

## **PROJECT MANUAL GUIDE SPECIFICATIONS FOR PFANNENBERG MODEL PY X-MA FLASHING STROBE LIGHT WITH SOUNDER**

### **PART 1 – GENERAL**

#### **1.1 SUMMARY**

A. Visual and audible signaling devices for alarm, warning, and indication are used to promote safety to personnel, create efficiency in movement of people and materials, and report operating status of machinery and processes.

#### **1.2 SECTION INCLUDES**

A. Horns, Strobes, Sounders, Flashing Sounders, Signal Towers, LED Beacons, Traffic Lights, Buzzers, and Loudspeakers as scheduled in this section and as indicated on the drawings.

#### **1.3 SUBMITTALS**

A. Product Data: Submit the following manufacturer's documentation for each product specified.

1. Catalog specifications and outline drawings.
2. Installation and operating instructions.
3. Certifications to substantiate necessary agency approvals.

B. Manufacturer Warranty

1. Manufacturer's warranty for Strobes, LED Beacons, Sounders, and Flashing Sounders. Manufacturer's standard 10-year warranty for PYRA Series Strobe Lights, PATROL Series Sounders, PATROL Series Flashing Sounders, DS Series Sounders, Quadro Series Strobe Lights, Quadro Series LED Beacons, and Quadro Series Traffic Lights.

### **PART 2 – PRODUCTS**

#### **2.1 MANUFACTURERS**

A. Basis of Design and Support: To ensure uniformity of operation, standardization of signal types, quality of construction, standard 10-year warranty term, and worldwide localized support, specifications are solely based, wherever practical, on the products of Pfannenber Inc. [www.pfannenbergsusa.com](http://www.pfannenbergsusa.com).

B. Substitution: Products of a similar nature from other manufacturers may be considered only when performance capabilities, mounting and installation capabilities, environmental use and survivability ratings, operational certifications, and 10-year warranty terms are fully met or exceeded.

#### **2.2 PERFORMANCE / DESIGN CRITERIA**

A. Audible-Visual Alarm. Model PY X-MA Flashing Strobe Light with Sounder – (pick one) 5 Joule or 10 Joule flashing strobe light with integrated 100 dB(A) electronic tone generator, horn, siren. As part of

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the PYRA series of flashing strobe lights, this unit is capable of generating a high intensity, flashing light output. The unit has been designed for quick and easy installation with 3/8-turn captive fasteners and features a keyway in the housing to ensure that an incorrect assembly is not possible. All electrical connections are made at a common terminal strip in the back box to eliminate the possibility of wires being pinched to ensure a safe installation. The unit takes advantage of sound capsule technology to generate a wider tonal frequency envelope and achieve sound penetration through walls and obstacles, which delivers superior signaling capability when compared to other tone generation methods (such as piezoelectric transducers or vibrating horns). The unit takes advantage of specialized components to maximize its useable lifespan. With a choice of electrical connector sockets, the user selects whether the strobe light will operate simultaneously with the sounder or be controlled independently from it.

1. Nominal Output Sound Pressure Level (at 1 meter): 100 dB(A).
2. Number of Capable Tones: Choice of 8 (adjustable by DIP switch setting).
3. Strobe Light Flash Energy (pick one): 5 Joules (max 44 cd light intensity) or 10 Joules (max 118 cd light intensity).
4. Strobe Light Flash Rate: 0.1, 0.5, 0.75, 1 Hz (adjustable by DIP switch setting).
5. Strobe Light Service Life (for >70% light emission): 8 million flashes.
6. Strobe Light Lens Color (pick one): clear, white, yellow, amber, red, green, blue.
7. Operating Voltage Range (pick one): 10 to 60 VDC; 18 to 30 VAC; 90 to 135 VAC; 187 to 255 VAC.
8. Housing Color (pick one): Red (RAL 3000); Light Grey (RAL 7035); White (RAL 9003).
9. Operating Temperature Range: -40 to +131 °F (-40 to +55 °C).
10. Dimensions: 5.3 inch (134 mm) h x 6.5 inch (166 mm) w x 4.5 inch (114 mm) d.
11. Housing Material: Injection-molded, flame-retardant and UV-resistant blend of ABS and polycarbonate.
12. Impact Rating: IK 08
13. Ingress Protection: IP 66, UL Type 4/4X.
14. Gasket Type: Permanently attached "poured-in-place".
15. Enclosure Fasteners Included: 3/8-turn captive screws.
16. Agency Approvals Included (pending): UL; cUL; CE.
17. Warranty Period: 10 years.
18. Optional Features and Accessories (include only if desired).
  - a. Tamper Resistance (optional): Tamper-proof fastener plugs.
  - b. Agency Approvals (optional – pick desired only): GL; MarED.
  - c. Surface Mount Gasket (optional).

## 2.3 AUDIBLE / VISUAL ALARMS SCHEDULE

### A. Pfannenber Model PY X-MA Flashing Sounder.

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## PART 3 – EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

A. Install products in strict compliance with manufacturer's written instructions and recommendations.

END OF SECTION

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**CSI Master Format Sections for which this product may be applicable include the following:**

- 25 35 00 Integrated Automation Instrumentation and Terminal Devices for HVAC
  - 25 35 13 Integrated Automation Actuators and Operators
  - 25 35 16 Integrated Automation Sensors and Transmitters
- 25 38 00 Integrated Automation Instrumentation and Terminal Devices for Electronic Safety and Security Systems
- 25 58 00 Integrated Automation Control of Electronic Safety and Security Systems
- 26 06 00 Schedules for Electrical
  - 26 06 20.13 Electrical Switchboard Schedule
  - 26 06 20.16 Electrical Panelboard Schedule
  - 26 06 20.19 Electrical Motor-Control Center Schedule
- 26 24 00 Switchboards and Panelboards
  - 26 24 13 Switchboards
  - 26 24 16 Panelboards
  - 26 24 19 Motor-Control Centers
- 26 27 00 Low-Voltage Distribution Equipment
  - 26 27 16 Electrical Cabinets and Enclosures
  - 26 27 73 Door Chimes
- 26 29 00 Low-Voltage Controllers
  - 26 29 13 Enclosed Controllers
    - 26 29 13.13 Across-the-Line Motor Controllers
    - 26 29 13.16 Reduced-Voltage Motor Controllers
    - 26 29 23 Variable-Frequency Motor Controllers
    - 26 29 33 Controllers for Fire Pump Drivers
      - 26 29 33.13 Full-Service Controllers for Fire Pump Electric-Motor Drivers
      - 26 29 33.16 Limited-Service Controllers for Fire Pump Electric-Motor Drivers
      - 26 29 33.19 Controllers for Fire Pump Diesel Engine Drivers
- 26 55 00 Special Purpose Lighting
  - 26 55 33 Hazard Warning Lighting
  - 26 55 36 Obstruction Lighting
  - 26 55 53 Security Lighting
- 28 06 00 Schedules for Electronic Safety and Security
  - 28 06 30 Schedules for Electronic Detection and Alarm
- 28 26 00 Electronic Personal Protection Systems
  - 28 26 16 Electronic Personal Safety Alarm Annunciation and Control Systems
- 28 30 00 Electronic Detection and Alarm
- 28 31 00 Fire Detection and Alarm
  - 28 31 63.13 Fire Alarm Horns and Strobes
- 28 32 00 Radiation Detection and Alarm
  - 28 32 23 Radiation Detection and Alarm Integrated Audio Evacuation Systems
- 28 33 00 Gas Detection and Alarm
  - 28 33 23 Gas Detection and Alarm Integrated Audio Evacuation Systems
- 28 34 00 Fuel-Oil Detection and Alarm
  - 28 34 23 Fuel-Oil Detection and Alarm Integrated Audio Evacuation Systems
- 28 35 00 Refrigerant Detection and Alarm
  - 28 35 23 Refrigerant Detection and Alarm Integrated Audio Evacuation Systems
- 28 36 00 Water Detection and Alarm
  - 28 36 43 Building Envelope Water Detection and Alarm
  - 28 39 00 Mass Notification Systems

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