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## CTPAT STATEMENT OF SUPPORT

Implemented in November 2001, CTPAT (Customs Trade Partnership Against Terrorism) is a voluntary joint government-business initiative to build cooperative relationships which strengthen overall supply chain and border security. U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) requests businesses ensure the integrity of their security practices and communicate their security guidelines to their business partners within the supply chain. CTPAT offers businesses an opportunity to play a major role in the war against terrorism and ensure a more secure supply chain for their employees, suppliers, and customers.

It is the policy of Longust Distributing to support and comply with regulations for the CTPAT program.

The executive leadership and management have committed to maintain and further develop a security program that is consistent with current CTPAT Minimum Security Criteria. As participants in this program, it is the policy of Longust Distributing to:

- Implement, follow and maintain policies, practices and procedures which comply with CTPAT Importer Security Criteria.
- Cooperate with CBP and other law enforcement agencies in their efforts to ensure the security of the supply chain.
- Devote enough resources to ensure its supply chain security program is effectively implemented and maintained.
- Meet and exceed the recommended business and security practices.
- Provide security guidelines and training to Longust employees, vendors, service providers and others associated with the company.
- Investigate any suspicious event and/or activity related to the supply chain breach and notify the C-TPAT Specialist and law enforcement authorities.
- Review, revise and update security practices and procedures on a regular basis.
- Provide a safe environment for our employees, customers, vendors and other visitors.

Longust Distributing is dedicated to promoting a culture of security, and to ensure laws and regulations are followed through organizational commitment for the security of our Supply Chain and the CTPAT program.

Sincerely,

Stephen Wallace

President and CEO