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TO: ALL FIRE PROTECTION PROFESSIONALS
RE: UL'S PRESS RELEASE DATED 7/14/06

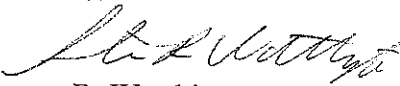
Dear Fire Protection Professionals,

Recently Underwriters Laboratories issued a press release dated 7/14/06 concerning counterfeited Globe Fire Sprinkler Corporation Model GL5651 (5mm 1/2" x 1/2" chrome 155F pendent sprinkler heads). Although we are grateful UL decided to alert the industry concerning the counterfeiting, Globe feels that additional clarification is needed to avoid confusion concerning the matter.

Globe Fire Sprinkler Corporation has been working closely with UL and the other USA based sprinkler manufacturers concerning the counterfeit sprinklers being produced in China. In Globe's case, the model GL5651 1/2"x 1/2" 5mm 155F chrome pendent sprinklers were manufactured in China, shipped to India, and then re-shipped to Kuwait. It is our belief that the extent of the counterfeited Globe sprinkler heads have only been found in the Middle East, Southeast Asia, Spain and parts of Eastern Europe. Our competitors have experienced similar problems in these specific markets. Subsequently, we are not aware of any counterfeit Globe sprinkler heads entering the United States and/or Canada.

If you have any additional questions concerning the UL press release, please feel free to contact Globe Fire Sprinkler Corporation at 1-989-846-4583.

Sincerely,


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