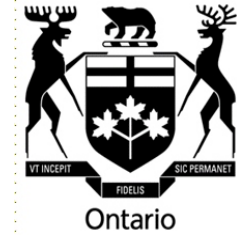


Ruling of the Minister
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BUILDING CODE ACT, 1992

RULING OF THE MINISTER OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS AND HOUSING

No. 04-04-108 (13103-R)
Dated March 30, 2004

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 Durabond Products Ltd.: **Durex Flexlite/ Durex Flexlite Select / Durex Insulite / Durex Insulite Select / Durex Insulite EW17 / Durex Insulite EXT / Durex Insulite EXT Select/ Durex Quantum**, subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. MANUFACTURER/AGENT

Durabond Products Ltd.
55 Underwriters Road
Scarborough, Ontario
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2. MANUFACTURING FACILITIES

Durabond Products Ltd.
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3. SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

- (a) The use of **Durex Flexlite/ Durex Flexlite Select / Durex Insulite / Durex Insulite Select / Durex Insulite EW17 / Durex Insulite EXT / Durex Insulite EXT Select/ Durex Quantum**, is approved in respect of the requirements as a cladding designed to provide additional thermal insulation for new and retrofit construction in Section 9.27., Article 9.10.6.1., and Clause 3.2.3.7.(7)(b) when using Durex Insulite EW17; of the 1997 Ontario Building Code, Ontario Regulation 403/97 (the "Ontario Building Code) as amended or remade from time to time;
- (b) **Durex Flexlite/ Durex Flexlite Select / Durex Insulite / Durex Insulite Select / Durex Insulite EW17 / Durex Insulite EXT / Durex Insulite EXT Select/ Durex Quantum**, shall comply with the *Building Code Act, 1992*; and except as specifically provided otherwise in this ruling, with the Ontario Building Code;

- (c) The use of the **Durex Flexlite/ Durex Flexlite Select / Durex Insulite / Durex Insulite Select / Durex Insulite EW17 / Durex Insulite EXT / Durex Insulite EXT Select/ Durex Quantum**, must be in accordance with Canadian Construction Materials Centre (the "CCMC") Evaluation Report No. CCMC 13103-R (the "Evaluation Report") issued on February 13, 2003; and that the references in that report to the National Building Code of Canada, 1995 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
<p>Articles 3.1.4.2. 9.10.16.10. 9.25.1.2. 9.10.3.2.</p> <p>Appendix note A-9.25.1.2.</p> <p>Sentences 3.1.5.11.(3) 3.1.12.1.(2)</p> <p>Clauses 3.2.3.7.(7)(b) 3.1.5.11.(2)(e)</p> <p>General Reference Information: Fire stops requirements</p> <p>Heat transfer, air leakage and condensation control</p> <p>Panels, when part of a prefabricated panel system that incorporates structural components shall also be designed in accordance with the National Building Code.</p>	<p>Articles 3.1.4.2. 9.10.16.10. 9.25.1.2. 9.10.3.2 - except the use of the Supplementary Guidelines is not permitted.</p> <p>Appendix note A-9.25.1.2.</p> <p>Sentences 3.1.5.11.(3) 3.1.12.1.(2)</p> <p>Clauses 3.2.3.7.(7)(b) 3.1.5.11.(2)(e)</p> <p>Fire stop requirements - except compliance alternatives A14, B16, C14, C158, DE14, DE137, F15, and F136 do not apply.</p> <p>Heat transfer, air leakage and condensation control - except that the use of compliance alternatives C176, DE153 and F152 are not applicable.</p> <p>Panels, when part of a prefabricated panel system that incorporates structural components shall also be designed in accordance with the Ontario Building Code.</p>
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- (d) A copy of this Ruling shall be attached to the application for a building permit; and;
- (e) This Ruling is valid only for 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 reenacted 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 30TH DAY OF MARCH, 2004.

ALI ARLANI, DIRECTOR BUILDING AND DEVELOPMENT BRANCH