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Mr. Ed Pivonka
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Dear Mr. Pivonka:

This letter is to confirm that the Siemon Company has verified the performance of the IDEAL LANTEK 6/7 using Firmware 1.012 (or later versions) and IDEAL's category 5e/6 adapters, and either Siemon Category 6 Patchcords (P/N MC6-S-8T-07-B02) or IDEAL Category 6 Patchcords (P/N 6011-50-0029). Acquired transmission performance using the LANTEK field tester was compared to that of an industry standard network analyzer. Comparison data was taken on a worst case, 4 connector, 100 m channel model within the frequency test band of 1-250 MHz.

Upon review of the data, the Siemon Company formally recognizes the use of the IDEAL LANTEK 6/7 LAN field tester for Category 6 and 5e Channel and Permanent Link configurations within the 1-250 MHz test band.

Sincerely,

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