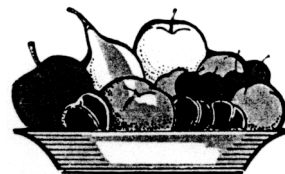




**STADELMAN FRUIT, INC.**

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To Whom it May Concern:

We have been doing business with PermaCold Engineering, Inc. since their inception. Our involvement with PermaCold has covered all areas of refrigeration planning, installation, training, service, and parts supply.

At all times PermaCold has conducted their business with the highest dedication to perfection and "Commitment To Excellence", as their logo states. Even though their base of operations is in Portland, we have always been impressed with their response to service orientated calls. Delayed response has never been an issue and can be compared with a company that operates locally.

We highly recommend PermaCold Engineering Inc. and all of their staff for any refrigeration need. They truly are a company that can be counted on to solve any problem and answer any question that a customer or any potential customer might have.

If you have any further questions about PermaCold Engineering from a customers point of view feel free to contact us any time at the following number. 509-829-5145

Sincerely  
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