# Selection, Design and Installation Notes: STAMPED

Selection of the proper hose assembly for any given application should take into account the following seven considerations. They are known by the acronym STAMPED.

# **S** SIZE

Hose inside diameter, outside diameter and overall length.

#### T TEMPERATURE

Maximum temperature of the material being conveyed and of the application environment

# **A** APPLICATION

External conditions/environment such as abrasion, bend radius, climate/temperature, crushing, flexing, kinking, and exposure to chemicals, oil, ozone, and ultraviolet light.

## M MEDIA

Type and concentration of material being conveyed and compatibility with the hose

### P PRESSURE

Maximum system pressure, including pressure spikes.

### **E** ENDS

Style, type, attachment method, pressure rating, and material compatibility of end couplings and connections.

#### **D** DELIVERY

Testing, packaging, and delivery requirements.

**Other Considerations:** Abrasion, color, conductivity/nonconductivity, suction/vacuum; industry or regulatory specifications or standards.

