



Dear valued customers,

The current NFPA standard for firefighter turnout gear includes performance criteria that requires the inclusion of a microporous PTFE layer(classified as PFAS). This is based on the performance of commercially available barrier technologies that do not include PTFE or other PFAS materials. Stedair® Moisture Barriers sandwich the microporous PTFE membrane between a polyurethane coating and a textile. This orientation prevents direct contact with the PTFE(PFAS) barrier. Stedair® Moisture Barriers are also manufactured with a PFAS-FREE Durable Water Repellent.

Best regards,

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