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Letter of Equivalence

Application Number: FL11291-R14 (Revision)

SESS Project Number: 26-3485

For: Storm Smart Industries, LLC
6182 Idlewild Street
Fort Myers, FL 33966

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

Regarding: Storm Catcher Wind Abatement System, Product Approval Application

To whom this letter concerns,

This office has reviewed test reports of the above-noted product. These referenced test reports pertain to testing performed in accordance with ASTM E330-02 "Test Method for Structural Performance of Exterior Windows, Skylights, Doors and Curtain Walls by Uniform Static Air Pressure". This standard was reapproved with no revisions in 2010 as ASTM E330-02(2010). These standards have not been adopted in the Florida Building Code Ninth Edition (2026), however for the purpose of this evaluation are equivalent to ASTM E330/ E330M-14

Similarly, ASTM E1996-12, 14, 14a "Specification for Performance of Exterior Windows, Curtain Walls, Doors and Impact Protective Systems Impacted by Windborne Debris in Hurricanes", is equivalent to ASTM E1996-17 or -20 which are adopted in the Florida Building Code Ninth Edition (2026).

Similarly, ASTM E1886-05, 13a "Specification for Performance of Exterior Windows, Curtain Walls, Doors and Impact Protective Systems Impacted by Windborne Debris in Hurricanes", is equivalent to ASTM E1886-13a or -19 which are adopted in the Florida Building Code Ninth Edition (2026).

This office has also reviewed test reports pertaining to testing performed in accordance with ASTM D1929-12 "Standard Test Method for Determining Ignition Temperature of Plastics" and ASTM D635-10 "Test Method for Rate of Burning of Plastics". These standards have not been adopted in the Florida Building Code Ninth Edition (2026), however for the purpose of this evaluation are equivalent to ASTM D1929-16 and ASTM D635-14 which are adopted in the Florida Building Code Ninth Edition (2026).

Respectfully,

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