

Approved Body authorised by the MCA

**UNITED KINGDOM CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY**

Issued in accordance with

**The Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) Regulations**

**2016 SI 2016/1025, as amended**

**Certificate No. 164.106/1121/WCL MER0529QA**

This is to certify that in compliance with The Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) Regulations 2016 SI 2016/1025 as amended by the Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 SI 2019/470 and relevant UK carriage requirement instruments, the product detailed below has been tested in accordance with the appropriate international instruments contained therein.

This certificate is issued to:

**F Ball and Co. Ltd.  
Station Road, Cheddleton, Leek,  
Staffordshire, ST13 7RS, UK**

To certify also that a Surveyor representing Warringtonfire Testing and Certification Limited did at their request attend at the works of F Ball and Co Ltd. on the 8<sup>th</sup> January 2014 and annually thereafter for the purpose of examining the production and factory production control systems for this product.

**Product Description** - Deep section compound primary deck covering  
**Product Type** - Primary deck covering (Item Number UK/3.1)  
**Reference** - "Stopgap 600 Base"  
**Modules used** - (D)

The particulars of which are given on this certificate, to verify compliance with the requirements of the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) 1974 Regulation II-2/4, II-2/6 and X/3.

The manufacturer is allowed to affix the U.S. Coast Guard approval number 164.106/1121/WCL MER0529 as allowed by the Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) (Amendment) (UK and US Mutual Recognition Agreement) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 SI 2019/1304 ('the Regulations') dated October 7th, 2019.



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Date of issue: 01/01/2021  
Date of expiry: 20/02/2024

**UK Approved Body No. 1121**



1121/2021

Example for the Application of the "Mark of Conformity" where:  
1121 is the number of the Approved Body responsible for quality surveillance module.  
2021 is the year in which the mark is affixed.

**Description of Product as Prototype Tested:**

The product is constructed as described in the test reports referenced in the following certificate.

<b>UK Type-Examination Certificate No.</b>	<b>Approved Body</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>
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<b>Regulation No</b>	<b>Testing Standard</b>	<b>Result</b>	<b>Report and Date</b>
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II-2/4, II-2/6, X/3 and IMO MSC/Circ.1120	IMO Resolution MSC 307(88), Annex 1: Part 5	Pass	WF 407974 and WF 407975, formal and indicative Surface Flammability tests to IMO Resolution MSC 307(88) Annex 1: Part 5. Tested January 2019.
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	IMO Resolution MSC 307(88), Annex 1: Part 2	Pass	Smoke and Toxicity is satisfied by meeting the total heat release ( $Q_t$ ) and peak heat release ( $Q_p$ ) as stated in IMO Fire Test Procedures Code, Annex 2 Section 2.2.
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**Marking & Identification affixed to the product:**

<b>Manufacturer Name</b>	<b>F Ball and Co. Ltd.</b>
<b>Manufacturer Address</b>	<b>Station Road, Cheddleton, Leek, Staffordshire, ST13 7RS, UK</b>
<b>Product Reference</b>	<b>"Stopgap 600 Base"</b>
<b>Approved Authority</b>	<b>Warringtonfire Testing and Certification Limited</b>

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