



## Bamboo Technologies

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Mo Madani, CBO, Technical Unit Manager  
Building Code and Standards – Florida Department of Community Affairs  
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RE: Notice of Approval

Mr. Madani:

Following recent conversations with Mr. Azhar Khan, Bamboo Technologies requests a declaratory statement to indicate whether our Bamboo Technologies Structural Bamboo Pole product falls under the scope of Rule 9B-72.

General consideration is as follows:

1. Bamboo Technologies Structural Bamboo Pole is recognized under ICC ESR-1636.
2. Bamboo Technologies Structural Bamboo Pole has been tested in accordance with ICBO (ICC) AC 162 by an ICC approved laboratory and deemed to in compliance with IBC, IRC and UBC.
3. Bamboo Technologies maintains its quality assurance program in accordance with ICC requirements.
4. Bamboo Technologies is the sole manufacturer of this product.
5. Bamboo Technologies Structural Bamboo Pole has been tested by ICC approved laboratories according to ASTM E84-00a and ASTM E119.

Assistance in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

David E. Sands, AIA  
Owner

DATE-DEC-28  
FILING AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT  
FILED, on this date, with the designated  
Clerk, receipt of which is hereby  
acknowledged.  
Paula P. Ford  
Commission Clerk  
Date 9/15/08