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To whom it may concern:

RE: Solaraide Heat Exchanger Tanks

This letter is in reference to the maximum temperature rating listed on the copper heat exchanger on Rheem Solaraide 80 and 120 gallon "HE" heat exchanger tanks. The heat exchanger design and the specifications of all the materials used in the heat exchanger as well as all associated heat exchanger components are approved for use in solar system applications that exceed 185 ° F.

This tank design has been used for years in solar system installations and is designed to withstand fluid temperatures associated with solar system operations. One of the unique advantages of the Rheem tank design is that it complies with regional requirements of double wall heat exchanger protection.

Our latest specifications sheet is attached for your review. The corresponding Use and Care manuals can be downloaded at www.rheem.com; they contain additional information regarding safety and basic installation recommendations.

Please feel free to contact your local Rheem representative or our Technical Service Department if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

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