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## DET NORSKE VERITAS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CERTIFICATE

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Certificate No. CERT-01369-2006-AQ-HOU-ANAB

This is to certify that

### U.S. SILICA COMPANY BERKELEY PLANT

at

Route 522 North, P.O. Box 187, Berkeley Springs, WV 25411 USA

Has been found to conform to Management System Standard:

**ISO 9001:2000**

This Certificate is valid for the following products/service ranges:

**MINING AND PROCESSING OF SILICA SAND**

Place and date:

Houston, Texas; 10 July 2006

This certificate is valid until:

26 June 2009

for the Accredited Unit:  
DET NORSKE VERITAS CERTIFICATION, INC.  
Houston, TX USA

Robert Keys  
Management Representative  
Det Norske Veritas Certification, Inc.



Initial Certification Date:  
02 December 1996

Sherry Bennett  
Lead Auditor

Further clarifications regarding the scope of this certificate and the applicability of ISO 9001:2000 requirements may be obtained by consulting the organization.  
Lack of fulfillment of conditions as set out in the Appendix may render this certificate invalid.