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FROM: MElizabeth A. Cocke, FHA Standards Director

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SUBJECT: January 2011 Cancellation for Materials Releases and

Structural Engineering Bulletins

The Office of Manufactured Housing Programs assists FHA by issuing product acceptances of new building materials, products and systems to be used in houses and buildings financed with FHA-insured mortgages, including single family homes, multi-family housing, and health care type facilities. These product acceptances, known as Materials Release Bulletins (MRs) and Structural Engineering Bulletins (SEBs), are issued under FHA's Technical Suitability of Products (TSP) program.

Periodically, the FHA Standards Program cancels product approvals due to inactivity by the sponsor or because the sponsor is no longer producing the product or system in which the bulletin was originally obtained. This memo provides you the most recent list of product approvals the FHA Standards Program has cancelled as of January 25, 2011. This is a list of 14 Materials Releases and 14 Structural Engineering Bulletins that are cancelled.

Further information on active MRs is available at: http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/ramh/mps/mr/material.cfm

Further information on active SEBs is available at: http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/ramh/mps/seb/strueng.cfm

With these cancellations FHA may no longer allow these materials and structural systems to be used in new construction eligible for FHA insured mortgages.

You may find it helpful to share this information with the appropriate staff in HUD's Single Family HOCs and Multifamily HUBs.

If you have any questions regarding this information, or the FHA Technical Suitability of Products (TSP) program, please contact me at 202-402-4233.

Attachments

Cancellations of Materials Releases (MRs) as of January 25, 2011:

MR No. 657i dated April 17, 2001 issued to:

> Alside Division of Associated Materials, Inc. 3773 State Road

Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44223

MR No. 971f dated December 2, 2002 issued to:

> NewMech Companies, Inc. Spiro Pipe Division 1633 Eustis Street St. Paul, MN 55108

MR No. 1076e dated May 9, 2001 issued to:

> American Brick Company 27303 W. Eight Mile Road Detroit, MI 48240

MR No. 1085f dated July 17, 2003 issued to:

> U. S. Intec 1361 Alps Road Wayne, NJ 07470

MR No. 1103d dated May 23, 1994 issued to:

> Armstrong World Industries, Inc. P. O. Box 3001 Lancaster, PA 17604

MR No. 1216c dated July 8, 2003 issued to:

> **GAF** Building Materials Corporation 1361 Alps Road Wayne, NJ 07470-3689

MR No. 1261b dated February 6, 2002 issued to:

Arch Wood Protection 1955 Lake Park Drive Suite 250 Smyrna, GA 30080

MR No. 1271a dated May 31, 2000 issued to:

Armstrong World Industries, Inc. P. O. Box 3001 Lancaster, PA 17604

MR No. 1280c dated June 12, 2007 issued to:

Integrity/Infinity Windows, Inc. Division of Marvin Windows and Doors, Inc. 1616 43rd Street NW Fargo, ND 58102

MR No. 1305 dated October 23, 2000 issued to:

Armstrong World Industries, Inc. P. O. Box 3001 Lancaster, PA 17604

MR No. 1306a dated February 17, 2004 issued to:

U. S. Plastic Lumber, Ltd. 2600 W. Roosevelt Road Chicago, IL 60608

MR No. 1307 dated March 19, 2001 issued to:

Willamette Industries, Inc. 2550 Progress Way Woodburn, OR 97071

MR No. 1308 dated July 10, 2001 issued to:

Armstrong World Industries, Inc. P. O. Box 3001 Lancaster, PA 17604

MR No. 1315 dated January 7, 2004 issued to:

Armstrong World Industries, Inc. P. O. Box 3001 Lancaster, PA 17604

Cancellations of Structural Engineering Bulletins (SEBs) as of January 25, 2011:

SEB No. 864 Rev. 6 dated September 14, 2001 issued to:

Cardinal Homes, Inc. P. O. Box 10 Wyliesburg, VA 23976

SEB No. 874 Rev. 6 dated June 7, 2000 issued to:

Haven Homes, Inc. P. O. Box 178 Beech Creek, PA 16827

SEB No. 900 Rev. 9 dated October 11, 2007 issued to:

Grafton Homes, Inc. P. O. Box 648 Grafton, WV 26354-0648

SEB No. 916 Rev. 7 dated October 21, 2004 issued to:

Truswal Systems Corporation 1101 N. Great S.W. Parkway Arlington, TX 76011

SEB No. 969 Rev. 6 dated January 14, 1999 issued to:

Terrace Homes, Inc. Division of Manternach Development Company 1553 11th Drive Friendship, WI 53934

SEB No. 1069 Rev. 4 dated August 10, 1998 issued to:

Epoch Corporation P. O. Box 235 Pembroke, NH 03275

SEB No. 1079 Rev. 3 dated May 22, 1998 issued to:

Foam Products Corporation 2525 Adie Road (Maryland Heights) St. Louis County, MO 63043 SEB No. 1101 Rev. 6 dated August 30, 2006 issued to:

Korwall Industries, Inc. 326 N. Bowen Road Arlington, TX 76012

SEB No. 1103 Rev. 3 dated February 11, 1999 issued to:

Hearthstone, Inc. 1630 East Highway 25/70 Dandridge, TN 37725

SEB No. 1106 Rev. 2 dated April 10, 2000 issued to:

Fibercrete, L.L.C. 221 S.W. 14th Court Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

SEB No. 1112 Rev. 2 dated January 4, 1999 issued to:

Chelsea Modular Homes, Inc. P. O. Box 599, Route 9W Marlboro, NY 12542

SEB No. 1116 Rev. 2 dated February 17, 1999 issued to:

Hiawatha Log Homes P. O. Box 8 Munising, MI 49862

SEB No. 1129 Rev. 1 dated April 11, 2006 issued to:

NASCOR Ltd. 1212 34th Avenue Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2G 1V7

SEB No. 1130 Rev. 1 dated June 12, 2007 issued to:

Jager Building Systems, Inc. 142, 12143 40th Street S.E. Calgary, Albert, Canada T2Z 4E6

SEB No. 1131 Rev. 1 dated January 19, 2006 issued to:

NASCOR Ltd. 1212 34th Avenue Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2G 1V7