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Dear Mr. Brunell:

The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) has reviewed your request accepted on February 24, 2012. This request was for an extension of approval to TC-84A-2733, TC-84A-2734, TC-84A-2735, and TC-84A-2737 to add private label versions of the 9000 series half mask and combination cartridges, part numbers G72, G71, G73 and G75, to Libus of Buenos Aires, Argentina, under the same part numbers, reference assembly matrix Rcr18AMs.xls. In addition, the drawings for the chemical cartridges, G01, G02, G03, G04, and G05 were updated with minor revisions.

This request is granted. Approvals are granted only for documentation written in the English language. It is the manufacturer's responsibility to correctly translate materials desired in languages other than English.

The CD enclosed with this letter contains the final respirator and cartridge approval labels. The cautions and limitations which apply to this approval are on the approval labels. Only those assemblies affected by this request, or where new approval numbers are assigned, apply to this approval action. Production approval labels cannot include information on unapproved configurations.

The approved assemblies consist of the parts as listed on the approval labels and the assembly matrix. Parts are to be marked with the numbers indicated on the approval label in a legible and permanent manner (marking cannot be removed without evidence of its previous presence).

The manufacturer is responsible for properly packaging, labeling, and controlling the respirators produced under these private label approvals. At a minimum, the items that must be controlled are the approved user instructions, all approval labeling, all approved packaging, use claims, marketing materials, and the respirator design and construction details. Any changes to these NIOSH-approved respirators or to the approval documentation without prior notification and approval are a violation of this approval and render this certification as invalid.

No changes may be made to any respirators and accompanying documentation without prior written approval of NIOSH. Requests for changes must be submitted to NIOSH and a modification of this approval must be granted before changes are made.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosures