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Subject: Confirmation of STAR Status
Ref: Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. (UL) STAR Audit

Dear Cordt,

Congratulations **TIPCO Technologies** for retaining your STAR status with Continental for the year 2020. This Continental STAR designation will offer an unrivaled distinction for you in your local trading area along with the national marketplace. By confirming your status as a part of the Continental Authorized Distributor program, you will set yourself aside from the competition.

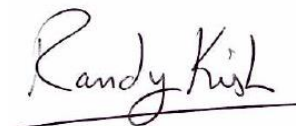
Because of the verification of your facilities and aptitude from our valued partner at Underwriters Laboratories, LLC., many new and exciting opportunities for your sales are waiting. **TIPCO Technologies** has shown time and time again that your sales and technical proficiency fulfill the rigorous requirement of fabricating high-integrity hose assemblies. By fulfilling all these requirements, you have undoubtedly earned your STAR status/ This status also shows your efficiency in giving vital value-added services for its demanding customers.

TIPCO Technologies will receive all of the benefits of being on Continental's high profile North American advertising campaign, being STAR designated on our Continental website, free use of our HoseTrakker (TessaLink) 2.0 Online, regularly introduced crimp specifications, as well as the competitive advantage of being an exclusive Continental Authorized Distributor.

Your STAR designation will be in effect for one year, after which time we will ask you to re-qualify yourself for the program. Look for new updates in the coming weeks and months on how to continually optimize your STAR status.

Congratulations again on your distinguished performance and qualification for STAR status!

Best regards,



Randy Kish

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