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DATE: December 7, 2009
TO: Mark Cialek,
Kachemak Electric
SUBJECT: American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

For the project City of Seward – Lift Station No.3 Building Electrical, Siemens Water Technologies Corp. would like to make the following statement:

"The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) contains a Buy American provision in Section 1605. Based on currently available guidance on this provision, Siemens Water Technologies Corp. will comply with the Buy American provision of the ARRA as they relate to Federal aid for EPA funded projects through Clean Water State Revolving Fund and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund capitalization grants."

The basis for the foregoing statement is that the Seward Lift Station No.3 Duplex Submersible Pump Control Panel provided by Siemens is a domestic manufactured good as defined at 2 C.F.R. 176.140(a) or 2 C.F.R. 176.160(a), as applicable, assembled, tested and integrated in the United States prior to shipment to the project site.

Questions for Determining Whether Substantial Transformation Has Occurred in U.S.

	Question	Yes	No
1.	Were all of the components of the manufactured good manufactured in the United States, and were all of the components assembled in to the final product in the U.S.?		X
2.	Was there a change in character or use of the good or the components in America?	X	
3.	Was(/were) the process(es) performed in the US (including but not limited to assembly) complex and meaningful?	X	

	Question	Yes	No
2	Was there a change in character or use of the good or the components in America	X	
	a. Was there a change in the physical and/or chemical properties or characteristics designed to alter the functionality of the good?	X	
	b. Did the manufacturing or processing operation result in a change of the product(s) with one use into a product with a different use?	X	

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	c. Did the manufacturing or processing operation result in the narrowing of the range of possible uses of a multi-use product?	X	
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	Question	Yes	No
3	Was (/were) the process(es) performed in the U.S. (including but not limited to assembly) complex and meaningful?	X	
	a. Did the process take a substantial amount of time?	X	
	b. Was (/were) the process(es) costly?	X	
	c. Did the process(es) require particularly high skill level?	X	
	d. Did the process(es) require a number of different operations?	X	
	e. Was substantial value added in the process(es)?	X	

Using USEPA Guidance regarding "Substantial Transformation of Manufactured Goods", USEPA provides that substantial transformation has occurred if:

If answers to any Questions 1, 2 or 3 are YES.

If answers to any 2a, 2b, or 2c to question 2 are YES

If answers to at least two of 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d or 3e to Questions 3 are YES

Yours sincerely,



Brad Winkels
Product Manager
Siemens Water Technologies
Control Systems

1. 90-95 % of all the components used in our panel are manufactured in the United States. They procured for assembly in to the final product our control panel and manufactured in the United States.
2. The control panel supplied for this project were designed, assembled and tested at our facility in Minnesota.

Subpart

- a. The enclosure was modified to provide easy customer operation of equipment.
 - b. The completed control panel provides intrinsic safety, equipment protection, operator protection measures, control and process monitoring.
 - c. The controller used in this panel is only being used as a stand alone controller in a wastewater application.
3. The design for this project was preformed by degreed and certified personal to complete this complex and meaningful product.

Subpart

- a. The process from receipt of PO to ship date was approximately 4 months
- b. The labor cost of the process to manufacture the goods reflects approximately 50 % of the cost.
- c. The engineering, computer aided design, precise manufacturing, testing and certification all by certified personal.
- d. This process required administrative, engineering, procurement, manufacturing, testing and shipping.
- e. The different processes and efforts put forth resulted in a control value reflective of the value added.



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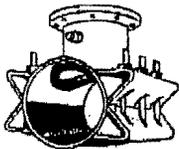


Re: JCM Fabricated Carbon Steel Tapping Sleeves

To Whom It May Concern:

JCM

JCM Industries carbon steel tapping sleeves are manufactured domestically at the JCM facility in Nash, Texas. JCM Industries tapping sleeves are manufactured from materials that are procured within the U. S., an occasionally an imported component part which is substantially transformed. JCM Fabricated Carbon Steel Tapping Sleeves meet all federally established criteria to be classified as an American made, domestically manufactured product and is in compliance to the Buy American Clause of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009



JCM Tapping Sleeves are ANSI/NSF Standard 61 Certified, meet or exceed the ANSI/AWWA C-223 and the MSS-SP 124 Standards as applicable.



Respectfully submitted,

Ron Collins
President/CEO
JCM Industries, Inc.

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**CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH ARRA
BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS**

RE: Compliance with the American Recovery and
Reinvestment Act – Buy American Act – Construction
Materials

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter certifies that Performance Pipe, a division of
Chevron Phillips Chemical LP, produces all of its pipe and
molded fittings products in nine manufacturing plants located
throughout the United States. Performance Pipe's
manufacturing facilities are located in: Bloomfield, IA;
Brownwood, TX; Fairfield, IA; Hagerstown, MD; Knoxville, TN;
Pryor, OK; Reno, NV; Startex, SC; and, Williamstown, KY.

Therefore, and in accordance with the *Buy American*
requirement of the 2009 American Recovery and
Reinvestment Act ("the Recovery Act"), All Performance Pipe's
pipe and molded fittings are appropriate for use in the
construction, alteration, maintenance, or repair of projects paid
for with funds appropriated or otherwise made available by the
Recovery Act. See 48 CFR 25.600-607.

Please feel free to contact me at the office with any additional
questions.

Sincerely,

Al Wilkes

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BUY AMERICAN COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION

Section 1605 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) requires all iron, steel, and manufactured goods purchased for and incorporated into projects wholly or partially funded by ARRA to have been made in the United States, except where this would be inconsistent with U.S. obligations under international agreements. These provisions do not apply to sub-components of a domestically manufactured good, raw materials such as plywood, stone, concrete mix, or machinery used but not incorporated into construction.

BASE BUILDING SYSTEMS (Manufacturer) hereby certifies that the following items included in this submittal comply with the Buy American provisions of the ARRA:

NP-1, SL-1 Manufactured Location: 10600 Fulton Street
Brighton, CO 80601

CHARLES NEWTON
Printed Name

Charles Newton
Signature

March 16th 2010
Date

The above certification was based upon the result of completing the table below:

STE Question	YES	NO
Were all of the components of the manufactured good manufactured in the United States, and were all of the components assembled into the final product in the US? (If the answer is yes, then this is clearly manufactured in the US, and the inquiry is complete)	X	
Was there a change in character or use of the good or the components in America? (These questions apply to the product as a whole, not to individual components) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Was there a change in the physical and/or chemical properties or characteristics designed to alter the functionality of the good? - Did the manufacturing or processing operation result in a change of a product(s) with one use into a product with a different use? - Did the manufacturing or processing operation result in the narrowing of the range of possible uses of multi-use product? *Any one bullet answered "yes" passes STE		
Was(were) the process(es) performed in the US (including but not limited to assembly) complex and meaningful? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Did the process(es) take a substantial amount of time? - Was(were) the process(es) costly? - Did the process(es) require particular high level skills? - Did the process(es) require a number of different operations? - Was substantial value added in the process(es)? **Any two bullets answered "yes" passes STE		

