

ISO 9001:2000 Certified

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**G-M-I, Inc.**

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**Re: Hg Free Certification  
Mercury Free**

**Rubber Polymers/Compounds:**

**EPDMs (Ethylene-Propylene-Diene-Monomer):**

EA50, EA70, EA50, EA70, EB50, EB70, EBS50, EBS70, EG50, EG70, EGS50, EGS70, EK50, EK70, EKS50, EKS70, EL50, EL70, ELS50, ELS70, EN50, EN70, ENS50, ENS70, EO50, EO70, EOS50, EOS70, ER50, ER70, ERS50, ERS70, EU50, EU70, EUS50, EUS70, EW50, EW70, EWS50, EWS70, EY50, EY70 EYS50 and EYS70.

**FKMs (Viton/Fluoroelastomer):**

VA55, VA70, VA90, VB55, VB70, VB90, VG55, VG70, VG90, VK55, VK70, VK90, VL55, VL70, VL90, VN55, VN70, VN90, VO55, VO70, VO90, VR55, VR70, VR90, VU55, VU70, VU90, VW55, VW70, VW90, VY55, VY70 and VY90.

**NBRs (Nitrile/Buna-N):**

BA50, BA70, BB50, BB70, BG50, BG70, BK50, BK70, BL50, BL70, BN50, BN70, BO50, BO70, BR50, BR70, BU50, BU70, BW50, BW70, BY50 and BY70.

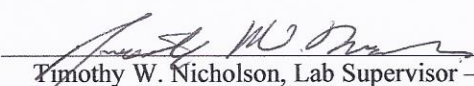
**VMQs (Silicone):**

SA50, SA70, SB50, SB70, SC50, SC70, SG50, SG70, SK50, SK70, SL50, SL70, SN50, SN70, SO50, SO70, SR50, SR70, ST50, ST70, SU50, SU70, SW50, SW70, SY50, SY70 and SP80.

**Plastic Fluoropolymers:**

**DuPont Teflon<sup>®</sup> Tefzel<sup>®</sup> ETFE, FEP, PFA and PTFE Fluoropolymer Resin Products**

We, the undersigned, have evaluated your rubber compound formulations and plastic products listed above according to the requirements of US FDA 9CFR94.18 and FDA 21CFR589, US Pharmacopeia Vol 3(5), EU 2004/C 24/03 and 2002/195/EC, EU EMEA/410/01, CPMP/QWP/227/02, CVMP/134/02 and CVMP/145/197. These rubber compounds and the ingredients therein and the DuPont plastic product information comply with these regulations.

  
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