Ask the experts about the exceptional performance of LIGHT WATER AFFF.

From California to New Jersey...from Texas to Alaska, more fire chiefs insist on "LIGHT WATER" AFFF. Men with years of fire-fighting experience. Men with the enormous responsibility of protecting property and lives in their communities. They know "LIGITT WATER" AFFF takes care of flammable liquid fires fast. Because it forms a film that seals in volatile vapors. Reseals if it's broken. Prevents reignition, Provides a margin of safety that exceeds military specifications. And there's "LIGHT WATER" AFFF/Alcohol Type Concentrate (ATC) to handle alcohol and other polar solvent hazards. Fire chiefs know they can count on 3M, the AFFF experts. 3M pioneered the development of AFFF. Military and airport fire fighters have relied on "LIGHT WATER" AFFF for years. So have corporate safety managers in developing mutual aid AFFF banks with local fire departments. Expert technical assistance available on request. Ask us. 3M, the AEFF experts.

What Is "Light Water" Brand Aqueous Film Forming Foam?

"LIGHT WATER" AFFF is a synthetic foam-forming lquid designed for use with fresh, sea or brackish water. When proportioned with water and applied with conventional foam or water/fog equipment, it generates a white foam with the remarkable ability to make water float on flammable liquids which are lighter than water.

This double action—foam and aqueous film—enhances extinguishment of flammable liquid fires and prevents reflash. The action also takes place on spilled or leaking fuels which have not been ignited so they are secured and are not readily ignited.

The Most Effective Foaming Type Agent Ever Developed.

"LIGHT WATER" AFFF can extinguish a flammable liquid fire in less than half the time of conventional foams.





And keep it extinguished. The foam spreads over the surface of burning fuel forming a blanket in the manner of conventional foams. More important, an aqueous solution drains from the foam bubbles and forms a vapor-sealing film. This film floats on the fuel surface and suppresses volatile vapors. In addition, it has a reforming, self-healing action which prevents reflash should the foam be disrupted. "LIGHT WATER" AFFF also takes the fire hazard out of fuel spills because it seals and secures non-ignited areas and prevents ignition. The ability to form a vapor seal over flammable liquids permits "LIGHT WATER" AFFF to extend its performance well beyond that of ordinary foam. This performance is important in situations where there is limited or no access such as in storm sewers. The vapor-sealing film flows with the fuel and secures as it goes.

The Agent's low surface tension also provides excellent penetrating and wetting qualities when used on Class "A" materials. This is highly important when extinguishing deep-seated fires and for fires involving rubber materials.

Easy to Use

"LIGHT WATER" AFFF can be used with conventional foam equipment. Foam nozzles with pick-up tubes and line proportioners (in-line eductors) used with foam or water/ tog nozzles are among the most common methods.

fog nozzles are among the most common methods. Unlike ordinary foams, "LIGHT WATER" AFFF may be used effectively with the water/fog nozzle and eductor combination.

"LIGHT WATER" AFFF is available in both 6% and 3% concentrations. To provide optimum foam solution, these should be used at their intended ratios.

6% Concentrate: 94% water and 6% concentrate. (94 gallons water + 6 gallons concentrate = 100 gallons foam solution.)

3% Concentrate: 97% water and 3% concentrate. (97 gallons water + 3 gallons concentrate = 100 gallons foam solution.)

> Exhibit 1165 State of Minnesota v. 3M Co., Court File No. 27-CV-10-28862

> > 3M_MN05340691

1165.0001

Methods

THE SHORE STREET, STRE

NOC NOZZLES - by using matched eductors, mining nozzles are very effective with HIPP Agent.

The DAS — mobile foam turret trucks using air **Convert** are several times more efficient using **CALER** Agent.

AGENT SYSTEMS—the effectiveness OCHT WATER" AFFF and dry chemicals is Condition units in a wide range of sizes.

CONTORS – elevated nozzles on booms **Control** (set attack and extended reach for difficult **Control** as storage tanks.

Sistems

EXACE APPLICATIONS FOR TANK FIRES CHARGE AFFF may be injected below the **CHARGE A BORNING** petroleum storage tank. It will **CHARGE ADDRESS** the blaze.

CHAMBERS—"LIGHT WATER" Agent can be

oved in Tests and Fires

These tests have been tested for comparative table fire extinguishment efficiency in many These tests have been conducted throughout the the fire equipment industry, municipal and the departments, the U.S. Navy and Air Force, the retining industry, independent test laboratories, mental agencies. Among others, it has been the pooled fuel and fuel spill fires, flowing fuel fires, storage tank fires, fuel fires on water,

Encode fires, and on various chemical and

The first these tests show that fire control time was the start of the favor of "LIGHT WATER" AFFF over the start of the s

WATER" Agent extinguished a petrochemical **WATER**" Agent extinguished a petrochemical **WATER**" Agent extinguished a petrochemical **WATER**" AGENT WATER" AFFF put the **WATER**" AFFF put the **WATER**" AFFF atter conventional agents failed. **WATER**" AFFF is listed by Underwriters'



Foam Nozzle with Pick Up Tube



Water/Fog Nozzle and Inline Eductor with Metering Valve.

Laboratories, Inc. and is approved by Factory Mutual. It is included in N.F.P.A. standards.

"LIGHT WATER" Agent exceeds the performance requirements of MIL-F-24385A.

The extra Margin of Safety-"Light Water" AFFF

Increased Safety to Life

Safety is inherent in rapid fire extinguishment. The faster the extinguishment the fewer the chances for dangerous incidents. "LIGHT WATER" Agent prevents reflash and burnback, major causes of injury. Reflash protection offered by the reforming action of "LIGHT WATER" AFFF is especially important to the safety of firefighters as they walk and drag hoselines through the danger area.

More Reliability

Because of its exceptional properties, "LIGHT WATER" Concentrate can be stored for a virtually indefinite period of time. Equipment reliability is also increased with "LIGHT WATER" AFFF since no sludge or sedimentation occurs. It is recognized throughout the world for its exceptional efficiency, and has been in use for years at most municipal and airport fire departments and the U.S. military services.

Improved Loss Prevention

"LIGHT WATER" AFIF gives your community or company greatly improved fire protection capability. Its proved rapid fire suppression results in reduced risk to property and equipment. The securing action of the Agent can take the fire hazard out of flammable liquid spills.

Simplicity of Use

"LIGHT WATER" AFFF is easy to use with conventional equipment — no special equipment or uncommon fire fighting techniques are required. The Agent can be used with foam and standard water/fog nozzles and eductors. Unlike ordinary foams, it is quite effective with the water/ fog nozzle and eductor combination. "LIGHT WATER" AFFF adapts easily to existing apparatus.

Improved Economy

"LIGHT WATER" Agent offers faster extinguishment than conventional foams so less agent is used in training and actual fires. Its stability and securing action are effective on many solvents and chemicals which destroy ordinary foams, thus reducing or eliminating inventory of special type agents. The table shows a typical comparison example of agent usage and relative costs.

Extinguishment Comparison — Agent Usage Area: 1.000 ft² (with obstacles) Fuel: JP-5 400 gal.

	Detergent Fosin	Protein Foom	"Light Water"
Preburn - seconds	40	40	40
Flow Rate GPM	180	100	100
Extinguishment – Sec.	120	130	40
Solution Used — gal. (concentrate & water) Concentrate Cost (approx.)	360 \$72.00	217 \$58.50	67 \$40,80
SAVINGS	\$1	7.70	(30%)

(approx, compared to protein foam)

「「「」」」」とないたけ、などのため、「「など」でなる、「なない」のであい

Advantages of "Light Water" AFFF **Over Conventional Agents**

The following general conclusions may be made when "LIGHT WATER" Concentrate is applied as a fire fighting agent:

1. "LIGHT WATER" AFFF shows efficiencies of over three times that of protein type foams on open surface gasoline fires.

2."LIGHT WATER" AFFF protects nonignited spills from ignition and secures hazards during rescue and cleanup operations.

3."LIGHT WATER" AFFF has been proved dramatically effective over a wide range of hazards:

 Tanker trucks Aircraft Storage tanks

• Refineries -- offshore platforms • Industrial plants Tanker ships and marine terminals

4."LIGHT WATER" AFFF is neither toxic nor corrosive, having a neutral pH and excellent chemical stability. It is biodegradable.

 $5.``LIGHT WATER'' AFFF may be applied to fires simultaneously with other foams, dry chemicals or CO^2,$ since the agents are mutually effective.

6."LIGHT WATER" AFFF has shown utility on chemical and solvent fires. Higher solution application rates may be required for extinguishment.

7."LIGHT WATER" AFFF discharged from automatic sprinklers is more effective than water or ordinary foam at controlling flammable fuel fires. It has been tested by Factory Mutual and U.L. for this application.

8. "LIGHT WATER" AFFF has excellent "Class A" fire extinguishing capabilities. Excellent wetting and penetrating qualities allow fast extinguishment of deep-seated fires involving flammables such as wood, cloth, and even rubber tires.



Typical Properties of "Light Water" Concentrates

	6%	3% (Franza Protectal)	
SPECIFIC GRAVITY 77°F (25°C) 40°F (4.4°C) - 10°F (-23.3°C)	1.012 1.025	1.065 1.066 1.064	
VIOCOGITY, CENTISTORES 77°F (25°C) 40°F (4.4°C) - 10°F (2.4 4.8	7.5 16.3 90	
FREEZE POINT PM at 77°F	35°F (1.7°C) 25°F (4°C) 7.5	0°F (- 18°C) - 15°F (- 26°C) 7.5	

Excellent Long Term Storage

"LIGHT WATER" Concentrate may be stored in its shipping container without change in its original physical or chemical characteristics. It does not show significant sedimentation or precipitation in storage or after temperature cycling. Freezing and thawing have no effect on performance and the concentrate proportions satisfactorily in ordinary equipment at temperatures above 32°F. Freeze-thaw cycling may cause slight stratification which may be overcome with moderate agitation. Premix solutions in fresh water may be stored long term for ready use at temperatures above freezing.

Environmentally Neutral

Standardized tests are conducted as an ongoing program to evaluate and assess the impact of "Light Water" Concentrate on humans and the natural environment. Based on these test results, "Light Water" Concentrate is biodegradable, low in toxicity, and it can be treated in biological treatment systems. In its concentrate form, "Light Water" AFFF was found to be a slight eye and skin irritant, but as a foam solution, there are no noticeable negative effects. Tests and actual use situations have shown that animal and aquatic life are not adversely affected.

"Light Water" AFFF Alcohol Type Concentrate

This special concentrate is available for hazards involving alcohol and other polar solvents. Underwriters' Laboratories lists "LIGHT WATER" ATC as an AFFF for flammable liquid hydrocarbons in addition to its primary UL listing as an alcohol type concentrate for alcohol and other polar solvent hazards.

For further information on "LIGHT WATER" AFFF ATC contact your nearest 3M branch office.



н

NOTICE

All statements, technical information and recommendations contained herein are based on tests we believe to be reliable, but the accuracy of completeness thereof is not guaranteed, and the following is made in lieu of all warranties, express or implied:

Seller's and manufacturer's only obligation shall be to replace such quantity of the product proved to be defective. Neither seller nor manufacturer shall be liable for any injury, loss or damage, direct, incidental, or consequential, arising out of the use of or the inability to use the product. Before using, user shall determine the suitability of the product for his intended use, and user assumes all risk and liability whatsoever in connection therewith.

No statement or recommendation not contained herein shall have any force or effect unless in an agreement signed by officers of seller and manufacturer. Product and use covered by U.S. Patent Numbers 3562156, 3772195 and foreign patents.



U.S. BRANCH OFFICES

- ANCHORAGE
 3934 Spenard Road
 Anchorage, Alaska 99503
 Tel. (907) 279-6481
- ATLANTA
 2860 Bankers Industrial Drive
 Atlanta, Georgia 30360
 Tel. (404) 447-7000
- BOSTON 155 Fourth Avenue Needham Heights, Mass. 02194 Tel. (617) 449-0300
- CHICAGO 907 Elm St. Hinsdale, III. 60521 Tel. (312) 325-9724 (312) 496-6623
- CINCINNATI 4835 Para Drive Cincinnati, Ohio 45237 Tel. (513) 242-2313
- CLEVELAND
 12200 Brookpark Road
 Cleveland, Ohio 44130
 Tel. (216) 267-1800

- DALLAS
 2121 Santa Anna Avenue
 P. O. Box 28158
 Dallas, Texas 75228
 Tel. (214) 324-8100
- DETROIT
 23923 Research Drive
 Farmington, Michigan 48024
 Tel. (313) 477-5000
- HONOLULU 2880 Ualena Street P.O. Box 30048
 Honolulu, Hawaii 96820 Tel. (808) 841-0147
- LOS ANGELES 6023 South Garfield Avenue Los Angeles, Calif. 90040 Tel. (213) 726-6300
- NEW YORK
 135 West 50th Street
 New York, NY 10020
 Tel. (212) 977-8156 (N.Y.)
 (201) 227-9100 (N.J.)
- PHILADELPHIA
 5698 Rising Sun Avenue
 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19120
 Tel. (215) 728-5300

- ST. LOUIS 10725 Baur Boulevard P. O. Box 510 St. Louis, Missouri 63132 Tel. (314) 991-1320
- ST. PAUL 3M Center St. Paul, Minnesota 55101 Tel. (612) 733-9233
- SAN FRANCISCO 320 Shaw Road South San Francisco, Calif. 94080 Tel. (415) 761-1155
- SEATTLE 100 Andover Park West Andover Industrial Park Seattle, Washington 98188 Tel. (206) 244-7200
- WASHINGTON, D. C. 1101 15th Street, N.W. Washington, D. C. 20005 Tel. (202) 331-6900
- Available internationally; contact local 3M office

Litto in U.S.A. with 3M BRAND Photo Oliser Plates, Film and Chemicals.



3M CENTER - SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA 55101

Issued 4/1/78

Y-FGB3(582)CP

3M MN05340695

1165.0005



For protection against increasing dangers of gasohol and unleaded fuels for securing vapors of hazardous materials like ethylene oxide... for use on extremely volatile polar solvents like acetone and methanol as well as more common flammable liquid hydrocarbons ... for handling especially risky situations involving unknown materials ... LIGHT WATER AFFF/ATC is the answer for overall protection. Underwriters Labe

LIGHT WATER AFF/ATC is the answer for overall protection. Underwriters Laboratories now list LIGHT WATER AFFF/ ATC as an effective Alcohol Type Concentrate in 6% solution and as an effec-

Y-FA39

tive Aqueous Film Forming Foam at only 3% solution. That's why we call it The Comprehensive Solution.

Actual incidents as well as tests conducted by independent agencies, by the chemical industry and by plant and municipal fire departments continue to demonstrate the extra margin of safety provided by LIGHT WATER AFFF/ATC. Fire protection professionals know they can count on 3M, the AFFF experts. 3M pioneered the development of AFFF. LIGHT WATER AFFF/ATC was the first AFFF listed by UL for both water insoluble hydrocarbons and water soluble polar solvent hazards. Fire chiefs have relied on LIGHT WATER AFFF for years. So have corporate safety managers in developing mutual aid AFFF banks with local fire departments. Expert technical assistance, systems design information and around the clock emergency service are available. Ask us. 3M Fire Protection Systems, 3M Center, St. Paul, MN 55101, Dept. 39.

LIGHT WATER is the reg. TM of 3M.

The AFFF Experts

3M_MN05340696

1165.0006