



July 2, 2019

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to confirm that the Tolko Industries Ltd. Plywood plants located in Armstrong and Heffley Creek, British Columbia are members in good standing of *APA – The Engineered Wood Association*. Both mills are qualified to make plywood under the following standards:

- CSA O121 *Douglas-fir Plywood*
- CSA O151 *Canadian Softwood Plywood*
- PS 1, *Structural Plywood*
- Japanese Agriculture Standard (JAS)
- EN 13986 – *Wood-based Panels for use in Construction* (Armstrong only)

APA – The Engineered Wood Association is a nonprofit trade association. APA provides third-party quality assurance trademarking services, technical support, and market development to manufacturers of engineered wood products and has client producers in the U.S. and Canada. Trademarking is provided under the APA trademark, which is recognized by all U.S. model building codes and the IBC. APA is an accredited inspection agency under International Accreditation Services (IAS) certification AA-649 and is also accredited by Standards Council of Canada (SCC) as a Certification Body in accordance with ISO/IEC 17065, and recognized by the Japan Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (MAFF) as a Registered Overseas Certification Body (ROCB). APA also maintains an accredited testing laboratory by IAS under certification TL-215.

Quality auditing and laboratory testing are integral parts of APA's mission. APA staff conduct periodic audit visits to client mills in order to assess product quality and conformance to the product standard represented in the APA marks. In addition to the audits, APA routinely samples client products for conformance testing.

The APA staff has extensive experience related to the design and manufacturing of engineered wood products and is committed to assuring that the quality of engineered wood products produced under the APA trademark is unsurpassed in the industry. Anyone having questions regarding any APA program or certification is encouraged to contact our office for further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Langager", followed by a horizontal line extending to the right.

Steve Langager
Certification Operations Manager
Quality Services Division

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