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To whom it may concern

HEROSE Safety Valves and Globe Valves : **No Problem with radioactivity !**

In the news it was wrote, that valve-manufacturer in Germany, Austria, Italy and France get steel with radioactive contamination.

After this information we immediatelly checked if Herose got material by these listed suppliers. All relevant supplier are instruct to check the steel and it's origin.

The results of the Herose checks are always negative. Nobody found radioactive contaminated material.

For more safety Herose has checked the material delieveries in the past (by SAP since 2004). This result is also negative.

Since April 2005 Herose began with dose measuring, until now without critical results.

Finally result:

You can be sure, that Herose products are without radioactive contamination. These products are free of radioactive contamination.

A blue ink signature of Thorsten Cordes, written in a cursive style. To the right of the signature is a blue square stamp containing a white stylized starburst or compass rose symbol, identical to the one in the HEROSE logo.

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