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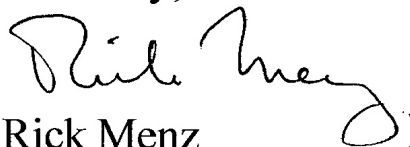
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

RE: CLEAN GEAR/ ESPORTA WASH SYSTEMS

The UMD Bulldogs are writing this letter in support of the Esporta Wash Systems concept of Cleaning and Sanitizing Hockey Equipment. Being an equipment manager for the past 26 years I am well aware of the need to properly maintain and ensure the cleanliness of all of our hockey equipment. Cleaning and sanitizing equipment was a difficult proposition in the past, but Esporta has come up with a quick and efficient system for dealing with this problem.

Our players really noticed the difference in the smell and feel of their gear after the first time it was treated by Clean Gear. It will undoubtedly add to the life span of all of our equipment. I highly recommend this service to all teams and individuals. We will continue our relationship with Clean Gear and hope others will give it a try!

Sincerely,



Rick Menz
Head Equipment Manager
UMD Bulldogs