



# CASA PLUMBING, INC.

STATE LICENSE NUMBER 809831

06/17/08

California Department of General Services  
Real Estate Services Division  
Professional Services Branch, Environmental Services Section  
Attn. Valerie Namba, Senior Environmental Planner  
707 Third Street, third floor, MS 509  
West Sacramento, CA. 95605-9052

JUN 20 2008  
REAL ESTATE  
SERVICES DIVISION

RE: DEIR for PEX tubing

Dear Ms. Namba,

My company has been in business for 7 years. We have employed as many as 250 people, although, due to the recent housing slump, our ranks are greatly reduced.

We agree and support the comments expressed in the letter from CALPASC to you dated 06/07/08.

Not only is PEX a better product because it will not react to the questionable water chemistry that is causing pinhole leaks in copper, it is more user friendly to install and the cost is between \$700 and \$1500 less per house than copper. The liability issue alone for copper makes PEX the better product by far.

Sincerely,

James Kanell  
President  
Casa Plumbing, Inc.  
856 N. Elm St. #L  
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