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To Our Valued Customers:

As a result of continued and increased inflation across our collective businesses, Pixelle Specialty Solutions is announcing a price increase effective with shipments on or after **May 1, 2022** on the listed grades and product lines for rolls and sheets sold in our **United States market** shipping out of the Ohio, Pennsylvania, and the Opaque & Inkjet product lines from our Maine mill locations. Some customers in certain geographies and certain products may see a higher increase due to the increasing cost of transportation and pulp. We are being severely impacted by not only the cost and availability of transportation, but we are experiencing significant increases in our fuel surcharges. Pulp prices are forecasted to rise every month through July in the \$60-\$80/metric ton range monthly. Raw material cost increases for chemicals and starch (where corn availability is expected to be tight, as Ukraine is the third largest producer of corn in the world) make it necessary for us to implement this increase.

The increase will be 6% for the following:

All Carbonless Roll products
Defensa® Security CB products
Carbonless Roll Accs. (CF and CB Sprays)

All Carbonless Sheet Products
Fan-Apart Adhesive

The increase will be 7% for the following:

All Uncoated Defensa® Security grades

The increase will be 6-10% for the following:

Transform® Laser MOCR
Moistrite® Form Bond
Moistrite® MICR Colors
Scioto® Ledger
Worthington Index

Spring Forge® Offset
Spring Forge® Digital
Thor® Plus
Thor® PCW
Index Card

1864 Tradebook
Natures® Book
digiBOOK®
Sealer Envelope
Carbonizing Bond

1864 End Leaf
Natures® End Leaf
Kraft End Leaf
Natures® Kraft End Leaf

All Inkjet grades (Coated and Uncoated)
All Envelope grades
All Opaque grades
All Uncoated Tag grades
All Cut Size Papers (Mill/Private Label)

All Uncoated Education and Lightweight grades
All Backing Papers
All Drawing, Sketch and Pencil Papers
All Foam Liner Products
All Engineered Products Papers

All current standard differentials and upcharges remain in effect.

Thank you for your continued support of Pixelle Specialty Solutions. If you have any questions, please contact your local Pixelle Specialty Solutions Territory Manager.

Regards,

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