

Department of Environmental Quality

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October 2, 2002

Howard Cheezum Tuf-Tite Inc. 500 Capital Drive Lake Zurich, IL 60047

Re: Tuf-Tite Effluent Filter EF-4

Dear Mr. Cheezum:

The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality (Department) has reviewed your request dated June 10, 2002, seeking approval of effluent filter for septic tank applications in the State of Oregon.

Upon review of the documents the Department has determined that Tuf-Tite effluent filter EF-4 meets all the requirements specified in the Oregon Administrative Rule 340-073-0056. The product is hereby approved for state-wide use in septic tanks wherever an effluent filter is required. Please provide necessary instructions to designers and installers for correct application of your product.

This determination should not be construed in any way as the Department's endorsement of this product or any advertising. Moreover, the Department is not responsible for any situation which may result from use or mis-application of the product.

Sincerely,

Michael T. L\ewelyn, \dministrator

Water Quality Division

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