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## **NOTICE TO ALL TENDERERS – FABRICATION CLAUSES**

### **Pipe Fabrication/Bending**

An agreement exists between the Electrical Power Systems Construction Association (EPSCA) and the United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry of the United States and Canada wherein a commitment has been made that all piping at the option of the Employer shall be fabricated or bent on the job site or in a shop. A “shop” is defined as a qualified pipe fabrication shop under agreement with the United Association or one of its Local Unions. There is an exception for the installation of component parts of an industrial piping system such as skid mounted vessels, pumps, driers, exchangers, etc. (but excluding pipe and piping formations between components). For further information, refer to the “Fabrication Clause” Article in the collective agreement.

### **Sheet Metal Work**

An agreement exists between the Electrical Power Systems Construction Association (EPSCA) and the Ontario Sheet Metal Workers’ Conference wherein a commitment has been made that all sheet metal work at the option of the Employer shall be fabricated on the job site or in a shop. A “shop” is defined as a sheet metal shop under Agreement with the Sheet Metal Workers’ International Association or one of its Local Unions or the Ontario Sheet Metal Workers’ Conference. There is an exception for the supply of packaged equipment, catalogue items, and engineered assemblies. For further information, refer to the “Employer’s Responsibility” Article in the collective agreement.