



SAFETY EQUIPMENT INSTITUTE

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December 12, 2008

Mr. Wayne Ruggles
E. D. Bullard Company
1898 Safety Way
Cynthiana, KY 41031-9303

Certification Letter

Dear Mr. Ruggles:

We are pleased to confirm that the Structural Fire Fighting Helmet model below is certified by the Safety Equipment Institute, effective December 12, 2008. Annual certification testing was successfully completed in accordance with the requirements of *NFPA 1971-2007 Standard on Protective Ensembles for Structural Fire Fighting and Proximity Fire Fighting*.

<u>SEI Ref. No.</u>	<u>Brand</u>	<u>Model</u>	<u>Passed Testing</u>
FF BUL 02	Rescue Helmet	USRX	October 31, 2008

The SEI Certification Mark may be used in the marketing, packaging and promotion of the model detailed above, in accordance with the provisions of the *SEI Certification Program Manual*.

Per the SEI Certification Program Manual, SEI shall certify the manufacturer's product model(s) and grant the right to use the SEI certification mark when 1) the Testing Laboratory has determined that the product model submitted and tested successfully meets the appropriate product standard, 2) the Quality Assurance Auditor has determined that the manufacturer complies with SEI quality assurance requirements through an on-site audit, including a review of the quality manual and procedures, 3) the manufacturer has paid all fees, and 4) product liability insurance requirements are met.

Following initial certification, SEI conducts annual follow-up testing on samples which are selected by SEI during the annual quality assurance audit. SEI's certification program is accredited as a System Type 5 per ISO/IEC Guide 67:2004(E).

Thank you for your participation in the SEI Certification Program. If you have any questions, please contact the SEI Office.

Sincerely,

William A. Fithian
Technical Director

Patricia A. Gleason
President

cc: Kevin Warren, SEI Auditor