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Dear Mr. Comeau:

This letter confirms that Alcohol Countermeasure Systems Corp., submitted the **ALERT J5** breath alcohol screening device to be evaluated by the Volpe Transportation Systems Center. This device was evaluated and found to conform to the model specifications for breath alcohol screening devices. The **ALERT J5** screening device will be included in the next update to the Conforming Products List (CPL) for breath alcohol screening devices. A copy of the evaluation report is provided for your information.

In order for this device to be used as a breath alcohol measuring instrument by workers in the U.S. Department of Transportation workplace testing program, a quality assurance plan (QAP) must be approved by NHTSA, as required by 49 CFR Part 40, "Procedures for Transportation Drug and Alcohol Testing Program" (59 FR 7340). The QAP requires users to calibrate your equipment following your device's instruction, and the instructions provided by the manufacturer of a calibrating unit listed on the CPL for calibrating units. We have reviewed the QAP dated November 21, 2014, for the **ALERT J5** and are pleased to inform you that this submission has been approved.

We will place the QAP on file at NHTSA, together with a copy of this letter for interested agencies. A copy will also be provided to the U.S. Department of Transportation Office of Drug and Alcohol Policy and Compliance for their records.

Please be advised that this office is to be notified immediately of any revisions or modifications to the device or the QAP. If you require further assistance or have any questions regarding NHTSA's quality assurance program in relation to 49 CFR Part 40, please do not hesitate to contact me at 202-366-1964.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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