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Mr. Jack Henderson  
DCI Products  
Clifton Industrial Center  
100 Mill Street  
Clifton Heights, PA 19018

RE: State Fire Marshal Listing of Smart Vent

Dear Mr. Henderson,

We have reviewed your application package to list the above-mentioned product. We must advise you that a listing will not be granted until we review all appropriate reports and find the products are in compliance with California State Fire Marshal (CSFM) requirements and applicable codes and standards.

Our review of the application indicates that the Smart Vent is a vent product. There is no current vent standard that is recognized, approved, and/or adopted by the State Fire Marshal's Office. The CSFM can not list any vents under the Building Material Listing Program until such standards are developed, recognized, and approved by the State Fire Marshal. We are returning your application package and fee.

It should be noted that the California Health and Safety Code mandates that all **fire alarm equipment** and **fire alarm devices, wood roof shakes** and **shingles** must be approved and listed by the California State Fire Marshal prior to being sold or marketed within the state. Other products such as yours are not required to be CSFM listed under this law and participation in our listing program is strictly voluntary.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (916) 445-8396 or by email at [mike.tanaka@fire.ca.gov](mailto:mike.tanaka@fire.ca.gov)

Sincerely,

Mike Tanaka  
Deputy State Fire Marshal III-Specialist  
BML Program Coordinator

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