

## Report of Materials and Equipment Acceptance Division

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Pursuant to Administrative Code Section 27-131, the following equipment or material has been found acceptable for use subject to the terms and conditions contained herein.

## MEA 192-05-M

Manufacturer:	TABS Wall System LLC, Grandville M149468.
Trade Name(s):	TABS II Wall System.
Product:	Two hours non-load bearing steel stud wall with TABS II panel system.
Pertinent Code Section(s):	27-232 and 27-133 (Alternate or Equivalent Materials).
Prescribed Test(s):	ASTM-E-84. RS 5(ASTM E119), ASTM E84.
Laboratory:	Omega Point Laboratories.
Test Report(s):	Omega Point Project No. 16976-119158A dated October 30 2004, No. 16976-121336 dated September 22,2004.

**Description:** TABS II panel is the support panel brick system for thin brick. System consists of a textured support panel, adhesive, mortar, and mortar additive with thin brick in various colors.

Product is applied over a non-combustible sheathing for aesthetics and a maintenance free finish. System provides a finish with a fire rating, high wind loads, and moisture control.

Note: Product should not be placed below grade or where weeping water will be hampered.

Terms and Conditions: That the above TABS II panel be accepted for noncombustible finish under Section 27-133 on condition that all uses locations and installations for exterior use shall be limited to:

- 1. Low-rise buildings (A structure less than 75ft. in height).
- 2. To ensure proper anchorage and prevent water seepage penetration specifically at joints. All exterior installation shall be subject to controlled inspection provisions of the Code as per Section 27-132.
- 3. All shipments and deliveries of such material shall be accompanied by a certificate or label certifying that the materials shipped or delivered are equivalent to those tested and acceptable for use as provided for in Section 27-131 of the Building Code.

Final Acceptance November 1, 2005

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