Certificate of Test

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FIRE TEST ON AN AIR CONDITIONING DUCT IN ACCORDANCE WITH UL181 PART 9 AS REQUIRED BY CLAUSE 2.7.2 (c) OF AS 4254-2002

TRADE NAME:

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DESCRIPTION OF TEST SPECIMEN:

The sponsor described the specimen as flexible ducting comprising three layers:

Jacket: single layer of 12-µm thick aluminised PET film.

Insulation: 50-mm thick polyester insulation

Core: two layer of 12-µm thick aluminium coated PET film bonded using adhesive

containing flame retardant additives encapsulating steel wire helix.

Nominal total thickness: 50 mm

Colours:

silver film; white insulation

TEST PROCEDURE:

The samples were tested in accordance with UL181 Standard For Safety: Factory-Made Air Ducts and Air Connectors; Part 9 - Burning Test; April 1996, as required by Clause 2.7.2 (c) of Australian Standard 4254, Ductwork for air-handling systems in buildings, 2002. For the test, the inside and the outside faces of specimens were exposed to a pilot flame. This was done in three different orientations (Vertical, 45° and Horizontal).

RESULTS:

The following results were obtained:

OBSERVATIONS	Horizontal Orientation Outside Face	Horizontal Orientation Inside Face	45° Orientation Outside Face	45° Orientation Inside Face	Vertical Orientation Outside Face	Vertical Orientation Inside Face
Flame or glowing combustion duration after bunsen extinguished (min:sec)	0:02	0:02	0:05	0:05	0:07	0:10
Tip of flame reached other end (YES/NO)	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Cotton ignites (YES/NO)	NO	N/A	NO	N/A	N/A	N/A
Criteria Satisfied (YES/NO)	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES

CONCLUSION:

The ducting satisfied the performance criteria as specified by UL 181 part 9.

DATE OF TEST:

14 November 2007

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