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## ICC-ES Issues PMG Listing No. 1116 to STP-FloPlast Compression Fittings

ICC-ES PMG is pleased to announce that STP-FloPlast Polypropylene Compression Fittings, (Muenster, TX), manufactured by STP-SA (Barcelona, Spain), received a PMG listing (PMG-1116), providing evidence that the fittings meet code requirements. This allows for the specification and approval of installation of such products by code officials, architects, contractors, specifiers, designers and others who utilize the ICC-ES PMG (Plumbing, Mechanical and Fuel Gas) listing.

Products listed under the ICC-ES PMG Program undergo evaluation based on requirements within the *International Plumbing Code*® (IPC), the *International Mechanical Code*® (IMC), the *International Residential Code*® (IRC), the *International Fuel Gas Code*® (IFC), as well as codes published by other entities. ICC-ES thoroughly examined STP-FloPlast's product information, test reports, calculations, quality control methods and other factors to ensure the product was code-compliant. "STP-FloPlast fittings have been utilized in international water markets in more than 85 countries for over 25 years. We are very excited these same fittings are now listed for use in the U.S. market, we are confident our customers will see the value of STP-FloPlast Fittings not only in quality but cost effectiveness," said Dan McGrew, STP-FloPlast President.

The ICC-ES PMG Program is built upon ICC-ES' more than eighty years of experience in evaluating building products for code compliance. Accredited by the American National Standards Institute, the program operates under ISO/IEC Guide 65, "General Requirements for Bodies Operating Product Certification Systems."

ICC-ES Certification Program Manager, Dawn Qualley explains why ICC-ES PMG listings are so important. "STP-FloPlast can now reference this listing to ensure code officials approve these fittings for installation," said Qualley. "Code compliance is an added feature not normally offered in a listing program. Our program also stands out because of the tremendous technical knowledge of the ICC-ES staff."

The <u>ICC-ES PMG</u> Program offers a full range of certification activities for both the U.S. and Canadian regions. ICC-ES PMG can certify your products to AB1953, Annex G of NSF/ANSI 61, S.3874 (Federal Law for Reduction of Lead in Drinking Water) and the requirements of WaterSense at no additional cost to your listing. For more information, please contact ICC-ES at 1-800-423-6587 ext. 7643, or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:espmg@icc-es.org">espmg@icc-es.org</a>.

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