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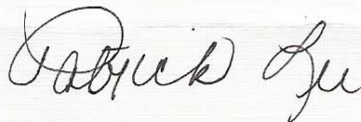
Dear Brian,

On behalf of Honda of South Carolina Aluminum Wheel Department, we would like to thank you for allowing us to test your product. The Aluminum Weld Wire 5356 outperformed all the US wire manufacturers and our Japan wire suppliers.

The number of repairs were reduced by 6 to 10% and the tip usage increased by 80%.

This much improved our overall effectiveness to produce a quality product. Once our wire inventory is reduced to reorder levels we will purchase the Maxal product.

Sincerely,



Patrick Lee
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