

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

# NOTICE OF APPEARANCE



CASE NAME McWANE, INC., et. al.	FILE/DOCKET NUMBER D09351
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Pursuant to Section 4.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice, I (we) am (are) entering in the above proceeding the appearance of

- counsel supporting the complaint (Complete Items 1, 3, 4, and 5 below)
- counsel or representative for the respondent (Complete Items 1, 2, 4, and 5 below)
- counsel or representative for a third party (Complete Items 1, 2, 4, and 5 below)

1. COUNSEL OR REPRESENTATIVE	2. RESPONDENT(S) OR THIRD PARTY(IES)
<p>Include the name, address, email address, and telephone number of each counsel or representative entering an appearance in the above proceeding.</p> <p>Abbott B. Lipsky, Jr. Jason D. Cruise Michael L. Hitsky LATHAM &amp; WATKINS LLP 555 Eleventh Street, NW, Suite 1000 Washington, DC 20004-1304 Telephone: (202) 637-2200 Facsimile: (202) 637-2201</p>	<p>Include the address and telephone numbers of all persons, partnerships, corporations, or associations on whose behalf this Notice of Appearance is being filed.</p> <p>U.S. Pipe &amp; Foundry Company, Inc. 3300 1st Avenue North PO Box 10406 Birmingham, AL 35222 Telephone: 866-347-7473</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">ORIGINAL</p>

3. ASSOCIATE/ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

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4. SIGNATURE OF SENIOR COUNSEL 	5. DATE SIGNED March 5, 2012
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**PROOF OF SERVICE OF PUBLIC FILING AND CERTIFICATION**

I, Michael L. Hitsky, hereby certify that on this 5th day of March, 2012, I caused a copy of the documents listed below to be served *by hand* on each of the following: The Office of the Secretary of the Federal Trade Commission (original) and the Honorable D. Michael Chappell (one copy),

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