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POLYPROPYLENE (PP) PIPE AND FITTINGS — CERTIFICATION PROTOCOL

1 <u>PURPOSE</u>

The purpose of this document is intended to establish the certification requirements, rules of procedure and marking requirements applying to the certification of polypropylene (PP) pipe and fittings according to the requirements of Product Standards CAN/CSA B182.13 and ASTM F2881.

NOTE — Standard CAN/CSA B182.13 on profile polypropylene (PP) sewer pipe and fittings for leakproof sewer applications is published in both French and English. In case of incompatibility, the French version prevails. Standard ASTM F2881 on 12 to 60 in. [300 to 1500 mm] polypropylene (PP) dual wall pipe and fittings for non-pressure storm sewer applications is only published in English.

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