequately describe the merchandise to allow proper tariff classification. It should spell out the terms of sale (e.g., F.O.B. Calgary) and be signed by a knowledgeable person.

Duty & Tariff Considerations

The following are duty rates that have been applied to common oilfield products at this port. It must be stated that these rates are not binding upon Customs. Customs will make a binding tariff ruling, however, at the request of a prospective importer under the provisions of Section 177 of the Customs Regulations.