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# PERFORMANCE EVALUATION OF THE WINDSPEC INC., "WINDSPEC 5500 HTP SERIES FIXED" UNIT IN ACCORDANCE NAFS - AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08 AND CSA A440 S1-09 CAN SUPPLEMENT SECTION 5

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Proposal No.: 14-006-327230

Date: December 14, 2014

Product Manufacturer: Windspec Inc.
Product Type: Fixed Window

Product series/model: Windspec 5500 HTP Series Fixed

Primary product designator: Class AW-PG70-FW - 1,524 x 2,514mm (60 x 99") – Type FW

Optional Secondary designator: Canadian Air Infiltration/Exfiltration = Fixed Level Canadian

Water Penetration Resistance = 730Pa (15.0 PSF) Negative Design Pressure (DP) = -3,360 Pa (-70.0 PSF) Positive Design Pressure (DP) = +3,360 Pa (+70.0 PSF)

Test Completion Date: November 26, 2014



# 1.0 INTRODUCTION

At the request of Windspec Inc., Exova was retained to conduct the performance evaluation of a fixed aluminum window identified as the "Windspec 5500 HTP Series Fixed" window unit, in accordance with NAFS - AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08 and CSA A440 S1-09 Supplement, Section 5 Fenestration Standard as outlined in proposal number 14-006-327230.

Exova Specimen No.: 14-06-M0446-1

Type: Aluminium Fixed Window

Model: Windspec 5500 HTP Series Fixed
Overall Window Size: 1,524 mm (wide) x 2,514 mm (high)
Glazing: 6 mm Clear / 13 mm Argon/ 6 mm Clear

(Tempered) - 1" Overall

Glazing Size: 1,524 mm (wide) x 2,413 mm (high)

Glazing Type: Warm Edge Spacer, 13 mm Overall Spacer Width

Glazing Stop Method: Aluminium Pressure Plate

Weatherstripping: EPDM Seals

Frame Material: Extruded Aluminium (5 ¼") with Thermal Break

Thermal Break: Flexible PVC Thermal Break

Reinforcement: None Drainage: None

# **Installation Guide:**

Shimming: N/A

Fasteners: Fastened with Alumimum angle "L" bracket, 3"x1" x 3/16". (See Appendix A)

Bucking Material: SPF (2" x 10")

Sealant Locations: Backer rod with Sealant Around perimeter of frame to rough opening, interior side.

Pressure Plate: Fastened approximately every every 4" all around.

# Weatherstripping Configuration:

EPDM 1 Row Pressure Plate to Glass

Note: Details and drawings as provided by the manufacturer for the above unit have been included in Appendix A.

# 2.0 PROCEDURE

The Building Performance Centre at Exova Mississauga evaluated the above window in accordance with the procedures of the procedures of the NAFS - AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08 Window test standard. The following specific test program was conducted:

Air Leakage Resistance
 Water Penetration Resistance
 Section 5.3.2 & CSA A440 S1-09 CAN Supplement, Section 5.3
 Section 5.3.3 & CSA A440 S1-09 CAN Supplement, Section 5.4

Uniform Load Tests Section 5.3.4
 Forced Entry Resistance Test Section 5.3.5

# 3.0 RESULTS

Table 1- Summarized Testing Results in Accordance with NAFS - AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08 Exova Specimen No.: 14-06-M0446-1					
Test	Requirements	Test Results	Rating		
Air Leakage Resistance* (Clause: 5.3.2) Test Date: November 26, 2014	Maximum Allowable Air Leakage: 0.2 L/s m² @ 300 Pa (For Fixed Products)  Canadian Air Infiltration / Exfiltration Levels (AW-Class):  A2 Level: < 0.5 L/s m² A3 Level: < 0.5 L/s m² Fixed Level: < 0.2 L/s m²	Infiltration Q = 0.01 L/s m <sup>2</sup> Exfiltration Q = 0.01 L/s m <sup>2</sup> Average Q = 0.01 L/s m <sup>2</sup> @ 300 Pa  Unit Area = 3.831 m <sup>2</sup>	Meets Gateway: FW-AW Canadian Level: Fixed		
Water Penetration Resistance (Clause 5.3.3) Test Date: November 26, 2014	Gateway Performance Requirements for FW-AW40: Pressure: 390 Pa  Optional Performance Requirements for FW-AW70-100 (US / CAN): Pressure: 730 Pa  Requirement: No water leakage or penetration at specified pressure differential	No water penetration occurred at pressure differential of 390 Pa. Meets FW-AW40 Class for Water Penetration Resistance  No water penetration occurred at pressure differential of 730 Pa. Meets FW-AW100 Class for Water Penetration Resistance	Meets Gateway: FW-AW40 Highest Class Achieved: FW- AW100 (US / CAN)		
Water Penetration Resistance (Clause 5.3.3) Test Date: November 26, 2014	AW Specimen shall be tested for water penetration resistance in accordance with ASTM E311.  Test load shall be applied for 15 minutes  Client Specified Test Pressure: 730 Pa  Requirement: No water leakage or penetration at specified pressure differential	Meets ASTM E 311 @ 730Pa  No water penetration occurred at pressure differential of 730 Pa	Meets: ASTM E 331		

Table 1 (Continued) - Summarized Testing Results in Accordance with						
NAFS - AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08 Exova Specimen No.: 14-06-M0446-1						
Test	Requirements	Test Results	Rating			
Uniform Load Deflection Test at Design Pressure (Clause 5.3.4.2)	Gateway Performance Design Pressure for FW-AW40:	Frame Length ( $L$ ) = 2,514 mm Allowable ( $L/175$ ) = 14.3mm				
	+/- 1,920 Pa	Net Deflection at Design Pressure:	Meets Gateway:			
	Requirements: - No permanent damage - Report L/175 Net	+ 3,360 Pa = 1.2 mm - 3,360 Pa = -0.0 mm	FW-AW40			
	Deflection Results - Report and Residual Deflection	Residual Deflection: + 3,360 Pa = 0.8 mm -3,360 Pa = -0.1 mm	Highest Class Achieved:			
Test Date: November 26,		·				
2014	Optional Performance Requirements for FW-AW70 (US / CAN):	- No Permanent Damage Observed	FW-AW70 (US / CAN)			
	+/- 3,360 Pa	- Window Meets <i>L/175</i> deflection requirement				
	Gateway Performance Structural Pressure for FW-AW40:					
Uniform Load Structural Test	+/- 2,880 Pa	Allowable residual = 7.5 mm	Meets Gateway:			
at 150% Design	Requirements:  - No permanent damage  - Report Residual Sash  Deflection  - Frame Length = 2,514 mm	Residual Deflection:	FW-AW40			
Pressure (Clause 5.3.4.2)		+ 5,040 Pa = 0.2 mm (0.040%) - 5,040 Pa = 0.3 mm (0.004%)	Highest Class			
Test Date:	- Allowable residual = 0.3% of Frame Length	- No Permanent Damage Observed	Achieved:			
November 26, 2014	Optional Performance Requirements for FW-AW70 (US / CAN):	- Window Operates	FW-AW70 (US / CAN)			
	+/- 5,040 Pa		İ			
Forced Entry Resistance						
Type D Window (Clause 5.3.5)	Initial Preparation : Remove all exterior screws, glazing retainers or other fasteners which can be removed using common tools , within a period of five (5) minutes	No Removable Exterior Fixtures	Grade 20			
Test Date: November 26, 2014	a period of five (5) fillilidies					



### 4.0 **MODIFICATIONS**

No modification was made to the Windspec Inc., "Windspec 5500 HTP Series Fixed" window unit, Exova Specimen No.: 14-06-M0446-1, during testing to achieve the results stated in this report.

### 5.0 CONCLUSIONS

Based on the results of the testing summarised in Table 1, Windspec Inc, "Windspec 5500 HTP Series Fixed" Window Unit, Exova Specimen No.: 14-06-M0446-1met the following requirements as outlined in the NAFS - AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08 Window Standard:

# Performance Rating

Air Leakage Resistance FW-AW: 300Pa (6.2PSF) (Fixed Level Canadian)

Water Penetration Resistance FW-AW70-100: 730Pa (15.0 PSF)

Water Penetration Resistance (ASTM E311) 15 minutes @ 730Pa.

FW-AW70 **Uniform Load Tests** Forced Entry Resistance Test Grade 20

# **Product Designation**

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## 6.0 REPORT REVISION SUMMARY

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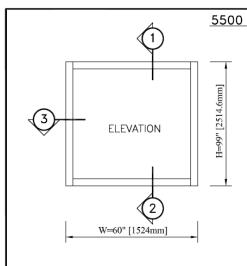
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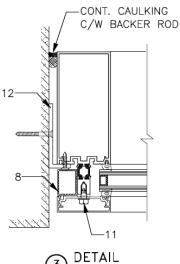
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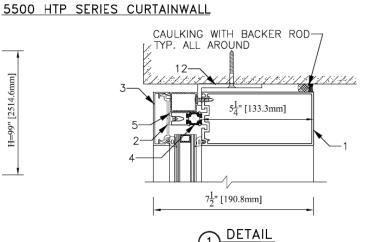
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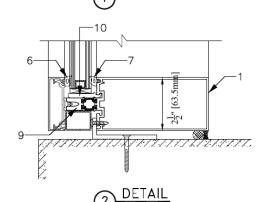




# SEALED UNIT GLAZING 1" THK:

EXTERIOR GLASS: 6mm CLEAR TEMPERED 13mm AIR SPACE WITH ALUM. SPACERS INTERIOR GLASS: 6mm CLEAR TEMPERED 1 @ 56"x95"





#	DIE #	DESCRIPTION	
1	C-55203	NEW ALUM. HTP MULLION	
2	C-55206	NEW ALUM. PRESSURE PLATE	
3	C-55004	ALUM. SNAP-ON CAP	
4	N/A	BAUTEC STRIP NYLON 18mm WIDE	
5	R-55202	FLEXIBLE PVC THERMAL BREAK	
6	R-55005	EXTERIOR EPDM GASCKET	
7	R-55104	INTERIOR EPDM GASCKET	
8	R-55001	PVC POCKET FILLER	
9	N/A	NEW ALUM. NECK	
10	H-55104	SUPPORT TAB	
11	N/A	FASTENER #14x3/4" LG	
12	N/A	ALUM. ANGLE L-3"x1"x3/16"	

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