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To Whom It May Concern:

Viking Corporation considers the environmental sustainability impact from all our manufacturing, sourcing, and general business practices. The purpose of this letter is to highlight Viking's use of recycled material in both our purchased components and in the finished products that we assemble.

While Viking purchases a majority of its components from United States-based sources, some cover plates and escutcheons are sourced from overseas suppliers. Viking machines, assembles, and tests its products at two primary manufacturing sites based in Michigan. Manufactured products and component material are moved between Viking and our suppliers and distributors by truck.

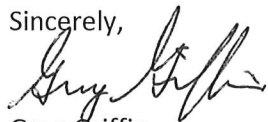
The ductile iron castings in Viking's valves use on avg 39% scrap material and 40% re-melt or recycled material by weight. The valve castings are produced in Iowa, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, and Canada and represent 97% of the product by weight. The brass valve castings use 100% recycled material. These brass castings, which are produced in Wisconsin and Michigan, are approx. 2% of the total valve assembly by weight. The rubber components in our valves contain a maximum 10% regrind by weight and comprise <1% of the weight of the finished product. **The result is avg 78% recycled material content (by weight) of Viking's valve products.**

Viking's fire sprinkler castings are sourced from suppliers that use 100% recycled material. The sprinkler castings, which are produced in Canada, China, and Europe represent 70% of the product by weight on average. The bulbs used in Viking's sprinklers are produced with 100% new material, which comprises <1% of the product by weight. The material used in our sprinklers' deflectors is approximately 90% recycled and comprises 12% of the product by weight. These deflectors are produced in the US. Viking's plastic protective covers contain a maximum of 25% recycled and are made from HDPE or LDPE, which is a recyclable material. The tubing used for dry pendent sprinklers has approximately 85% recycled material content. **In total, our sprinklers are produced from a total avg of 82% recycled material.**

Viking has no finished goods and uses no components with Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC).

If you have any questions about the material content of Viking's products, please contact Viking at 800-968-9501.

Sincerely,



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