

City of New York
Department of Buildings

Pursuant to Administrative Code Section 27-131, the following equipment or material has been found acceptable for use in accordance with the report of Materials and Equipment Acceptance (MEA) Division.

Patricia J. Lancaster, A.I.A., Commissioner
MEA 247-03-M

Report of Material and Equipment Acceptance Division

Manufacturer – CertainTeed Corporation, 750 E. Swedesford Road, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania 19482.

Trade Name(s) – CertainTeed Weatherboards.

Product - Fiber cement board.

Pertinent Code Section(s) – 27-232 (Noncombustibility).

Prescribed Test(s) – RS 5-5 (ASTM 136).

Laboratory – Intertek Testing Services.

Test Report(s) - ITS Project No. 493-8127 dated December 7, 2000.

Description – Weatherboard fiber cement for noncombustibility acceptance is 1/4 inch thick cementitious tile backer board, built up to 2 inches in height by wiring eight 1 1/2 inch by 1 1/2 inch plies together.

The following products are manufactured using the same fiber-cement material:

Weatherboards Lap Siding
Weatherboards Vertical Siding
Weatherboards Shapes Siding
Weatherboards Soffit

Recommendation – That the above described cement board material be accepted for usage where Building Code requires noncombustibility. All shipments and deliveries of such equipment shall be provided with a metal tag, suitably placed, certifying that the equipment shipped or delivered is equivalent to those tested and accepted for use, as provided for in Section 27-131 of the Building Code.

Final Acceptance NOV. 28/03

Examined By S. Deshpande