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April 15, 2009

Mr. Chuck Hobbs  
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**Certification Letter**

Dear Mr. Hobbs:

We are pleased to confirm that the Vapor Protective Ensemble - Base Requirements models below are certified by the Safety Equipment Institute, effective April 15, 2009. Annual certification testing was successfully completed in accordance with the requirements of *NFPA 1991-2005 Standard on Vapor-Protective Ensembles for Hazardous Materials Emergencies*.

<u>SEI Ref. No.</u>	<u>Brand</u>	<u>Model No.</u>	<u>Passed Testing</u>
VPS SGP 07	ONESuit® Gard	1S-A-SM (Small) 1S-A-MD (Medium) 1S-A-LG (Large) 1S-A-XL (X-Large) 1S-A-2X (2X-Large) 1S-A-3X (3X-Large)	January 18, 2009

**Product Description:**

The ONESuit® Gard vapor protective ensemble model is also certified as meeting the following Optional Requirements of NFPA 1991-2005:

- Liquefied Gas Protection Performance Requirements

The ONESuit® Gard is a fully encapsulated 2-barrier layer protective suit with integral booties and 2-layer visor (clear or tinted) and is certified as an ensemble consisting of the following general components:

**Glove System:**

- ONEGlove® - HAZMAT by Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics

**Footwear:**

- Onguard Hazmax Boot #87012
- Tingley HazProof® Boot: #82330 or #82331

**Breathing system:**

- SCBA is required and must be CBRN certified by NIOSH and certified as compliant to NFPA 1981 Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus for the Fire Service.

**Product Note:**

The Onguard Hazmax and Tingley Hazproof Boots are not supplied by Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics but may be obtained from an authorized dealer.

The Pass Thru options listed below are certified with the Saint-Gobain ONESuit® Gard vapor protective suit:

<u>SEI Reference No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Model No.</u>
VPS SGP V10	Draeger Pass Thru w/ Foster Fitting	23001M
	Draeger Pass Thru w/ Hansen Fitting	23002M
VPS SGP V11	Interspiro Pass Thru	23003M
VPS SGP V12	ISI Pass Thru	23004M
VPS SGP V13	MSA Dual Purpose w/ Foster Fitting	23005M
	MSA Dual Purpose w/ Hansen Fitting	23006M
	MSA Dual Purpose w/ Schrader Fitting	23007M
VPS SGP V14	Scott Pass Thru w/ Hansen Fitting	23008M
	Scott Pass Thru w/ Schrader Fitting	23009M
VPS SGP V15	Survivair Pass Thru w/ Foster Fitting	23010M
	Survivair Pass Thru w/ Hansen Fitting	23011M
	Survivair Pass Thru w/ Schrader Fitting	23012M

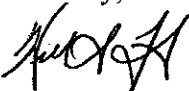
**NOTE:** The ONESuit® Gard ensemble above is considered certified as an ensemble ONLY when all of the above listed ensemble elements are worn with the above listed garment element.

The SEI Certification Mark may be used in the marketing, packaging and promotion of the model detailed above, in accordance with the provisions of the *SEI Certification Program Manual*.


Per the SEI Certification Program Manual, SEI shall certify the manufacturer's product model(s) and grant the right to use the SEI certification mark when 1) the Testing Laboratory has determined that the product model submitted and tested successfully meets the appropriate product standard, 2) the Quality Assurance Auditor has determined that the manufacturer complies with SEI quality assurance requirements through an on-site audit, including a review of the quality manual and procedures, 3) the manufacturer has paid all fees, and 4) product liability insurance requirements are met.

Following initial certification, SEI conducts annual follow-up testing on samples which are selected by SEI during the annual quality assurance audit. SEI's certification program is accredited as a System Type 5 per ISO/IEC Guide 67:2004(E).

Thank you for your participation in the SEI Certification Program. If you have any questions, please contact the SEI Office.

Sincerely,  


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Technical Director

  
Patricia A. Gleason  
President

cc: John Pio, SEI Auditor