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## CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENCE

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Date: 2023-02-28

I, Christopher Bowness, P.E., Florida licensed engineer #64748, performing evaluations of products and installations in accordance with the Florida Building Code, attest that:

1. Boca Engineering Co. does not have, nor does it intend to acquire or will it acquire, a financial interest in any company manufacturing or distributing products it evaluates.
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Sincerely,

Chris Bowness, P.E.