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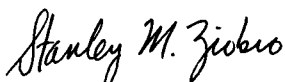
Subject: Examination for possible approval of client's Colt and Maxim backflow preventers in sizes 2-1/2, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 10 inch NPS. FM Approvals P.I. 3012848.

Dear Mr. Powell,

In reference to project P.I. 3012848, please be advised that all tests associated with the subject devices have been satisfactorily completed. A complete listing of models, sizes and orientations covered by this examination is shown on the attached Appendix.

FM Approval of these devices is contingent upon the completion of the Approval Report as well as the signing and returning of the Approval Agreement which will accompany the aforementioned Report.

Very truly yours,


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Appendix

APPENDIX A



<u>Sizes</u>	<u>Models</u>	<u>Available Shut-off Valves</u>
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Colt 400 "Standard"	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Colt 400N "N" Pattern Colt 400Z "Z" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702 (2 ½"-8")
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Maxim 400 "Standard"	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Maxim 400N "N" Pattern Maxim 400Z "Z" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702 (2 ½"-8")
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Colt 500 "Standard"	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Colt 500N "N" Pattern Colt 500Z "Z" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702 (2 ½"-8")
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Maxim 500 "Standard"	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Union Gate Valve, Series GV12
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Maxim 500N "N" Pattern Maxim 500Z "Z" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702 (2 ½"-8")
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Colt 200 Horizontal & Vertical Up Colt 200N "N" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702 (2 ½"-8")
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Maxim 200 Horizontal & Vertical Up Maxim 200N "N" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702 (2 ½"-8")
2 ½", 3", 4", 6"	Colt 200a Horizontal & Vertical Up Colt 200Na "N" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702
2 ½", 3", 4"	Maxim 200a Horizontal & Vertical Up Maxim 200Na "N" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Colt 300 Horizontal & Vertical Up Colt 300N "N" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702 (2 ½"-8")
2 ½", 3", 4", 6", 8", 10"	Maxim 300 Horizontal & Vertical Up Maxim 300N "N" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702 (2 ½"-8")
2 ½", 3", 4", 6"	Colt 300a Horizontal & Vertical Up Colt 300Na "N" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702
2 ½", 3", 4"	Maxim 300a Horizontal & Vertical Up Maxim 300Na "N" Pattern	Clow Gate Valve, Series F6104/05/37/38/36/02 Kennedy Gate Valve Series 7592/93/61 & 7092/93/68 Victaulic Butterfly Valves, Series 702