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## APPROVAL AGREEMENT

The Agreement is made by and between Factory Mutual Research Corporation (herein called Factory Mutual Research) and Ames Company, Woodland, California, 95776

(herein called the Client). The Client is making a product or providing a service known and described as:

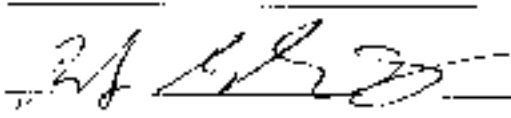
**MODEL 1000SS DCV  
 WATERFLOW DETECTOR CHECK VALVE  
 8 AND 10 INCH NPS**

This product or service has been examined by Factory Mutual Research as described in a report bearing Job Identification **3004906** dated **December 21, 1999**.


In consideration of Factory Mutual Research Approval of the product or service, the Client is authorized to indicate such Approval, as stated by the above report, and agrees to the following and terms stated on the reverse side of this Agreement:

1. The Client shall place a unique identification mark (i.e. model or type number) on the product as stated in the above report and shall not place this mark on any other product unless covered by a separate Agreement with Factory Mutual Research.
2. The Client shall use the Factory Mutual Research Approval Mark on the product, but shall not use this mark on any other product unless such other product is covered by separate Agreement with Factory Mutual Research.
3. The Client shall not use, reproduce or distribute the above referenced report by Factory Mutual Research except in its entirety without any change, deletion or addition thereto. The Client agrees that Factory Mutual Research may distribute the referenced report and related information within FM Global.

AMES COMPANY, INC.

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 Client  
  
 Signature  
 Randy Schuster  
 Name  
 Product Development Manager  
 Title  
 1485 Lanforan Ave., Woodland, CA 95776  
 Address  
 January 18, 2000  
 Date

FACTORY MUTUAL RESEARCH CORPORATION

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 Signature  
  
 Signature  
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 Name  
 Asst. V.P. - Approvals Division  
 Title  
 January 4, 2000  
 Date