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RE: USA/9027/B(U)-96 (Current Revision 18)

Dear Ms. Glenny:

The following is provided in response to your request for additional information received 28 March 08 related to the Mode 680-OP transport package (USA/9035/B(U)-96) and your letter dated 19 May 08. Similar changes also affect the approval for the Model 741-OP transport package and are therefore also submitted for incorporation with our current amendment action dated 14 February 2008. Also included is a revision to drawing R741-OP Rev G to address the issues noted in your 19 May 08 letter:

- 1-1 Sheet 2 of Drawing R741-OP has been revised to identify the applicable AWS code reference in Note 10. This note was further revised to clarify the qualification standard for the weld inspectors.
- 1-2 Sheet 4 has been revised to show further dimensions and positions of the wooden inserts which are incorporated into the R741-OP assembly.
- 1-3 The lock mechanism detail previously shown on sheet 4 of this drawing has been moved to sheet 3 of Rev G. The note regarding the orientation of the tab was intended to refer to the part of the latch that is welded to the overpack lid and not the part of the latch used to engage the lock. This has been clarified on Sheet 5 both visually and by description. Orientation of the flat welded tab will have no impact on the operation of the locking mechanism for the lid as the latch will always be oriented as shown on sheet 3 when assembled. The notation/description on this sheet has been revised to clarify this point.

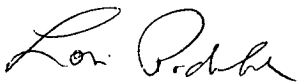
Additionally, sheet 7 has been updated to include additional clarification of the window cut out dimensions relative to the remainder of the box weldment components.

This drawing update makes no additional changes to the package construction than previously described in our 14 Feb 2008 submission. The changes submitted under drawing R741-OP Rev G are for clarification purposes and/or to provide additional detail on the package construction not previously specified on the drawing.

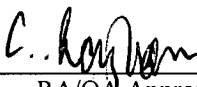
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Should you have any additional questions or wish to discuss this submission after receipt please contact me. If you feel a site visit with your staff would be beneficial and/or facilitate review of this submission, please call me and we will arrange to meet with your staff to discuss this action at your offices.

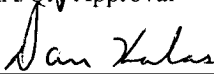
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RA/QA Approval

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Enclosure: Drawing R741-OP Rev G

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		QSA GLOBAL		DESCRIPTIVE DRAWING	
40 NORTH AVE, BURLINGTON, MA 01803					
TITLE		MODEL 741-OP			
SIZE	DWG. NO.		R741-OP		REV
A	SCALE: NONE		SHEET 1 OF 7		G

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UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED: ALL DIM.S ARE INCHES, TOL \pm 1/8			
SIZE	DWG. NO.	R741-OP	
A	SCALE: NONE	SHEET 2 OF 7	REV G

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SIZE	DWG. NO.	R741-OP	
A	SCALE: NONE	SHEET 3 OF 7	REV G

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SIZE	DWG. NO.	R741-OP	
A	SCALE: NONE	SHEET 4 OF 7	REV G

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SIZE	DWG. NO.	R741-OP	
A	SCALE: NONE	SHEET 5 OF 7	REV G

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SIZE	DWG. NO.	R 741-OP	
A	SCALE: NONE	SHEET 6 OF 7	REV G

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SIZE	DWG. NO.	R741-OP	REV
A	SCALE: NONE	SHEET 7 OF 7	G