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February 23, 2000

Mr. Jim Gannon  
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Hyload, Inc.  
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RE: SBCCI PST & ESI Evaluation Report #9517

Dear Mr.Gannon:

Your coal tar roofing membrane roof covering systems were evaluated for the Standard Building Code© under section 103.7 Alternate Materials and Methods. This section of the SBC allows a manufacturer to submitted test data and engineering analysis to substantiate the per formance of a building product for compliance with the SBC.

The SBCCI PST & ESI Committee on Compliance reviewed the documentation submitted for your roof covering systems and found that your product complies with the Standard Building Code© when installed in accordance with the evaluation report. Refer to section 8.0 of your evaluation report.

Your membranes are described in section 4.2 and 4.3 of your report as coal tar roofing membranes. The roof slopes for your product are noted in your report and allow your systems to be installed on roofs with zero slope, see section 9.7 and 5.2. The slopes noted in the SBC in section 1058.3.1 do not apply to your product and are superceded by the slopes shown in your report. The slopes in the evaluation report are based on testing and engineering analysis and were accepted by the committee. The structural members supporting roofs with no slope must be designed for rain water loads under section 1604.6.2 of the SBC.

I am pleased to provide you with the above information concerning your Evaluation Report. Please note that approval of your product is required by the Local Building Official.

Should you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michael P. O'Reardon".

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