

December 8, 2005

St. Gobain Performance Plastics Specialty Hose Systems 10585 Main St. Mantua, OH 44255

Re: Synflex Offshore Hose Products Training Record for Bill Burton

This letter is to certify that Mr. Bill Burton, General Manager of Atlantic Hose & Fittings, St. John's, Newfoundland Canada has been instructed on the correct assembly tools, procedures, and inspection techniques required to assemble and certify Synflex brand hydraulic and specialty hoses and couplings. Training was also conducted on the repair of offshore bundle outer jackets using the St Gobain Performance Plastics recommended hot-air welding procedure. This training was conducted at the Mantua and Aurora Ohio Synflex facilies on December 1st, 2005.

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