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Engineering Evaluation Report Report No.: TBA 15-0511.01

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Manufacturer:

HB&G Building Products Inc. 1015 Brundidge Blvd Troy, AL 36081

Product Line:

Column-Loc™

Product Description:

Fiber Reinforced Polymer (FRP) Columns with Column-Loc™ Base/Cap Mounting System

Code Compliance:

The above mentioned product has been evaluated for compliance with the requirements of the Florida Building Code 5th Edition (2014) Chapters 16 and 22 and as Per Rule 61G20-3.005 (2).

Supporting Documents:

- a) Intertek, Report No.: E4676.01-119-18 ASTM D1761
- b) Installation Instructions, Column-Loc™ Date 05/11/2015, Verified by Theodore Berman, P.E.

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Limitations and Conditions of use:

- This product is for use within and outside of the High Velocity Hurricane Zones (HVHZ).
- Product Data shall be in accordance with Installation Instructions, Column-Loc™ Date 05/11/2015.
- Threaded rod shall be ½" 13 Grade 5 (ASTM A325) galvanized or better.
- All metals shall be corrosion resistant and Grade 33 minimum.
- Product shall be installed into substrates shown on Installation Instructions not to exceed the spacing indicated.
- Site conditions that deviate from the details on the Installation Instructions will require further analysis from a licensed Professional Engineer.
- All components that are permanently installed shall be protected from contamination and corrosion.

Quality Assurance:

The manufacturer has demonstrated compliance of products in accordance with the Florida Building Code and Rule 61G20-3.005 (3) for manufacturing under a quality assurance program audited by an approved quality assurance entity:

Architectural Testing, Inc. (FBC Organization ID# QUA1844)

Each product shall be labeled in accordance with the requirements of the quality assurance entity and shall indicate marking as indicated on Installation Instruction.

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Certification of Independence:

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Respectfully,

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