Interchange

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14 September 1999

To Whom it may concern

Dear Mr Sirs,

I have been asked to write to you regarding the interchangeability of the Parker A-LOK tube fitting and the Crawford Swagelok tube fitting.

Parker guarantees that the A-LOK fitting is of equal quality to and will perform as well as the Swagelok fitting. The A-LOK fitting is completely interchangeable with all sizes of the Swagelok fittings and individual components of the A-LOK fitting can be intermixed with the components of the Swagelok fitting. In fact, since 1984, thousands of customers have successfully used the A-LOK fitting in conjunction with the Swagelok fitting.

I hope this letter helps to answer any questions regarding the interchangeable design of Parker A-LOK fittings. If more information is required, please feel free to call upon us.

Yours sincerely

David Bailey
General Manager - IPD

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TO whom it may concern

Dear Sirs,

This letter sets forth the manner in which Parker will extend its standard warranty when PARKER A-LOK® Fittings are interchanged with Swagelok® Tube Fittings.

Parker's warranty is fully set forth in Parker's Terms of Sale. To summarise certain important parts of this warranty, Parker warrants that its A-LOK® fittings are free from defects in material and workmanship. Parker's sole obligation under this warranty is to repair or replace any fitting that it finds to be defective. Parker is not liable under this warranty for consequential or special damages arising out of a delay in or failure of delivery, defects in material or workmanship, or arising out of a breach of any other term or obligation. The warranty does not apply to any fittings that have been altered or repaired by anyone other than Parker's authorised employees, or to any products that have been damaged.

Parker extends this warranty to cover interchanged Swagelok® fittings. Any fitting assembly that is made up of mixed PARKER A-LOK® Tube Fittings and Swagelok® Tube Fittings, Parker will extend its warranty to apply to both the PARKER A-LOK® Components and the Swagelok® components. Thus, Parker will replace any PARKER A-LOK® fittings or any Swagelok® fittings that are used in a mixed assembly and that are found to be defective in material or workmanship with a like PARKER A-LOK® fitting.

I hope that the above clarifies the extension of the Parker warranty to interchanged fittings. Please note that this only relates to PARKER A-LOK® fittings and Swagelok® components of like size and material which are properly assembled and used in accordance with the published Parker technical information.

The warranty extension does not apply to any other brand of tube fitting.

If any further information is needed, please contact me.

Yours sincerely

David Bailey
General Manager - IPD

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Enclosure to TPH 1004/SAB/POU-E

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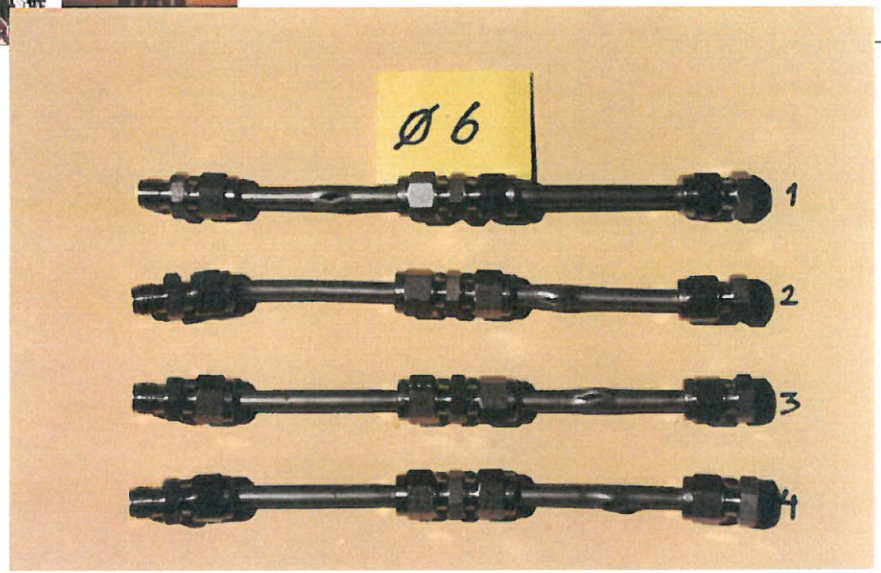

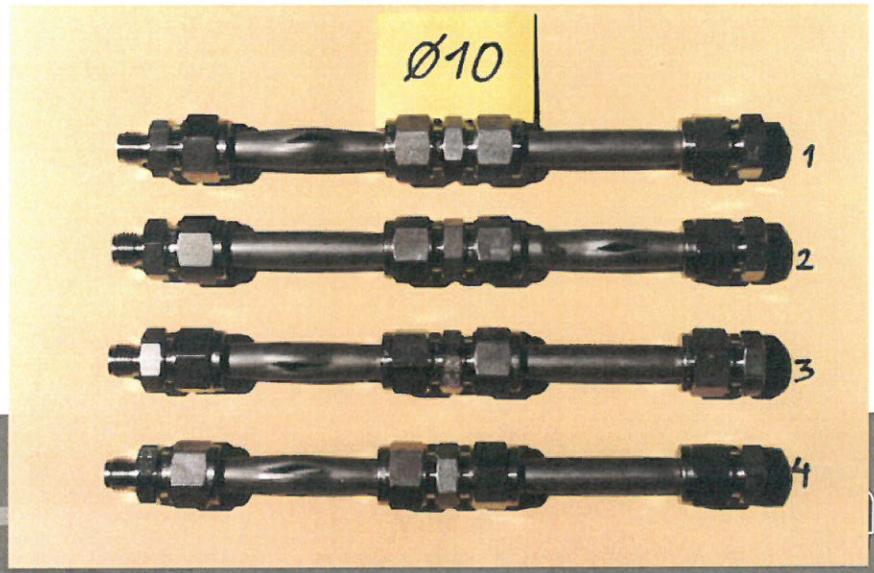

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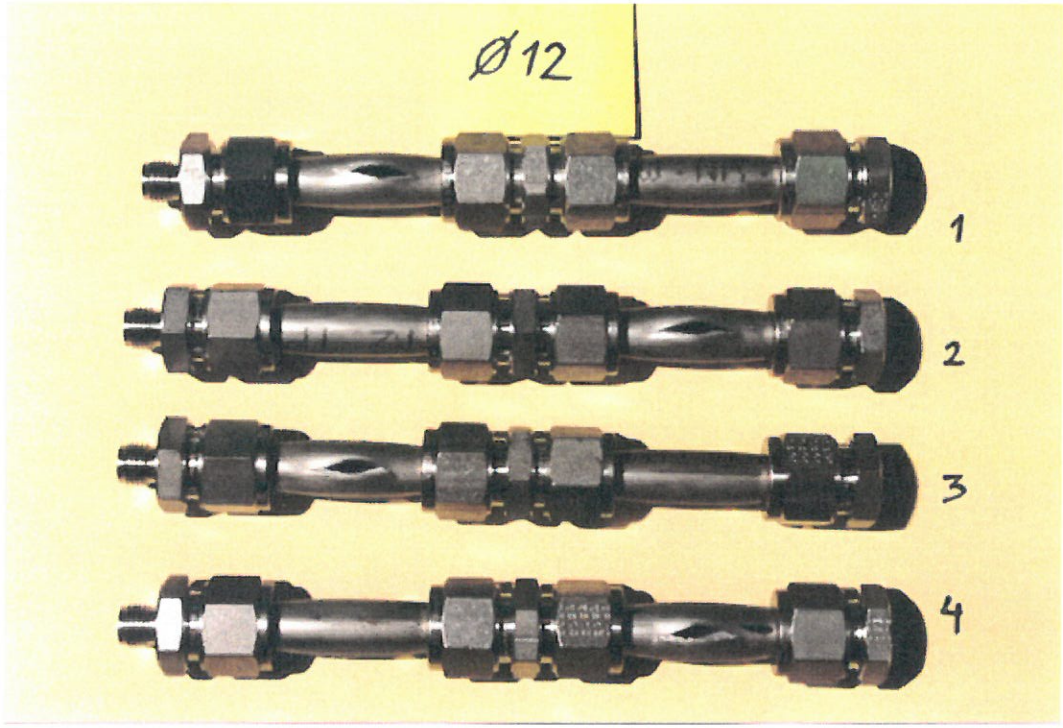

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Interchange and Intermix with Parker Fittings

There are many companies who have carried out their own tests on interchange and intermix between Parker and Swagelok without any problems, including:-

- BASF
- Chevron
- Linde Gas
- Air Products
- BOC
- ABB
- Dupont
- Submersible Telephone Systems
- US Navy
- NASA