



December 19, 2018

To Whom it May Concern:

We are writing regarding the letter generated by Scott Nova, of the Worker Rights Consortium on December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018, with a subject of "Chinese Factory Named as Employing Forced Labor Supplied Collegiate Apparel to Licensee Badger Sport."

In this letter, Mr. Nova claims that Garb is a subsidiary of Badger Sport (Sportswear). We are writing to protest this inaccuracy.

Garb Alternative Sportswear, Inc., dba Garb, Inc., is not now, nor has it ever been, connected to or a part of Badger Sportswear. Garb, Inc., is a separate independent corporation with no parent company and should not be confused with Garb Athletics, a Badger Sport company. Garb, Inc., disavows any past or present connection to, or relationship with, Badger Sportswear.

Garb is committed to providing high quality children's apparel, using only factories that have been audited by the globally recognized auditing company Sumerra. We also personally visit our factories to confirm there are no issues related to forced labor, safety, or otherwise.

Please ensure that all concerned parties are made aware of this distinction and that Garb is not associated with Badger Sportswear.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Barrett Bartels", is written over a blue circular stamp or seal.

Barrett Bartels, COO – Garb, Inc.