3M currently sells Fire Barrier Sealants for use on a variety of firestopping applications, including CPVC pipe. Because of various changes in the marketplace, we are clarifying our current recommendation of 3M products for use in applications with CPVC pipe. 3M has become aware of several new brands of CPVC pipe emerging in the market, making evaluation of compatibility with this material more complex. In addition, The Lubrizol Corporation had previously changed the internal test method by which they determine compatibility with CPVC piping. The changes to 3M's recommendations are not prompted by any formulation changes to 3M's™ Fire Barrier Sealants that would adversely affect their compatibility with CPVC pipe.

3M PRODUCTS RECOMMENDED FOR USE WITH CPVC PIPE:
3M™ Fire Barrier Sealant IC 15WB+
3M™ Fire Barrier Water Tight Sealant 3000 WT
3M™ Fire Barrier Water Tight Sealant 1000 NS

3M PRODUCTS NOT RECOMMENDED FOR USE WITH CPVC PIPE:
3M™ Fire Barrier Sealant CP25WB+
3M™ Fire Barrier Sealant 1003 SL
3M™ Fire Barrier Sealant FD 150+
3M™ Fire Barrier Sealant 2000+
3M™ Fire Barrier Sealant 2000
3M™ Fire Block Sealant FB 136

Approved third party systems for these products are being updated to reflect this recommendation.

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