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Ms. Ashley Lotzmann  
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**Certification Letter**  
**MSA Ref. No.: SPINS17-05A**

Dear Ms. Lotzmann:

We are pleased to confirm that the Industrial Hard Hats (CSA) models below are certified by the Safety Equipment Institute, effective June 2, 2017. Annual certification testing was successfully completed on May 30, 2017 in accordance with the requirements of *CAN/CSA Z94.1-2015 Standard for Industrial protective headwear - Performance, selection, care, and use*.

<u>SEI Ref. No.</u>	<u>Brand</u>	<u>Model No.</u>
HD1 MSA 80	MSA V-Gard 500 Hat - Non-Vented	V-Gard 500 Hat Non-Vented - Type 1 / Class E; Reverse Orientation Option; Suspension: Fas-Trac (4 pt and 6 pt)

The SEI Certification Mark may be used in the marketing, packaging and promotion of the model detailed above, in accordance with the provisions of the *SEI Certification Program Manual*.

Per the SEI Certification Program Manual, SEI shall certify the manufacturer's product model(s) and grant the right to use the SEI certification mark when 1) the Testing Laboratory has determined that the product model submitted and tested successfully meets the appropriate product standard, 2) the Quality Assurance Auditor has determined that the manufacturer complies with SEI quality assurance requirements through an on-site audit, including a review of the quality manual and procedures, 3) the manufacturer has paid all fees, and 4) product liability insurance requirements are met.

Following initial certification, SEI conducts annual follow-up testing on samples which are selected by SEI during the annual quality assurance audit. SEI's certification program is accredited as a System Type 5 per ISO/IEC 17067:2013(E).

Thank you for your participation in the SEI Certification Program. If you have any questions, please contact the SEI Office.

Sincerely,

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Program Manager

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