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Division of Associated Materials, Inc.
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Subj: SHIPBOARD ELECTRICAL CABLE

Gentlemen:

The U.S. Coast Guard does not grant type approvals for shipboard electrical cable. Title 46 of the Code of Federal Regulations (46 CFR), Subpart 111.60 contains the requirements for wiring materials on vessels certificated by the U.S. Coast Guard. 46 CFR 111.60 refers to various acceptable standards for cable construction such as IEEE Standard No. 45 and Military Specification MIL-C-915, but also allows for cable constructed to another standard if acceptable to the Commandant (G-MTH-2). The Coast Guard also accepts cable which has been listed and labeled as shipboard cable by Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL). Since your Tiger Brand 37-102 cables have been listed by UL and are labeled as such, they are suitable for use on U.S. Coast Guard certificated vessels.

Final acceptance of these cables is granted on an individual vessel basis based on plan review by the Marine Safety Center and the installations being to the satisfaction of the cognizant Officer-in-Charge, Marine Inspection.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "C. E. Bills".

C. E. BILLS
Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
Chief, Engineering Branch
Marine Technical and Hazardous
Materials Division
By direction of the Commandant

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