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Dear Mr. DeLawyer;

I received your request for approval in Iowa for the use of your model ST-1000 E septic tank. The state of Iowa does not officially approve any devices or equipment for use in onsite wastewater treatment systems. All approvals must be obtained by the county in which the equipment is proposed to be installed. The counties are the official administrative authority.

However, as you note, your tanks do not appear to violate our minimum standards as noted in IAC 567-69.5. Therefore, we have no problem with their use if approved by the local authority.

In the installation of plastic tanks, backfilling appears to be very critical. We would expect that you would provide explicit advice on how your units are to be backfilled.

Please feel free to contact me if we may be of other assistance.

Sincerely,

Brent Parker

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