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We consider a class of 2-step connected and simply connected nilpotent Lie groups of the type $N = P \rtimes M$ where P and M are abelian Lie groups and M acts on P by automorphisms. We consider the left regular representation restricted to a multiplicity-free closed subspace of $L^2(N)$ which we denote by H. We show how to construct normalized tight frames associated with fields of multivariate Gabor systems. Furthermore, we also obtain an explicit construction of continuous wavelets associated with the left regular representation restricted to H. (Received September 10, 2011)