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Dear Sir/Madam

PUB COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR WATER FITTINGS

PUB would like to remind all suppliers and retailers that only water fittings complying with the requirements and standards stipulated by PUB are allowed to be advertised, displayed or offered for sale, supply or installation in Singapore. These water fittings must also be supported with valid test reports showing compliance with PUB's stipulated requirements and standards. Suppliers/retailers must produce these test reports for verification upon request by PUB. More information on PUB's compliance requirements for water fittings including PUB's stipulated requirements and standards for specific water fittings can be found at PUB's website at www.pub.gov.sg/general/Pages/FittingsandStandards.aspx. Maximum allowable flow rates and flush volumes at water fittings can be found in the Singapore Standard CP 48 - Code of Practice for Water Services. If requirements and standards for a water fitting are not stipulated, the supplier, retailer or installer must approach PUB to stipulate the necessary requirements and standards for compliance.

2 PUB would also like to inform that the display of water fittings for export purposes is only allowed till 1 July 2009 when the mandatory water efficiency labelling of water fittings comes into effect. More details on the Mandatory Water Efficiency Labelling Scheme (MWELS) can be found at our water efficiency labelling website at www.pub.gov.sg/wels. From 1 July 2009, display of water fittings for export purposes will no longer be allowed and suppliers/retailers shall stop all display of water fittings if they do not comply with PUB's stipulated standards and requirements and are not supported with test reports showing compliance with PUB's stipulated requirements and standards. Additionally, water fittings that are covered under MWELS such as taps and mixers (sink/bib/shower/basin), dual flush low capacity flushing cisterns (LCFCs), urinal flush valves and urinals can only be displayed if they have been registered and given the water efficiency label. They must also be displayed with their water efficiency labels.

3 PUB urges all suppliers and retailers to comply with the above PUB requirements. PUB will be more vigilant and will be stepping up its checks and enforcement to ensure that suppliers and retailers do not violate PUB's requirements. PUB will not hesitate to take punitive and prosecution action against any supplier or retailer found violating PUB's requirements.

4 If you have any queries or require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me or Mr Lau Kam Kok at Tel Nos 67313518 or 67313850 respectively.

5 Thank you and best regards.

Yours faithfully



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