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**STANDARD TEXTILE CO., INC.
REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE COMPLIANCE STATEMENT**

In compliance with Section 110 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA") and the Regulations thereunder, found in Section 2520.104-23, Standard Textile Co., Inc ("Standard Textile") is filing this Reporting and Disclosure Compliance Statement and in connection herewith, provides the following information:

EMPLOYER: Standard Textile Co., Inc.

ADDRESS: One Knollcrest Drive
P.O. Box 371805
Cincinnati, OH 45222-1805

EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 31-0567297

PLAN NAME: Key Employee Incentive Plan of Standard Textile Co., Inc.

NUMBER OF PLANS: 1

NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES PARTICIPATING IN THE PLAN: 3

Standard Textile maintains the above-named unfunded Plan primarily for the purpose of providing supplemental retirement income for a select group of management or highly compensated employees.

Standard Textile will provide the Plan documents to the Secretary of Labor upon request, as required by Section 104(a)(6) of ERISA.

By: Edward M. Frankel
Edward M. Frankel
Title: Senior Vice President and Chief
Administrative Officer
As Plan Administrator



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July 29, 2004

Secretary of Labor
Top Hat Exemption
Employee Benefits Security Administration
Room N-1513
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20210

Re: Top Hat Exemption

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find a statement as described in Department of Labor Regulation Section 2520.104-23(b)(1). By filing this statement, we are hereby electing the alternative method of compliance with the reporting and disclosure requirements of ERISA Title I Part 1 for our deferred compensation plan.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Standard Textile Co., Inc.

Edward M. Frankel
Senior Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer

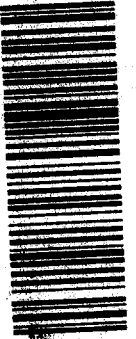
Enclosure

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