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LSP Products Group and Elkhart Products Corporation Choose ICC-ES

The <u>ICC Evaluation Service</u> (ICC-ES[®]) Plumbing, Mechanical and Fuel Gas (<u>PMG</u>) Listing Program recently issued <u>PMG-1154</u> to LSP Products Group and <u>PMG-1148</u> to Elkhart Products Corporation.

ICC-ES PMG certified LSP Products Group's Pull-Stop Outlet Box to the 2012, 2009 and 2006 International Plumbing Code[®] (IPC[®]); 2012, 2009 and 2006 International Residential Code[®] (IRC[®]); the 2012, 2009 and 2006 Uniform Plumbing Code[®] (UPC); and the 2010 National Plumbing Code of Canada as well as to other industry requirements. With this certification, LSP Products Group may distribute their products in both the U.S. and Canada. Because ICC-ES PMG is accredited by the Standards Council of Canada (SCC), all provinces and territories in Canada will accept the ICC-ES <u>cPMG mark</u> of conformity.

Elkhart Products Corporation's press type copper fittings with rubber o-rings are now certified to the 2012, 2009 and 2006 *International Plumbing Code*[®] (IPC[®]); 2012, 2009 and 2006 *Uniform Plumbing Code* (UPC); and the 2012, 2009 and 2006 *International Residential Code*[®] (IRC[®]) as well as to other industry requirements.

"We believe that clients are choosing ICC-ES because of our focus on a high level of customer service, combined with the quality, speed and value," said Dawn LaFleur Qualley, ICC-ES PMG Certification Program Manager. "Additionally, we provide manufacturers the solution to expand their markets in Canada as well as the U.S.," Qualley added.

Many code officials throughout the U.S. and Canada are requiring the cPMG mark on products before approving for installation, which has resulted in many clients seeking ICC-ES PMG listings. When a project is held up in the field, manufacturers call ICC-ES for a resolution and receive peace of mind that ICC-ES will do its due diligence in an expedited manner and produce the certification reports for which code officials look.

The ICC-ES <u>PMG Listing Program</u> has wide acceptance in North America and offers significant savings in a number of ways. For instance, the program does not require warehouse inspections or fees for additional company listings. When applying for an ICC-ES PMG listing, ICC-ES can also certify products to AB1953, NSF/ANSI Standard 372, S.3874 (Federal Law for Reduction of Lead in Drinking Water) and the requirements of <u>WaterSense</u> **free** of charge. For more information, please contact ICC-ES at 1-800-423-6587, ext. 7643, or by e-mail at <u>espmg@icc-es.org</u>.

About ICC-ES

A nonprofit, limited liability company, ICC-ES is the United States' leading evaluation service for innovative building materials, components and systems. ICC-ES <u>Evaluation Reports</u> (ESRs) and <u>PMG Listings</u> provide evidence that products and systems meet requirements of codes and technical standards. The ICC-ES Environmental Programs issue VAR environmental reports that verify a product meets specific sustainability targets defined by today's codes, standards, green rating systems and ICC-ES <u>environmental criteria</u>. Additionally, the Environmental Programs now offer Environmental Product Declarations (<u>EPDs</u>), which are designed to meet the global market demand for science-based, transparent, quality assured information about product environmental performance. ICC-ES is a subsidiary of the <u>International Code Council</u>[®] (ICC[®]). For more information, please visit <u>www.icc-es.org</u>.