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Dear Mr. Lean:

The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) has reviewed your request dated November 20, 1998. This request was for an extension of approval to add the p/n MPF-1 prefilter with the M-122A threaded retainer to the M-1.2 series of halfmask respirators. The MPF-1 is a flat prefilter designed to be placed in front of a particulate filter or cartridge. The prefilter is not evaluated as an approved N, R, or P class particulate filter and may be listed only as an accessory item.

This extension of approval is granted for TC-84A-2748, TC-84A-2749, TC-23C-1916, TC-23C-1917, and TC-23C-1918. Approval is granted for English language only on all documentation. It is the manufacturer's responsibility to correctly translate materials desired in languages other than English.

Since this request does not affect the approval labels, final labels are not enclosed.

The approved assembly consists of the parts as listed on the approval labels plus 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).

This certificate of approval is not an endorsement of the respirator by NIOSH, and such endorsement shall not be stated or implied in advertisements or other publicity. However, you may publicize the fact that this respirator has met the requirements of Title 42, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 84.

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No additional 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 any changes are made.

Sincerely yours,

William A Hoffman for

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Enclosure