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Pursuant to Section 29(1)(a) of the *Building Code Act, 1992*, the Director of the Building and Development Branch, as delegate of the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing (the “Minister”), hereby approves the use of **GuardWrap® - Air Barrier Material** subject to the following terms and conditions:

**Minister Ruling No: 10-15-252 (13386-R)**

**File No: 10-29**

**Final July 13, 2010**

### 1. MANUFACTURER

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### 3. SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

- (a) **GuardWrap® - Air Barrier Material** can serve as an air barrier material in respect of Sentence 5.4.1.2.(1) and Appendix note A-9.25.3.2. of Division B, of Ontario’s 2006 Building Code, Ontario Regulation 350/06 (the “Building Code”);
- (b) Although the Appendix of the Building Code is not considered a requirement for construction, as the CCMC Evaluation Report has tested the **GuardWrap® - Air Barrier Material** to National Building Code Appendix A-9.25.3.2., for the purposes of this Ruling Appendix A-9.25.3.2. shall be considered a requirement;
- (c) The **GuardWrap® - Air Barrier Material** shall comply with the *Building Code Act, 1992*; and except as specifically provided otherwise in this Ruling, with the Building Code;

- (d) The use of the **GuardWrap® - Air Barrier Material** must be in accordance with the Canadian Construction Materials Centre (the "CCMC") Evaluation Report No. CCMC 13386-R (the "Evaluation Report") issued on April 27, 2010; provided that the references in that report to the model National Building Code of Canada, 2005 including those listed in column 1 below, shall be deemed references to Ontario's 2006 Building Code listed in column 2 below, as described in the following table;

<b>model National Building Code, 2005 References</b>	<b>Ontario's 2006 Building Code References</b>
Division A, 1.2.1.1.(1)(b)	Division A, 1.2.1.1.(1)(b)
Division B, 5.4.1.2.(1)	Division B, 5.4.1.2.(1)
Division B, 9.10.16.	Division B, 9.10.16.
Division B, 9.23.16.2.	Division B, 9.23.16.2.
Division B, 9.25.3.1.	Division B, 9.25.3.1.
Division B, 9.25.3.2.	Division B, 9.25.3.2.
Division B, 9.25.3.2.(1)	Division B, 9.25.3.2.(1)
Division B, 9.25.3.3.	Division B, 9.25.3.3.
Division B, 9.25.4.2.(1)	Division B, 9.25.4.2.(1)
Division B, 9.25.4.2.(2)	Division B, 9.25.4.2.(2)
Division B, 9.25.4.2.(3)	Division B, 9.25.4.2.(3)
Division B, 9.25.4.2.(4)	Division B, 9.25.4.2.(4)
Division B, 9.25.4.2.(5)	Division B, 9.25.4.2.(5)
Division B, 9.25.4.2.(6)	Division B, 9.25.4.2.(6)
Appendix Note A-9.25.3.2.	Appendix Note A-9.25.3.2.
Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ)	Principal Authority
National Building Code (NBC 2005)	Building Code
column 1	column 2

- (e) A copy of this Ruling shall be attached to the application for a building permit, and
- (f) This Ruling is valid only for products manufactured at the facilities outlined in Section 2. (Manufacturing Facilities) of this Ruling.

#### **4. GENERAL CONDITIONS**

The Minister or his/her delegate may amend or revoke this Ruling if:

- (a) the Evaluation Report is amended by the CCMC;
- (b) the Evaluation Report expires in accordance with the CCMC's General Conditions for Evaluation Reports;

- (c) the Evaluation Report is rendered void in accordance with the CCMC's General Conditions for Evaluation Reports by reason of alterations to the product or relocation of manufacturing facilities, described in the Evaluation Report, without prior agreement by the CCMC;
- (d) the Evaluation Report is withdrawn by the CCMC in accordance with the CCMC's General Conditions for Evaluation Reports where, in the opinion of the CCMC:
  - (i) the level of performance, in-situ, of the product described in the Evaluation Report is unsatisfactory;
  - (ii) the proponent of such product fails to fulfil its obligations as set out in the CCMC's General Conditions for Evaluation Reports; or
  - (iii) such product may pose any danger to the health or safety of the user of such product;
- (e) the Minister or his/her delegate determines that the use of the material, system or building design authorized by this Ruling:
  - (i) will not comply with the *Building Code Act, 1992* or any relevant law as they may be amended or re-enacted from time to time; or
  - (ii) provides an unsatisfactory level of performance, in situ; or
- (f) any provision of the Building Code relevant to this Ruling is amended or remade.

Dated at Toronto This 13<sup>th</sup> Day of July 2010.

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Director, Building and Development Branch