

December 15, 2011

Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation  
1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee FL 32399

Regarding: Metals USA Building Products  
26ga Galvanized Steel Storm Panels  
Project #05-MEU-0005

To Whom It May Concern:

Please be advised that the below-signed engineer does not have nor will acquire a financial interest in the company manufacturing or distributing the product(s) for which an evaluation report or validation certification has been prepared, as referenced above. This engineer is not owned, operated, nor controlled by the manufacturer or distributor noted above and does not have any financial interest in any other entity involved in the approval process of the above-noted product(s).

Respectfully,

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