

FACTORY MUTUAL



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**APPROVAL AGREEMENT**

The Agreement is made by and between Factory Mutual Research Corporation, (herein called FMRC), and **Ames Company, Woodland, CA 95695** (herein called the Client). The Client is making a product or providing a service known and described as:

**BACKFLOW PREVENTERS**

**DOUBLE CHECK VALVE TYPE  
MODEL NO. 2000SS  
DOUBLE CHECK DETECTOR TYPE  
MODEL NO. 3000SS  
SIZES 8 AND 10 INCH NPS**

This product or service has been examined by FMRC as described in the report bearing Job Identification **0B7A0.AH** dated, **November 19, 1996** in consideration of FMRC Approval of the product or service the Client 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 separate agreement with FMRC.
2. The Client shall use the FMRC 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 FMRC.
3. The Client shall not use, reproduce or distribute the above referenced report by FMRC except in its entirety without any change, deletion or addition thereto. The Client agrees that FMRC may distribute the referenced report and related information within the Factory Mutual System.

(SEE OVER)

Ames Company  
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*Lester Engelmann* Signature  
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 Lester Engelmann Name  
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 December 12, 1996 Date  
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 Date

**FACTORY MUTUAL RESEARCH CORPORATION**  
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 R.L. Martell Name  
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 Asst. V.P. - Approvals Division Title  
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 December 3, 1996 Date  
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