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Subj: GME MT603G series EPIRB

Dear Mr. Thomas:

We have reviewed the information submitted with your email dated 30 July 2018, requesting a letter that is required in order for GME to file for FCC approval of the MT603G series of 406 MHz Satellite Emergency Position Radiobeacons (EPIRBs).

Based on the information provided, including the TUV SUD test reports (Document 75931946), dated October 2017, indicating compliance with 47 CFR 80.1061(c)(2), we conclude that the MT603G series EPIRBs meet the relevant requirements of the Radio Technical Commission for Maritime Services (RTCM) recommended standards for 406 MHz satellite EPIRBs (RTCM Standard 11000 for 406 MHz EPIRBs) as follows:

- MT603G 406 MHz EPIRB w/integral GPS (C-S Class 2, US Category 2)
- MT603FG 406 MHz EPIRB w/integral GPS (C-S Class 2, US Category 1) w/automatic float-free USCG approved Hammar H2O hydraulic release unit (HRU)

This letter was delivered electronically to <u>Zeljko Beljic <zbeljic@gme.net.au></u>. No hard copies will be provided. You are welcome to print as many copies as you wish. If you have any follow-up questions, please contact Mr. Marty Jackson at 202-372-1391 or <u>typeapproval@uscg.mil</u>. Please reference ID#: 2018-0121 in any correspondence related to this project.

Sincerely,

B. A. BALDWIN Chief, Lifesaving and Fire Safety Division U.S. Coast Guard By direction

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