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CLIENT:

Aluminco S.A.

SPECIFICATIONS:

Florida Building Code

Concentrated Load Test

ADDRESS:

Inofita, Viotia Greece, 32011

PROJECT:

Aluminco S.A.

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DESCRIPTION OF SAMPLE				
Model Designation:	Series: F50 Vertical Q Picket Railing			
Overall Size:	10'-6 1/4" (126 1/4") by 3'-6 3/16" (42 3/16") high			
Size and Location of Post:	Four 41" high aluminum vertical post located 4" and 43 3/8" from each end			
Size and Location of Pickets:	Twenty eight 38" long aluminum vertical pickets located 4 3/8" on center			
Sample F-1				

MATERIAL CHARACTERISTICS				
Members	Material**	Part Number**	Joint Type	
Top Rail	6060-T6	F50-203	n/a	
Bottom Rail	6060-T6	F50-310	n/a	
Hand Rail	6060-T6	F50-223	n/a	
Vertical Post	6060-T6	F50-109	n/a	
Vertical Pickets	6060-T6	F50-302	n/a	
Cover	6060-T6	F50-311	Butt joint	
Vertical Post Cover	6060-T6	F50-122	Butt joint	
Hand Rail Cover	6060-T6	4451-1	Butt joint	
Bottom Rail Cover	6060-T6	F50-3K10	n/a	

Additional Information

The sample was tested using one snap on extruded aluminum cover (part No. F50-311) between each picket at the top and bottom rail.

The hand rail snaps on the top rail and was fastened to the top rail at each end using one extruded aluminum cover (part No. 4451-1). The cover was fastened to the hand rail using one No. 8 by 3/4" FH SDS and the cover was fastened to the top rail using one No. 8 by 3/4" FH SDS.

The top rail and bottom rail were fastened to each vertical post using two No. 10 by 1 1/2" FH SDS.

The sample was tested using one snap on extruded aluminum cover (part No. F50-122) at each vertical post.

The sample was tested using one snap on extruded aluminum cover (part No. F50-3K10) at each bottom rail.

The sample was tested using one slide in extruded aluminum cover (part No. 4452) at each end of the bottom rails.



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Sample Installation

Each vertical post was anchored to the concrete test slab using one 9 1/16" long metallic installation pin (part No. 4188). The installation pin penetrates 5 1/8" into the vertical post and was fastened to the vertical post using three No. 8 by 3/4" FH SDS. The installation pin was set into a 5/8" diameter hole using **Aluminco UA320-1EL polyester resin.

Sample: F-1	Temperature: 85°F		Barometric Rea	ding: 29.96 inches Hg	
Title of Test L		Load	Notes		
		525.0 lbs	As per FBC section 1607.7.1 A horizontal load was applied at mid span of the handrail.		
Reading#	Deflection	Permanent Set	Results	Add. Info	
1	2.625"	0.375"	Passed		



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Sample: F-1	Temperature: 85°F		Barometric Rea	ding: 29.96 inches Hg		
Ti	tle of Test	Load	Notes			
Concentrated Load Test		200.0 lbs	As per FBC section 1607.7.1.1 A horizontal load was applied at the corner of the handrail.			
Reading#	Deflection	Permanent Set	Results	Add. Info		
1	2.437"	0.250"	Passed			



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Sample: F-1	Temperature: 85°F	_	Barometric Rea	ding: 29.96 inches Hg
Title of Test Concentrated Load Test		Load	Notes	
		50.0 lbs	50.0 lbs As per FBC section 1607.7.1.2 A horiz was applied in a one square foot area	
		3		
Reading#	Deflection	Permanent Set	Results	Add. Info
3	n/a	n/a	Passed	



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Notes

- * designates measurements by laboratory
- ** as per manufacturer

Drawings referenced in this document are an integral part of this report, therefore, are required when distributing this test report. Test results obtained represent the actual value of the tested specimens and do not constitute opinion, endorsement or certification by this laboratory.

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At conclusion of above tests, there was no apparent damage to the concrete slab/wall, sample or fasteners.

Remarks

Detailed drawings and test report will be retained by Fenestration Testing Laboratory for a period of four years from the original test date. Due to the code cycle change of four years, it is recommended that this report be evaluated during the lifespan of this document.

This product was tested and meets the requirement set forth by the Florida Building Code (2010) concentrated load test sections 1607.7.1, 1607.7.1.1 and 1607.7.1.2.

Testing was conducted as per instructions received from the manufacturers company representative.

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