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FYI—attached is the statement from NSF

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Hi GERALYN,

It was a pleasure to speak with you just now and to confirm that NSF International has indeed certified the water filters in question. Thank you for sending your press release too.

Attached is our statement which you are welcome to use. I have also copied my colleague Liz Margolis, Communications Manager at NSF International so that you have a second contact. Liz handles our media relations.

Please let me know if you need anything else,  
Anna

p.s. Dr. Wells, please stop over for a cup of coffee or lunch, I would love to show you what your neighbor does!

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Thank you so much for discussing this with us Anna. We will be sending the attached press release out momentarily announcing extended hours for distribution as well as reiterating the NSF information for the filters we are currently providing.

Thank you so much for your assistance,  
Geralyn

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