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The purpose of this letter is to confirm the suitability of the validity of the Safety Integrity Level (SIL) compliance approach utilised by General Monitors.

To Whom It May Concern:

Epsilon Compliance Services Limited is an internationally recognised certification agency with over 300 combined years of experience and a leader in industrial functional safety.

We can confirm that the functional safety certificates issued by Epsilon use the statement "suitable for use in a SIL x system" as opposed to giving the item an actual SIL number. This is due to the fact that a safety integrity level is dependant upon the probability of failure on demand (PFD) of numerous components within a system. By stating that the equipment is "suitable for use in a SIL x system" we are stating that the PFD is low enough that it can be used in a SIL x system.

The Safety Integrity Level Certificates issued to General Monitors are a result of a thorough product analysis based on all applicable parts of IEC61508 (Functional Safety of Electrical / Electronic / Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems). The Failure Mode Effects and Diagnostic Analysis (FMEDA) approach used is an industry standard and appropriate for the current marketplace. The required assumptions of this analysis were conservative and have been verified by a suitable and recognised third party.

Best Regards,

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