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Dear Mr. Schneider:

This letter serves to inform you that the Gentex PureFlo ESM+ PF60 Powered Air Purifying Respirator (PAPR) system meets the protective headwear requirement listed in Section 22(2)(b) of Ontario Regulation 213/91 for Construction Projects.

The shell of the PureFlo ESM+ PF60 withstands a Class E level dielectric strength test at 20,000 volts in compliance with Section 22(2)(b) of this Regulation. Please find enclosed a third-party test performed at ICS Laboratories, Inc. as verification of our conformity with the Class E hard hat standard.

Should you be in need of any additional information regarding this matter, please contact Dustin Levy via email at <u>dlevy@gentexcorp.com</u> or via phone at 1-908-235-8385.

Sincerely, GENTEX CORPORATION

Dustin Levy VP, Industrial Safety

Enclosure: T13238-01-1 Test Report Issue 1.pdf



Test Report # T13238-01-1 Issue 1 ANSI/ISEA Z89.1 – 2014 Custom R&D Gentex Corporation PureFlo PF60 ESM+ - PAPR Helmet Assembly 06 June 2019



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## **Objective:**

Custom R& D contract testing to ANSI/ ISEA Z89.1-2014 "American National Standard for Industrial Head Protection".

-Clause 7.1.2; Force Transmission (Partial) -Clause 7.1.4.3; Electrical Insulation Class E

## Sample(s):

PureFlo PF60 ESM+ - PAPR Helmet Assembly

Description	Qty	Date Code	Material	Date Received	Sample ID	
PAPR with Ratchet Suspension (4 pt.)	2	3/19		16 May 2019	8A-x	
(Black/Grey)	1	9/14	Not Present	Transferred from	0 <b>A-</b> A	
PAPR with Ratchet Suspension (4 pt.) (Hi Viz Yellow)	1	01/2018	on Product	Respiratory Dept.	8B-x	

## **Procedures:**

Testing protocols in accord with good laboratory practice were employed unless otherwise specified, for all tests.

Testing procedures as specified within Section 10 of ANSI/ ISEA Z89.1-2014 were followed.

Testing was performed at room temperature  $23^{\circ}C \pm 3^{\circ}C$  (73.4°F  $\pm 5.4^{\circ}F$ ) per ANSI/ ISEA Z89.1 – 2014.

### **Equipment:**

Cadex Twin Wire Test Platform Envirotronics Model FLX900 Environmental Conditioning Chamber Cadex Impact Software V6.9U Hanco Dielectric Strength Chamber

## **Assessment Summary:**

Date Tested: 21 May 2019 & 03 June 2019 Test Performed By: David Petit - Test Engineer



ACCREDITED Test Laboratory Certificate: 1722.01

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## **Results:**

#### 7.1.2 **Force Transmission**

Sample ID	Conditioning (°C)	Velocity (m/s)	Force (N)	Specified Value (N)	Observations	Pass	Fail
8A-1		5.51	2527	< 1150	-	Х	
8A-2	$49 \pm 2$	5.52	2475	≤ 4450	-	Х	
Average			2501	≤ 3780		Х	
8A-3		5.50	2539	< 1150	-	Х	
8B-1	-18 ± 2	5.51	2175	≤ 4450	-	Х	
Average			2357	≤ 3780		Х	
Specification:		$5.50\pm0.05$					

Observations: (-) No observation

## 7.1.4.3 Electrical Insulation Requirements (Class E)

Sample ID	Leakage (mA)	Burn Through (Yes/ No)	Observations	Pass	Fail
8A-1*	3.9	No	-	Х	
8A-2*	4.8	No	-	Х	
8A-3*	3.5	No	-	Х	
8B-1*	3.8	No	-	Х	
Specification:	Class E: $\leq 9 \text{ mA}$	No Burn Through Allowed			

Observations: (-) No observation

\*Note: Deviation of test line. Test line lowered past bolt holes to test material.



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## Sample Photographs:

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