## Drip Zone Valve Kit Models DZK-EZF and 2500DK Installation Instructions

## **Specifications**

- Inlet Pipe Size: 1" FPT
- Outlet Pipe Size: 1" FPT, 3/4" FPT with Reducer Bushing or TRI-LOC™ Flex Pipe Adapter (16–18mm OD)
- · Maximum Supply Pressure: 150 PSI
- Downstream Pressure Regulation: 30 PSI
- Flow Rate @ 30 to 150 PSI:
  - 0.1 GPM to 35 GPM
- Filtration: 150 Count Stainless Mesh Screen
- · Irrigation Control Valve:
  - Automatic 1" In-line Valve
  - · Manual Bleed and Flow Control
  - 24 VAC, 60 Hz Solenoid

## Installation Procedure

CAUTION: When assembling the Drip Zone Valve Kit components, use 3 to 4 turns of PTFE tape on the threaded connections. Do not use pipe sealant!

To achieve a leak-free thread connection, turn the male fitting until it is finger tight, then add one or two more turns. Over-tightening can cause splitting and failure of the female threads.

⚠ Important: Ensure the Y-Filter, Control Valve and

Pressure Regulator are installed in the correct flow orientation. Flow direction arrows are provided on each component. Refer to **Figure 1**.

- 1. From the water source, route 1" schedule 40 PVC pipe to the valve.
- 2. Thread the Y-Filter inlet into the valve outlet. Use PTFE tape on all threaded connections. Angle the Y-Filter slightly downward as shown in **Figure 1**.
- 3. Thread the Pressure Regulator into the Y-Filter outlet.
  Note: To adapt the Drip Zone Valve Kit for Dripline applications, install the provided 1" x 3/4" Male NPT Reducer and TRI-LOC™ Flex Pipe Adapter.
- 4. Connect the water source supply line and piping to drip emitters.
- 5. Installing the completed assembly below grade in a valve box is suggested. Leave sufficient room to access the components for future maintenance.

Important: Refer to the provided EZ-Flo *Plus* or 2500 Valve's Installation Instructions for additional important installation and operating information.

6. To determine the recommended minimum/maximum number of drip emitters per control valve, refer to the following table:

Emitter (GPH)	Low Flow	Medium Flow
0.5	30–960	240–2400
1.0	15–480	120–1200
2.0	1–240	60–600

## **Kit Components**

- 1" (FPT X FPT) Irrigation Control Valve
- 1" (MPT x MPT) F Series Y-Filter, 150 Mesh
- 1" (FPT X FPT) Pressure Regulator, 30 PSI at 0.1-35 GPM
- 1" x 3/4" NPT Reducer Bushings
- TRI-LOC<sup>™</sup> Flex Pipe Adapter (16–18mm OD)

