Thermo Fisher Scientific
Water and Lab Products
22 Alpha Road, Chelmsford, MA 01824
800-636-6162
www.thermofisher.com

Subject: Thermo Scientific™ Barnstead™ Water Purification Systems and Consumable Hold

Dear Valued Customer:

We are reaching out to you to let you know, that effective November 2019, certain Thermo Scientific water purification products were placed on a temporary shipping hold for sale in the United States.

It recently came to light that, due to the intended use of the technologies incorporated within these particular water purification products, they are required to be classified as a “pesticide device” under the Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA). This classification bears certain responsibilities, that we are actively pursuing to meet, prior to releasing the sales hold. Please see a list of affected SKUs below.

Rest assured, the actions required to meet the regulatory compliance obligations under FIFRA are related to documentation and registration, and do not affect the performance, safety or reliability of the products.

We look to have all the necessary actions completed in 4 – 6 weeks.

Please accept our sincere apologies for the product shipment delay, and any inconvenience this may cause you. For any questions, or if you require assistance, please contact your Sales Representative and Customer Service Specialist.

Sincerely,

Chintan Patel

Chintan Patel
Sr. Global Product Manager
Water Purification