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March 23, 2010

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Attn: S. Jincheleau
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Subj: APPROVAL OF KANNAD SAFELINK AUTO AND SAFELINK MANUAL+,
CATEGORY 1 OR 2, 406 MHZ EPIRB

Dear Mr. Jincheleau:

We have completed our review of your request, dated February 1, 2010, for approval of your SAFELINK AUTO and SAFELINK MANUAL+ 406 MHz beacons. Based on the information provided and the tests carried out, and in accordance with 47 CFR 80.1061 (c)(2), we conclude that the SAFELINK AUTO and SAFELINK MANUAL+ meet the relevant requirements of RTCM Standard 11000.2 (RTCM Paper 77-2002/SC110-STD) Standard for 406 MHz Satellite Emergency Position-Indicating Radiobeacons (EPIRBs), Version 2.1. The SAFELINK AUTO, equipped with an automatic float-free bracket, is designated as an RTCM Category 1 EPIRB, and the SAFELINK MANUAL+, with a manual release bracket, is designated as an RTCM Category 2 EPIRB; both models are COSPAS-SARSAT Class 2 (-20° C). We note that no other trade names have been provided for these EPIRBs. The Category 1 units may utilize a Hammar H2OE hydraulic release unit.

Please feel free to contact me or Lieutenant Commander Vincent Gamma of my staff if you have questions concerning any of the above.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. J. HEINZ", written over the typed name.

K. J. HEINZ
Chief, Lifesaving and Fire Safety Division
U. S. Coast Guard
By direction

Copy: FCC



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Certificate of Approval

Coast Guard Approval Number: 161.011/87/0

Expires: 01 February 2015

EMERGENCY POSITION INDICATING RADIO BEACON
RECORD ONLY - NO COAST GUARD APPROVAL CERTIFICATES
ISSUED

KANNAD (formerly MARTEC SERPE-IESM)
ZI DES 5 CHEMINS
GUIDEL 56520
FRANCE

Model KANNAD 406 SAFELINK AUTO and SAFELINK MANUAL+, Category 1 or 2, 406 MHz Satellite EPIRB.

FCC Type Accepted

Certificates of Approval not issued. These devices are FCC type Accepted only. This information is provided for reference only.

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THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT the above named manufacturer has submitted to the undersigned satisfactory evidence that the item specified herein complies with the applicable laws and regulations as outlined on the reverse side of this Certificate, and approval is hereby given. This approval shall be in effect until the expiration date hereon unless sooner canceled or suspended by proper authority.



GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 1st DAY OF
FEBRUARY 2010, AT WASHINGTON D.C.

K. J. HEINZ
Chief, Lifesaving and Fire Safety Division
BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMANDANT