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Re: Equivalence of Test Standards

This document shall serve to state that products successfully tested to the ASTM E1996-12 test method, also meet testing requirements set forth by ASTM E1996-06.

The ASTM E1996 test standard has been evaluated for differences in test methodology, if any, between tested editions of the test standard listed below and the edition referenced in the current Florida Building Code. JELD-WEN, inc. has tested their products to the following test standard edition:

- 1) ASTM E1996-12

Chapter 35 of the current Florida Building Code references the following edition of the above mentioned test standard:

- 1) ASTM E1996-06

After review of the above mentioned referenced standard and edition, it has been found that no significant technical changes have been made to the test standard that would affect the results. The referenced standard has been found to be equivalent. All test results meet minimum requirements of the current FBC excluding HVHZ provisions.

Respectfully submitted,



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