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Mr. Joe Dodd Silgan Dispensing Systems 1001 Haxall Point, Suite 701 Richmond, VA 23219 Dear Mr. Dodd:

APR, the Association of Plastic Recyclers, is pleased to recognize Silgan Dispensing's ReVive™2cc and ReVive™4cc all-polyolefin dispensing pumps for HDPE and PET bottles, as meeting or exceeding the most strict APR PET-CG-01 Critical Guidance Protocol for Clear PET Resin and Molded Articles and APR HDPE-CG-01 Critical Guidance Protocol for HDPE Rigid Containers. This APR recognition is based on the technical recyclability of the dispenser in the PET as well as HDPE bottle streams.

A Review Committee, appointed per the APR Recognition Operating Procedures, reviewed your data submission and concluded the data were correctly obtained by a qualified laboratory and were completely presented to show the dispensers submitted meet or exceed the most challenging test conditions and strictest APR Critical Guidance criteria.

The PET and HDPE Critical Guidance that was used to evaluate the Silgan Dispensing ReVive™2cc and ReVive™4cc all-polyolefin dispensing pumps for HDPE and PET bottles, are the product of a multi-industry consensus process to identify and address certain key technical considerations related to the recycling of postconsumer PET and HDPE bottles. The Documents direct innovators to conduct specific testing per established testing procedures and then provide the innovator with guidance to interpret the results. The protocols are intended to help improve the quality of the recycled bottle stream by aiding innovators to make informed decisions about the consequences of packaging innovations. APR thanks Silgan, for voluntarily submitting these dispensing pumps for Recognition. The impact of these protocols is beneficial to world-wide recycling efforts. Meeting the Critical Guidance Document guidelines is a truly significant step in demonstrating overall recyclability of your dispensing pumps.

Our recognition applies only to the Silgan Dispensing ReVive™2cc and ReVive™4cc all-polyolefin dispensing pumps for HDPE and PET bottles. While this Recognition speaks to the compatibility of your pumps with PET and HDPE bottle recycling, it does not speak to collection of used bottles with dispensing pumps or include other dispensing pumps in the market that may conflict with the PET or HDPE bottle recycling process. We encourage Silgan to be sure in its packaging information that the public does not misunderstand that this Recognition applies to look-alike dispensing pumps or to believe collection is happening when it is not.

Yours truly,

President and CEO

