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**EVALUATION REPORT**

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**Evaluation Report F47310.12.13-2-R4**  
**FL16723-R4**  
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**SCOPE:**

This Evaluation Report is issued under **Rule 61G20-3** and the applicable rules and regulations governing the use of construction materials in the State of Florida. The documentation submitted has been reviewed by Robert Nieminen, P.E. for use of the product under the Florida Building Code. The product described herein has been evaluated for compliance with the **6<sup>th</sup> Edition (2017) Florida Building Code, High Velocity Hurricane Zone (HVHZ)** sections noted herein.

**DESCRIPTION: Firestone UltraPly TPO Single Ply Roof Systems**

**LABELING:** Labeling shall be in accordance with the requirements of the Accredited Quality Assurance Agency noted herein.

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This Evaluation Report consists of pages 1 through 4, plus a 48-page Appendix.

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**ROOFING SYSTEMS EVALUATION:**
**1. SCOPE:**

**Product Category:** Roofing  
**Sub-Category:** Single Ply Roof Systems  
**Compliance Statement:** Firestone UltraPly TPO and UltraPly TPO XR Single Ply Roof Systems, as produced by Firestone Building Products, have demonstrated compliance with the following sections of the 6<sup>th</sup> Edition (2017) Florida Building Code, HVHZ through testing in accordance with the following Standards. Compliance is subject to the Installation Requirements and Limitations / Conditions of Use set forth herein.

**2. STANDARDS:**

Section	Property	Standard	Year
TAS 110	Wind, Impact	TAS 114	2011
TAS 110	Physical Properties	TAS 131	1995

**3. REFERENCES:**

Entity	Exam	Reference	Date	Entity	Exam	Reference	Date
ACRC (TST4671)	TAS 114	ACRC 05-002	01/18/2005	FM (TST1867)	FM 4474	797-07314-267	04/05/2012
ACRC (TST4671)	TAS 114	ACRC 02-002	01/07/2003	FM (TST1867)	FM 4474	3046333	08/10/2012
ACRC (TST4671)	TAS 114	ACRC 06-030	08/21/2006	FM (TST1867)	FM 4474	3041939	08/14/2012
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Entity	Exam	Reference	Date	Entity	Exam	Reference	Date
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#### 4. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

The following roof covers are mechanically attached or fully adhered to Approved substrates using fasteners, stress plates and adhesives, as outlined in the Limitations / Conditions of Use herein.

- 4.1 **Firestone UltraPly TPO** is a nominal 45-mil (1.1 mm), 60-mil (1.5 mm) or 80-mil (2.0 mm) thick, polyester scrim reinforced single-ply roof membrane.
- 4.2 **Firestone UltraPly TPO XR** is a nominal 45-mil (1.1 mm) (XR 100), 60-mil (1.5 mm) (XR 115) or 80-mil (2.0 mm) (XR 135) thick, polyester reinforced, single-ply roof membrane produced with an 8-oz polyester backing

#### 5. LIMITATIONS:

- 5.1 This is a building code evaluation. Neither NEMO ETC, LLC nor Robert Nieminen, P.E. are, in any way, the Designer of Record for any project on which this Evaluation Report, or previous versions thereof, is/was used for permitting or design guidance unless retained specifically for that purpose.
- 5.2 Fire classification is not part of this Evaluation Report; refer to a current Approved Roofing Materials Directory for fire ratings of this product.
- 5.3 For steel deck installations, foam plastic insulation shall be separated from the building interior in accordance with **FBC 2603.4** unless the exceptions stated in **FBC 2603.4.1** and **2603.6** apply.
- 5.4 The evaluation herein pertains to above-deck roof components; deck-attachment details pertain to 'as-tested' conditions under **Testing Application Standard TAS 114, Appendix J**. Roof decks shall be in accordance with **FBC (HVHZ)** requirements to the satisfaction of the Authority Having Jurisdiction.
- 5.5 Fastener spacing for mechanical attachment of anchor/base sheet or membrane is based on a minimum fastener resistance value in conjunction with the maximum design pressure (MDP) listed for a specific system. Should the fastener resistance be less than that required, as determined by the Building Official, a revised fastener spacing – prepared, signed and sealed by a qualified design professional – may be submitted. Said revised fastener spacing shall utilize the withdrawal resistance value taken from **Testing Application Standard TAS 105** and calculations in compliance with **Roofing Application Standard RAS 117** or **Roofing Application Standard RAS 137**.
- 5.5.1 If mechanical attachment to the structural deck through lightweight insulating concrete is proposed, field withdrawal resistance testing shall be performed to confirm equivalent or determine enhanced fastening patterns and density. All testing and fastening design shall be in compliance with **Testing Application Standard TAS 105** and **Roofing Application Standard RAS 117** and/or **Roofing Application Standard RAS 137**. Calculations shall be prepared, signed and sealed by a qualified design professional.
- 5.6 For systems where specific lightweight insulating concrete is referenced, consult the current HVHZ product approval documentation for specific deck construction and limitations. For systems where specific lightweight insulating concrete is not referenced, the minimum design mix shall be for minimum 300 psi cellular material.
- 5.7 For recover installations, the existing roof shall be examined in accordance with **FBC 1521**.
- 5.8 Perimeter and corner areas shall comply with the enhanced uplift pressure requirements of these areas. Fastener densities shall be increased, as calculated in compliance with **Roofing Application Standard RAS 117** and/or **Roofing Application Standard RAS 137** by a qualified design professional. *\*This extrapolation is not permitted for systems marked with an asterisk\*.*
- 5.9 All attachment and sizing of perimeter nailers, metal profile and/or flashing termination designs shall conform to **Roofing Application Standard RAS 111** and applicable wind load requirements.

- 5.10 For assemblies marked with an asterisk\*, the maximum design pressure (MDP) limitation listed shall be applicable to all roof pressure zones (i.e., field, perimeters and corners). Neither rational analysis, nor extrapolation is permitted for enhanced attachment at enhanced pressure zones (i.e., perimeters, corners and extended corners).
- 5.11 For bonded insulation or membrane over existing substrates in a recover installation, the existing roof system shall be capable of resisting project design pressures on its own merit to the satisfaction of the Authority Having Jurisdiction, as documented through field uplift testing in accordance with **Testing Application Standard TAS 124**.
- 5.12 All products listed herein shall have quality assurance audit in accordance with the **F.A.C. Rule 61G20-3**.

## 6. INSTALLATION:

- 6.1 Firestone UltraPly TPO and UltraPly TPO XR shall be installed in accordance with Firestone Building Products published installation instructions, subject to the Limitations / Conditions of Use noted herein.
- 6.2 System attachment requirements for wind load resistance are set forth in Appendix 1. "MDP" = Maximum Design Pressure is the result of testing for wind load resistance based on allowable wind loads, and reflects the ultimate passing pressure divided by 2 (the 2 to 1 margin of safety per **Testing Application Standard TAS 114** has already been applied). Refer to **FBC 1620** and **Roofing Application Standard RAS 128** for determination of design wind loads.
- 6.3 For mechanically fastened membrane systems (Type D) over profiled steel deck, membrane shall be installed running perpendicular to steel deck flutes.
- 6.4 For InvisiWeld installations, care shall be taken to ensure that the InvisiWeld Plates do not line-up with seams in the TPO membrane. This condition precludes proper induction welding of the membrane to the InvisiWeld Plates.

## 7. QUALITY ASSURANCE ENTITY:

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