



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE FIRE MARSHALS

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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Bob Moore, CEO
iGPS Company, LLC
225 E. Robinson Street
Orlando, FL 32801

And members of the Working Group

Dear Mr. Moore:

On behalf of the National Association of State Fire Marshals, Inc. ("NASFM"), I write to confirm that NASFM has permanently abandoned all efforts to develop code enforcement guidance having to do with fire safety standards and various types of pallets. While NASFM did in fact commission a panel of advisors representing industry and other organizations (the "Working Group") to review data and opine on a number of fire-related issues, it never gave final approval to any findings of the Working Group for the release or dissemination of any documents that were produced by the Working Group. The documents at issue are entitled (i) The Introduction of Plastic Pallets and the Potential Impact on Automatic Fire Sprinkler System Adequacy and (ii) NASFM Pallet and Sprinkler System Training Module. NASFM understands that a portion of these documents may have been distributed even though such distribution was not authorized by NASFM.

NASFM does not recommend the use of wooden pallets over plastic pallets, nor does the association recommend the use of plastic pallets over wooden pallets. Any suggestion to the contrary in the draft documents (including a statement that consumers using plastic pallets should switch back to a wood pallet) does not represent NASFM's position.

We believe there is ample evidence that any meaningful guidance will entail an analytical process that is far more complicated than what was initially perceived. NASFM underestimated the complexity of the issues and the parties involved. Rather than starting

over with an entirely new approach to this controversial project, NASFM believes some other fire safety organization or educational institution would be better suited, and have the resources necessary to address, the complex issues involved.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Alan Shuman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "A".

Alan Shuman
President