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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

ASA Alloys, established in 1983, is one of Canada's leading distributors of specialty metal products with seven branches strategically located across the country.

ASA Alloys has used EPL Consulting Corp. to conduct an entire ASHRAE Level 2 energy analysis on our facility located at 81 Steinway Blvd. in Toronto, Ontario. EPL Consulting assessed our 100,000 sq. foot facility and with the help of their CEM (Certified Energy Managers), they closely analyzed our natural gas, water and hydro consumption at our facility.

EPL Consulting's thorough approach to turn key energy analysis and auditing, allowed us to benchmark our consumption, as well as make drastic improvements in our facility. EPL Consulting also assisted in a turnkey fashion, securing large provincial government grants, funding large facility retrofits, which were spawned from our audit.

In addition, EPL Consulting provided a full turnkey solution to a large lighting retrofit of our facility. The project saved ASA Alloys in excess of \$30,000.00 in annual energy expenses, and boasted a 1-1/2 yr. payback. EPL Consulting managed the entire project, from installation, removal and disposal of old equipment, as well as securing ASA Alloys over \$20,000.00 to help pay for the project.

EPL Consulting was a very professional engineering firm, who assisted ASA Alloys in our energy goals. I would highly recommend to any company who is looking for a turnkey approach to energy management, from consulting and auditing to the execution of energy projects.

Best regards,



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