

October 1, 2019

**Re: Specialty Products Holding Corp. Asbestos Personal Injury Trust (“Bondex Trust”)
Claim Filing Deadline 3 Month Notice**

Dear Claimant or Claimants’ Counsel:

This notice is to remind Claimants and Claimants’ Counsel of the provisions of Section 5.1(a)(2) of the Specialty Products Holding Corp. Asbestos Personal Injury Trust Distribution Procedures (as may be amended from time to time, the “Trust Distribution Procedures”) regarding the upcoming **January 1, 2020** filing deadline applicable to certain claims.

Key dates:

Specialty Products Holding Corp., Bondex International, Inc., Republic Powdered Metals, Inc. and NMBFil, Inc. (“SPHC Debtors”) filed its bankruptcy petition on May 31, 2010. The Initial Claims Filing Date with the Trust was January 1, 2017.

Diagnosis Prior to May 31, 2010 (SPHC Petition Date)

Claimants diagnosed prior to May 31, 2010, ***must file a claim with the Trust no later than midnight Central Time on January 1, 2020***, if any of the following conditions are met, provided the applicable statute of limitations did not bar the claim at the time of the event described below:

- a. Filed a claim by lawsuit against SPHC Debtor or by administrative submission of the claim to SPHC Debtor prior to May 31, 2010;
- b. Tolloed the claim against SPHC Debtor prior to May 31, 2010, by agreement or otherwise, provided such tolling was still in effect as of May 31, 2010;
- c. The then-applicable statute of limitations for the claimant’s injury was still running as of May 31, 2010.

Diagnosis On or After May 31, 2010 (SPHC Debtor Petition Date)

Claimants first diagnosed on or after May 31, 2010 may file a claim with the Trust ***within three (3) years after the date of diagnosis or by midnight Central Time on January 1, 2020, whichever occurs later***.

Please note that nothing in this letter modifies the Trust Agreement or the Trust Distribution Procedures, as amended (“the “Plan Documents”), and in the event of any conflict between this letter and the Plan Documents, the Plan Documents shall prevail.

To ensure timely filing of claims, the Trust encourages use of the electronic filing options described in the filing instructions available at <http://www.cpf-inc.com/>. If you have further questions, please contact the Trust’s claims administrator using any of the following methods:

By Mail: Bondex Trust Asbestos Personal Injury Trust
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1771 West Diehl Road, Suite 220
Naperville, IL 60563

By Fax: (630) 281-6722

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