

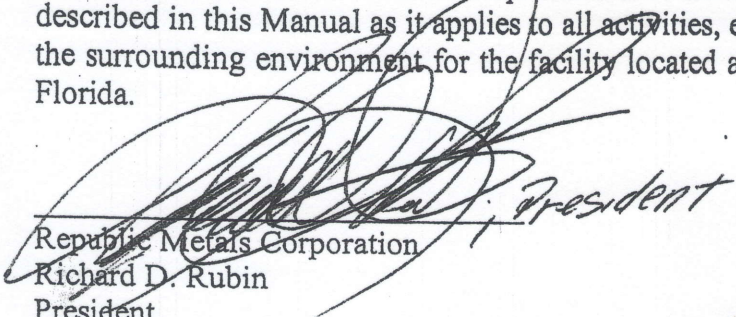


### I. Environmental Policy Statement

Republic Metals Corporation provides services for precious metals recovery and refining and is committed to continual improvement of its Safety and Environmental Management System, which includes the following:

- 1) Prevention of pollution and continued improvement of it.
- 2) Compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local safety and environmental rules and regulations.
- 3) Efficient use of energy and raw material.
- 4) Stoppage of activities that deviate from the requirement of this Manual.
- 5) Provide training, communication and a safe environment for all employees.
- 6) Communicate our commitment to safety and environmental commitment to employees, vendors, customers and the public.

Sustain this commitment and the requirements of the Environmental Management System described in this Manual as it applies to all activities, equipment, material, employees and the surrounding environment for the facility located at 12900 NW 38 AVE, Opa Locka, Florida.

  
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Republic Metals Corporation  
Richard D. Rubin  
President