

Ruling of the Minister  
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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 **Gold Fold, Gold Guard, Styrofold 5, Styrofold 5 Plus and Kaycore Underlayments** subject to the following terms and conditions:

**Minister Ruling No: 07-15-173 (13066-R)**

**File No: 08-49**

**Issued on April 18, 2007**

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### 1. MANUFACTURER

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### 2. MANUFACTURING FACILITIES

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### 3. SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

- (a) The **Gold Fold, Gold Guard, Styrofold 5, Styrofold 5 Plus and Kaycore Underlayments** can serve as residing underlayment to cover existing siding on existing buildings, and is approved in respect of Division B, Article 9.25.2.2. of the 2006 Building Code, Ontario Regulation 350/06 (the "Building Code");
- (b) The **Gold Fold, Gold Guard, Styrofold 5, Styrofold 5 Plus and Kaycore Underlayments** shall comply with the *Building Code Act, 1992*; and except as specifically provided otherwise in this ruling, with the Building Code;
- (c) Installation of **Gold Fold, Gold Guard, Styrofold 5, Styrofold 5 Plus and Kaycore Underlayments** on an exposing building face shall comply with the spatial separation requirements in Subsections 9.10.14. and 9.10.15. Division B, of the Building Code;

- (d) To ensure that the **Gold Fold, Gold Guard, Styrofold 5, Styrofold 5 Plus and Kay core Underpayments** can provide additional thermal resistance to the wall assembly without detrimental effects, documentation/calculations shall be submitted to the chief building official, demonstrating that that the proposed installation meets the requirements of Article 9.25.1.2. of Division B of the Building Code;
- (e) The use of the **Gold Fold, Gold Guard, Styrofold 5, Styrofold 5 Plus and Kaycore Underlayments** must be in accordance with Canadian Construction Materials Centre (the "CCMC") Evaluation Report No. CCMC 13066-R (the "Evaluation Report") issued on May 3, 2002, re-evaluated on October 1, 2008 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 Building Code listed in column 2 below, as described in the following table;

<b>model 2005 National Building Code References</b>	<b>Ontario's 2006 Building Code References</b>
Division A, 1.2.1.1.(1)(a) Division B, 9.25.2.2. Appendix Note A-9.25.2.4.(3) NBC	Division A, 1.2.1.1.(1)(a) Division B, 9.25.2.2. Appendix Note A-9.25.2.4.(3) Building Code
column 1	column 2

- (f) A copy of this Ruling shall be attached to the application for a building permit,
- (g) 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 5<sup>th</sup> Day of June 2009.

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