

## **U.S. Department of Justice**

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Hardwire, LLC 1947 Clarke Avenue Pocomoke City, MD 21851

## Notice of Compliance with NIJ Standard-0101.06

Body Armor Model Designation: 007-015-3000 NIJ Compliance Status Expires: September 7, 2021

## Dear XXXXXXXXX

We have completed our evaluation of the body armor model identified above that was submitted to the National Institute of Justice's (NIJ's) Voluntary Body Armor Compliance Testing Program. We are pleased to inform you that the above body armor model satisfies the requirements of NIJ Standard–0101.06 and the Compliance Testing Program.

We also received your completed declaration concerning the model noted above and your agreement to participate in the conformity assessment follow-up process.

The body armor model details are listed on the NIJ Compliant Products List available at <a href="www.justnet.org/CTP">www.justnet.org/CTP</a>.

You are now authorized to place the NIJ Statement of Compliance on the labels of this body armor model and all subsequent production units. The Statement of Compliance shall read:

"This model of armor has been determined to comply with NIJ Standard–0101.06 by the NIJ Compliance Testing Program and is listed on the NIJ Compliant Products List."

All compliance requirements, as identified by the *NIJ Body Armor Compliance Testing Program Administrative Manual* and the *Ballistic Body Armor Applicant Package*, must be maintained as long as the NIJ Statement of Compliance is displayed on this armor model's labels. If, at any time, the compliance status of this armor model is changed, the NIJ Statement of Compliance shall cease to be used as of the date of the status change.

Sincerely, We chaf K. O' Shoe

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