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RULING OF THE MINISTER OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS AND HOUSING

MR 06-13-157 (13236-R)
Minister's Ruling File Number: MR 06-14 13236-R)
Issued on November 15, 2006

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 **JSI 2000, 3000, 4000, 4400 Series I-joist** subject to the following terms and conditions;

1. MANUFACTURER

Jager Building Systems Inc.
6839-44th Street SE
Calgary, Alberta
T2C 2C9

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2. MANUFACTURING FACILITIES

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4334-68th Avenue SE
Calgary, Alberta, T2C 2T9

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80, boul. De la Seigneurie E.
Blainville (Quebec) LJC 4N1

Bolton Wood Products
44 Simpson Road
Bolton, Ontario L7E 1Y4

3. SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

- (a) The use of **JSI 2000, 3000, 4000, 4400 Series I-joist** can serve as prefabricated wood I-joists, as floor and ceiling joists and roof joists/rafters and is approved in respect of Sections 4.1. and 4.3., and Sentences 9.23.4.2. (1) and 9.23.4.2. (2) of the 1997 Ontario Building Code, Ontario Regulation 403/97 (the "Ontario Building Code") as amended or remade from time to time;
- (b) Notwithstanding condition 3(a) of this ruling, floor loading/span tables shall only list acceptable limits for **JSI 2000, 3000, 4000, 4400 Series I-joist** that conform to Sentence 4.1.1.6.(1). of the Building Code;

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- (c) The **JSI 2000, 3000, 4000, 4400 Series I-joist** 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 **JSI 2000, 3000, 4000, 4400 Series I-joist** must be in accordance with Canadian Construction Materials Centre (the "CCMC") Evaluation Report No. CCMC 13236-R (the "Evaluation Report") issued on March 30, 2006, provided that the references in that report to the National Building Code of Canada, 1995, included those listed in column 1 below, shall be deemed references to the Ontario Building Code listed in column 2 below, as described in the following table;

National Building Code References	Ontario Building Code References
4. 4.1. 4.3. 9. 9.3.2.5. 9.23.4.2.(1) 9.23.4.2.(2)	4. 4.1. 4.3. 9. 9.3.2.5. 9.23.4.2.(1) 9.23.4.2.(2)
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 Ontario Building Code provision relevant to this ruling is amended or remade.

DATED AT TORONTO THIS 16 DAY OF NOVEMBER 2006.

DAVID BREZER, DIRECTOR, BUILDING AND DEVELOPMENT BRANCH