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Dear Mr Przybylak,

In February 2009 the advanced earthquake early warning system secty lifePatron was put into operation in the German school „Santiago de Chile. Since the installation the system works without problems fail-safe.

In the 2/27/2010 the heavy earthquake with the Magnitude 8.8 on the Richterscala occurred here in Santiago. The earthquake was still abundantly clear to feel here in our school in Santiago.

Mr. Przybylak, your advanced earthquake early warning system secty lifePatron ® has released an alarm namely quite clearly before the appearance of the real earthquake. We can say this, therefore, so quite clearly because our school caretaker was torn from the sleep by the earthquake alarm and believed first in a false alarm, because he felt no earthquake. Already on the way to deactivate the alarm of the siren, it crossed his mind that it could concern maybe, nevertheless, an oncoming earthquake. Briefly determined he turned back, ran back to his family and brought them immediately outside from the house, as at this moment the earth started to shake. Then the earthquake became so strong in his course that our school caretaker and his family could not keep on the legs. Mr. Przybylak we are brim over with enthusiasm for your system, it has really functioned.

Our school caretaker estimates the pre warning time before the arrival of the first destructive S-Waves at approx. 20 - 30 seconds. However, this is his subjective feeling. In reality the pre warning time will have been longer quite clearly.



Anyway and this is the most important, our scroll caretaker could take measures for himself and his family to reach a sure location before the appearance of the earthquake. If the earthquake had surprised him, this would have been impossible.

Then with the many following aftershocks the system has given no more alarm what was really good because these aftershocks were not dangerous, they were too weak. Also in it we could find out that the advanced earthquake early warning system releases an alarm also really only if a strong earthquake threatens. The events, as badly as they also were, have shown us that we can have faith in this system and this again gives us a little piece more security for the case of other disasters; since we know, we live in an earthquake-threatened region.

We can recommend only to all to use the advanced earthquake early warning system for schools, public buildings, etc. pp. all over the country.

We congratulate the company Secty Electronics GmbH on this great, innovative development.

Yours sincerely



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