APPENDIX B

AA             Aluminum Association
AAMA           American Architectural Manufacturers Association
ACI            American Concrete Institute
AFPA           American Forest and Paper Association
AHA            American Hardboard Association
AIA            American Institute of Architects
ANSI           American National Standards Institute
ARMA           Asphalt Roofing Manufacturers Association
ASCE           American Society of Civil Engineers
ASHRAE         American Society of Heating, Refrigerating
                and Air Conditioning Engineering
ASME           American Society of Mechanical Engineers
ASTM           American Society for Testing and Materials
AWS            American Welding Society
BOCA           Building Officials and Code Administrators
Btuh           British thermal units per hour
CABO           Council of American Building Officials
cfm            Cubic feet per minute
CFR            Code of Federal Regulations
CPSC           Consumer Product Safety Commission
CRI            Carpet and Rug Institute
CS             Commercial Standard
DOT            Department of Transportation
EO             Executive Order
EPA            Environmental Protection Agency
ext.           Exterior
F              Fahrenheit (degrees)
FHA            Federal Housing Administration
FGMA           Flat Glass Marketing Association
FHDA           Fir and Hemlock Door Association
FS             Federal Specification
ft.            Feet
gals           Gallons
hr             Hour
HUD            Department of Housing and Urban Development
in.            Inches
int.           Interior
ISWA           Insect Screening Weavers Association
lb             Pounds
max            Maximum
min.           Minimum
mph            Miles per hour
MPS            Minimum Property Standards
MR             Materials Release
MS             Manual Series
NAHB-RF        National Association of Home Builders
                - Research Foundation

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NAIMA          North American Insulation Manufacturers Association
NAS            National Academy of Sciences
NIBS           National Institute of Building Sciences
NIST           National Institute of Standards and Technology
NCDC           National Climatic and Data Center
NFPA           National Fire Protection Association
NOFMA-OFGR     National Oak Flooring Manufacturers Association
               - Official Flooring Grading Rules
NRCA           National Roofing Contractors Association
NSDJA          National Sash and Door Jobbers Association
NSPI           National Spa and Pool Institute
NTMA           National Terrazzo & Mosaic Association
NWMA           National Woodwork Manufacturers Association
oz             Ounces
PHCC           National Association of Plumbing, Heating and
               Cooling Contractors
PCI            Prestressed Concrete Institute
PTI            Post-Tensioning Institute
psf            Pounds per square foot
PVC            Polyvinyl chloride
RFCI           Resilient Flooring Covering Institute
SCACM          Southern California Association of Cabinet
               Manufacturers
SGCC           Safety Glazing Certification Council
Sq.            Square
SI             International Standard (Metric)
TCA            Tile Contractors of America
t & g or T & G Tongue and Groove
U              Coefficient or thermal transmission Btu/(hour) x
               (square foot) x (F{sub(inside)} - F{sub(outside)}))
UL             Underwriters Laboratories
UM             Use of Materials Bulletin
USDA           United States Department of Agriculture
WM             Wood Moulding and Millwork Producers
WQA            Water Quality Association (Formerly Water
               Conditioning Foundation)