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**FIELD STRUCTURAL TESTING REPORT**  
**OF GLASS RAILINGS, TYPES 'B' and 'C'**  
**308 N 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Brooklyn, NY**

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## FIELD STRUCTURAL TESTING OF GLASS RAILING

AT

308 N 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET, BROOKLYN, NY

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

On April 18, 2018, Mr. Harry Pascual and I visited the project site and witnessed a series of testing conducted by Mr. Yoav Ben-Shimon and Mr. Sinn of Windloch on types "B" and "C" installed glass railings. Type "C" was installed on 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, North side, and Type "B" at 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, South side.

Both railings were tested with maximum load of 365 pounds applied horizontally, perpendicular to the glass, top, and at three locations: at ends, center of a glass pane and between the two glass panes.

Both railings were also tested with concentrated loads equivalent to wind loads of 30 PSF thru 60 PSF applied horizontally, perpendicular to the glass at middle of their heights using wood jig.

Both railings withstand the loads without any signs of failures, and residual deflections were below 20 % of the deflections at maximum loads.

MLA suggest that "HIGH IMPACT SHIM" type be used at railing detail "C" to reduce the deflection.

### BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE SPECIMEN:

#### TYPE "B"

Approximately 28 3/4" high above the curb, consisting of two panes of 1/2" fully tempered glass about 58 1 1/16" wide, dry glazed into a continuous Aluminum shoe. Top rail is a square shape bent Stainless Steel also dry glazed to the glass.

Support is consisting of brackets, top part is Aluminum flat bar 1/8" thick, 4" wide, the side part is 4" X 6" Aluminum structural angle, 4" wide and 1/2" thick. Top part is bolted by one concrete anchor to the top of the curb approximately 4" from the edge. The side part uses one concrete anchor approximately 4" from the top of the curb. Spacing of the brackets is approximately 3" from ends and maximum of 9" OC. Concrete curb is CMU fully filled with unknown concrete strength. Brackets and Aluminum shoe are bolted together with one Stainless Steel bolts, with 1kw, wrs and hex nut. Typically, the anchor bolt is CON-FLEX 3/8" X 5" with minimum embedment of 4".

Refer to photos 1, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16 for visual description.

#### TYPE "C"

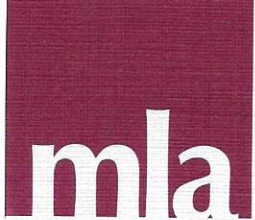
Approximately 30" high above the curb, consisting of two panes of 1/2" fully tempered glass about 56 1/8" wide, dry glazed into a continuous Aluminum shoe. Top rail is a square shape bent Stainless Steel also dry glazed to the glass.

Supports are consisting of 3/8" X 5" CON-FLEX anchor bolts with 4" minimum embedment connecting the Aluminum shoe directly to the top of concrete curb at approximately 3" from ends and maximum 9" OC. Curb is CMU fully filled with unknown concrete strength. Aluminum shoe and top stainless steel rail is similar in construction as type "B".

Refer to photos 2, 11, 12, 6 and 17 for visual description.

Both Type "B" and "C" generally complies with Windloch shop drawings attached in this report, refer to Sheets 7 and 8.





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308 N 7<sup>th</sup> Street Field Testing Report

### TESTING PROCEDURE:

#### TYPE "B" and "C"

#### TEST #1, TEST #2, TEST #3

The concentrated load requirement is 200 pounds applied laterally and vertically (not concurrent) at the top of the railing, per ASTM E985, if the not anticipated impact and panic loads are included it is recommended that the load is increased to 1.825 of the require load. In this case it is 365 pounds. By inspection and experience the horizontal loads are the worst cases therefore the vertical loads will not be tested. Deflections were measured horizontally and manually from the point of load at the railing to the marked opposite side, where sling is fastened. Refer to photos 1 thru 7 for visual description of the test set up.

### TESTING SEQUENCE:

1. 50% of Maximum Load
2. Release the load
3. Measure deflection
4. Apply increasing load of 15% up to the maximum load.
5. Measure deflection at maximum load
6. Release the load
7. Measure residual deflection
8. Thru out the test, perform visual inspection for signs of failure

#### TYPE "B"

#### TEST 4A, 4B, 4C, and 4D

Concentrated load equivalent to 30 PSF, 45 PSF, 50 PSF and 60 PSF were applied halfway of the railing height from the top of the curb. A wood jig spanning the length of the railing was placed against the exterior of the glass and pulled at three points.

Total area of the glass is 3375 square inches, equivalent concentrated loads are:

30 PSF=704 pounds, 45 PSF=1055 pounds, 50 PSF=1172 pounds, 60 PSF=1407 pounds

Test Loads were 1 1/2 of the equivalent loads, the maximum test loads are:

30 PSF=1056 pounds, 45 PSF=1583 pounds, 50 PSF=1758 pounds, 60 PSF= 2111 pounds

Refer to photos 8, 9 and 10 for visual for visual description of the test set up.

### TEST SEQUENCE:

Test sequence is similar to tests 1,2 and 3

#### TYPE "C"

#### TEST 5A, 5B, 5C and 5D

Total area of the glass is 3368 square inches, less than 7 square inches almost similar to tests 4A thru 4D, for simplicity maximum test loads of tests 4A thru 4D were used. Test sequence is also similar to tests 1, 2, and 3

TEST RESULTS: Refer to sheets 3 thru 6 for detailed results of the tests.

**TYPE " B"**  
**TEST #1, #2, and #3**  
**TEST RESULTS**

Testing Sequence	Test Loads %, (pounds)	TEST # 1 (Top End)			TEST # 2 (Top Center Of a Pane)			TEST # 3, ( Top Center of the 2 Panes)		
		Deflection (Inches)	Residual Deflection (Inches)	Visual Observation	Deflection (Inches)	Residual Deflection (Inches)	Visual Observation	Deflection (Inches)	Residual Deflection (Inches)	Visual Observation
1	50%, (183)			OK			OK			OK
2	Release Load, (0)			OK			OK			OK
3	Deflection Check	73.062			66.312			73.5		
4	15%, (55)			OK			OK			OK
5	30%, (110)			OK			OK			OK
6	45%, (165)			OK			OK			OK
7	60%, (219)			OK			OK			OK
8	75%, (274)			OK			OK			OK
9	100%, (365)			OK			OK			OK
10	Deflection Check	71.5	1.562		65.5	0.812		73	0.5	
11	Release Load, (0)			OK			OK			OK
12	Deflection Check	72.875	0.1875		66.312	0		73.5	0	

**TYPICAL NOTES FOR ALL TEST RESULTS:**

1. OK= NO OBSERVED FAILURES, LIKE GLASS BREAKAGE, ALUMINUM SHOE and STAINLESS STEEL RAIL DETACHING FROM THE GLASS, SHEARING OR PULLING OUT OF ANCHOR BOLTS FROM THE CURB, AND PERMANENT DEFORMATION OF BRACKETS
2. DEFLECTIONS WERE MANUALLY MEASURED USING MEASURING TAPE, FROM THE POINT OF LOAD AT RAILING TOP TO WALL DIRECTLY ACROSS THE RAILING FOR TESTS 1, 2, and 3. FOR TESTS 4 AND 5 SERIES, FROM TOP CENTER BETWEEN THE 2 PANES TO THE WALL DIRECTLY ACROSS THE RAILING.



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**TYPE " C"**  
**TEST #1, #2, and #3**  
**TEST RESULTS**

Testing Sequence	Test Loads %, (pounds)	TEST # 1 (Top End)			TEST # 2 (Top Center Of a Pane)			TEST # 3, ( Top Center of the 2 Panes)		
		Deflection (Inches)	Residual Deflection (Inches)	Visual Observation	Deflection (Inches)	Residual Deflection (Inches)	Visual Observation	Deflection (Inches)	Residual Deflection (Inches)	Visual Observation
1	50%, (183)			OK			OK			OK
2	Release Load, (0)			OK			OK			OK
3	Deflection Check	180			181.75			182.25		
4	15%, (55)			OK			OK			OK
5	30%, (110)			OK			OK			OK
6	45%, (165)			OK			OK			OK
7	60%, (219)			OK			OK			OK
8	75%, (274)			OK			OK			OK
9	100%, (365)			OK			OK			OK
10	Deflection Check	177.875	2.125		179.875	1.875		180.562	1.688	
11	Release Load, (0)			OK			OK			OK
12	Deflection Check	179.875	0.125		181.75	0		182.25	0	

**TYPE " B "**  
**TEST #4A, #4B, #4C, #4D**  
**TEST RESULTS**

Testing	Test Loads	TEST # 4A, ( 30PSF )				TEST # 4B, ( 45 PSF )			
Sequence	%	Test Loads	Deflection	Residual	Visual	Test Loads	Deflection	Residual	Visual
		(pounds)	(Inches)	Deflection	Observation	(pounds)	(Inches)	Deflection	Observation
				(Inches)				(Inches)	
1	50%,	528			OK	792			OK
2	Release Load	0			OK	0			OK
3	Deflection Check		68.75				68.687		
4	15%	159			OK	238			OK
5	30%	317			OK	475			OK
6	45%	476			OK	713			OK
7	60%	634			OK	950			OK
8	75%	792			OK	1188			OK
9	100%	1056			OK	1583			OK
10	Deflection Check		68	0.75			67.625	1.06	
11	Release Load	0			OK	0			OK
12	Deflection Check		68.75	0			68.687	0	

Testing	Test Loads	TEST # 4C, ( 50 PSF )				TEST # 4D, ( 60 PSF )			
Sequence	%	Test Loads	Deflection	Residual	Visual	Test Loads	Deflection	Residual	Visual
		(pounds)	(Inches)	Deflection	Observation	(pounds)	(Inches)	Deflection	Observation
				(Inches)				(Inches)	
1	50%,	879			OK	1056			OK
2	Release Load	0			OK	0			OK
3	Deflection Check		67.687				67.625		
4	15%	264			OK	317			OK
5	30%	528			OK	634			OK
6	45%	792			OK	950			OK
7	60%	1055			OK	1267			OK
8	75%	1319			OK	1584			OK
9	100%	1758			OK	2111			OK
10	Deflection Check		66.562	1.1			66.125	1.5	
11	Release Load	0			OK	0			OK
12	Deflection Check		67.625	0.062			67.56	0.065	

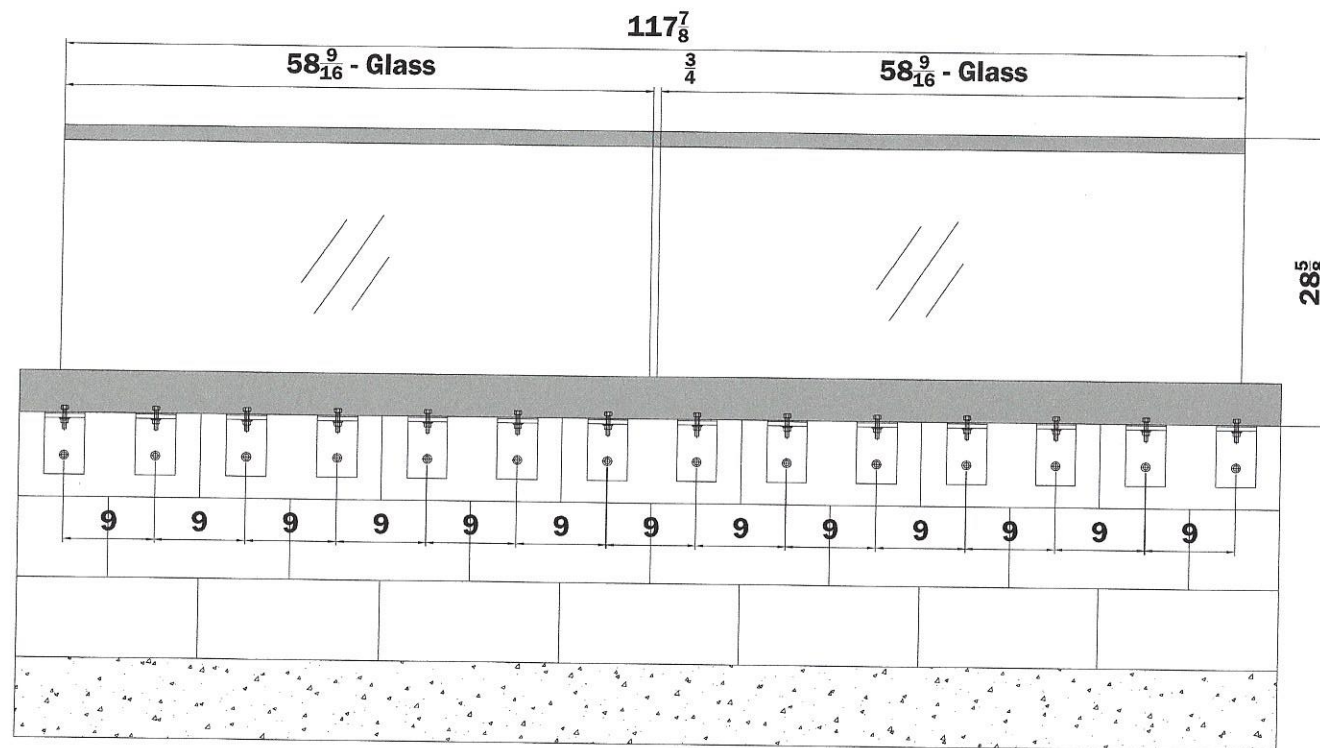


**TYPE " C"**  
**TEST #5A, #5B, #5C, #5D**  
**TEST RESULTS**

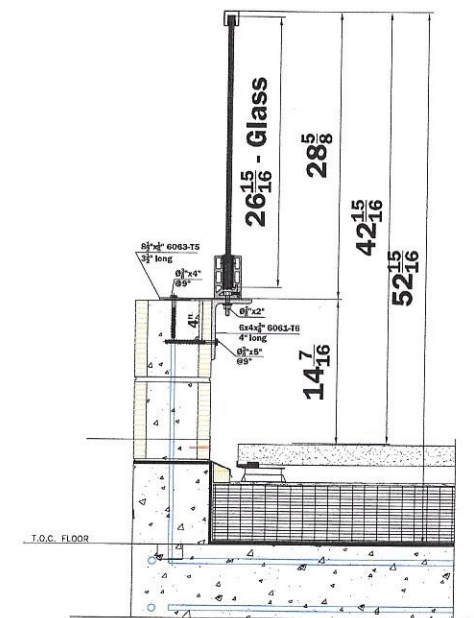
Testing	Test Loads	TEST # 5A, ( 30PSF )				TEST # 5B, ( 45 PSF )			
Sequence	%	Test Loads	Deflection	Residual	Visual	Test Loads	Deflection	Residual	Visual
		(pounds)	(Inches)	Deflection	Observation	(pounds)	(Inches)	Deflection	Observation
				(Inches)				(Inches)	
1	50%,	528			OK	792			OK
2	Release Load	0			OK	0			OK
3	Deflection Check		181.5				181.437		
4	15%	159			OK	238			OK
5	30%	317			OK	475			OK
6	45%	476			OK	713			OK
7	60%	634			OK	950			OK
8	75%	792			OK	1188			OK
9	100%	1056			OK	1583			OK
10	Deflection Check		179.687	1.81			67.625	2.5	
11	Release Load	0			OK	0			OK
12	Deflection Check		181.5	0			181.25	0.18	

Testing	Test Loads	TEST # 5C, ( 50 PSF )				TEST # 5D, ( 60 PSF )			
Sequence	%	Test Loads	Deflection	Residual	Visual	Test Loads	Deflection	Residual	Visual
		(pounds)	(Inches)	Deflection	Observation	(pounds)	(Inches)	Deflection	Observation
				(Inches)				(Inches)	
1	50%,	879			OK	1056			OK
2	Release Load	0			OK	0			OK
3	Deflection Check		181.187				181.125		
4	15%	264			OK	317			OK
5	30%	528			OK	634			OK
6	45%	792			OK	950			OK
7	60%	1055			OK	1267			OK
8	75%	1319			OK	1584			OK
9	100%	1758			OK	2111			OK
10	Deflection Check		178.437	2.75			177.625	3.5	
11	Release Load	0			OK	0			OK
12	Deflection Check		181	0.18			180.812	0.312	

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**Type B**



**Wind Load**  
**30 PSF,**  
**45 PSF**

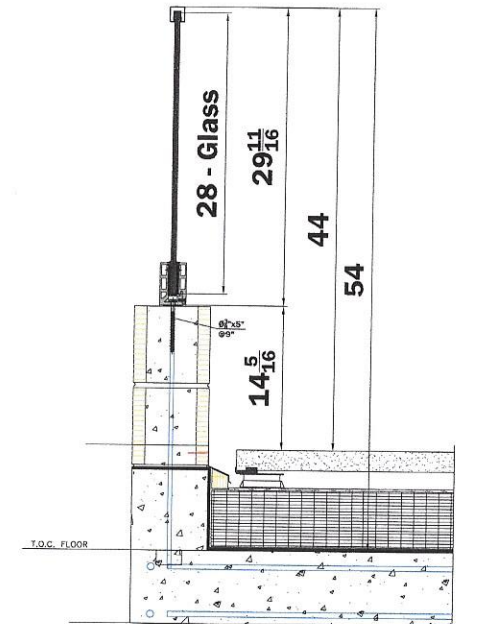
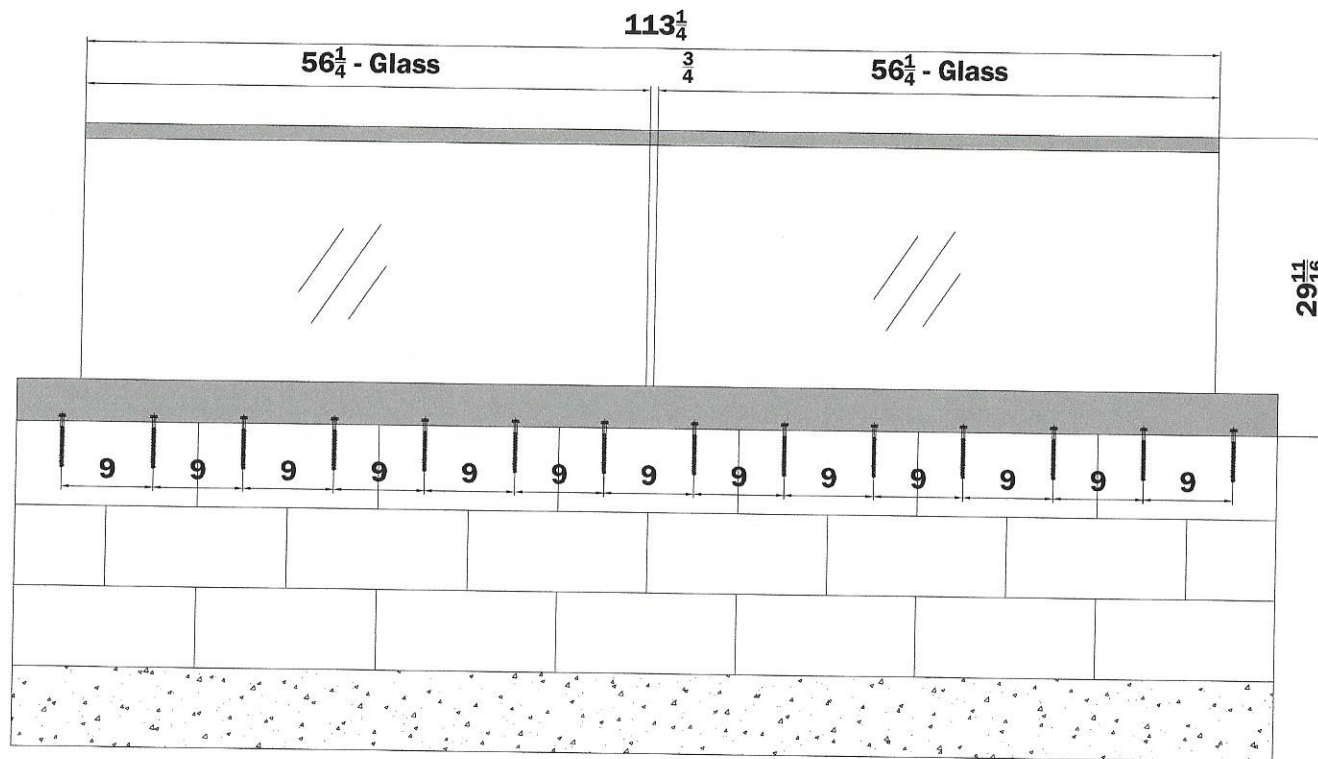
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PROJECT NAME: <b>308N 7th street, Brooklyn, NY</b>		CAD FILE : <b>308N 7.dwg</b>	
DESCRIPTION: <b>Glass rail Type B</b>		DATE: <b>04/16/18</b>	REV. <b>1</b>
DESIGN BY: <b>YOAV BEN-SHIMON</b>		SCALE:	
SYSTEM MODEL: <b>GRS-107</b>		DRAWING NUMBER: <b>1</b>	



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## Type C



**Wind Load**  
**30 PSF,**  
**45 PSF**



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10 NEVINS STREET  
PHOTO # 1, DETAIL "B"  
TEST # 1, 365 Concentrated Load at Top End  
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SLING

GRABBER

365 pounds MAXIMUM CONCENTRATED LOAD

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CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 3, DETAIL " B"  
TEST # 2, 365 Pounds, Maximum Concentrated Load  
At Top Center of a Glass Pane  
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10 NEVINS STREET  
CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 4, DETAIL "C"  
TEST # 2, 365 Pounds, Maximum Concentrated Load at  
Center Of a Glass Pane  
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CENTER TOP OF A GLASS PANE

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365 pounds, MAXIMUM CONCENTRATED LOAD

THESE CABLES NOT INCLUDED  
IN THE TEST

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10 NEVINS STREET  
CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 5, DETAIL "B"  
TEST # 3, 365 Pounds Maximum  
Concentrated Load  
At Top Center of the two  
Glass Panes.  
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365 Pounds Maximum Concentrated Load

These Cables Not Included in The Test

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10 NEVINS STREET  
CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 6, DETAIL " C"  
TEST # 3, 365 Pounds Maximum Concentrated Load At top Center of The two Glass Panes  
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365 Pounds Maximum Concentrated Load

These Cables not included  
in the Test

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10 NEVINS STREET  
CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 7 Details "B" and "C"  
TESTS #1, #2, and #3, Typical Tension Meter  
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AWS, MODEL TL440, TENSION METER  
TYPICAL AT TESTS #1, #2, and #3





10 NEVINS STREET  
CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 8, TYPICAL TEST # 4, Wind Load 30 PSF to 60 PSF  
Detail "B"  
Sheet: 10  
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Come Along

Concentrated Loads 522 pounds to 2088 pounds

Three Points Pulling Cable

Load Cell

Load Cell Meter  
Not Visible

Wood Jig against Exterior Surface of Glass

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CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 9, TYPICAL TEST # 5, Wind Loads 30 PSF to 60 PSF  
Detail "C"  
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Wood Jig, Against Glass Exterior Surface

Three Points Pulling Cables

Load Cell

Concentrated Loads 526 pounds to 2100 pounds

SLING

Load Cell Meter

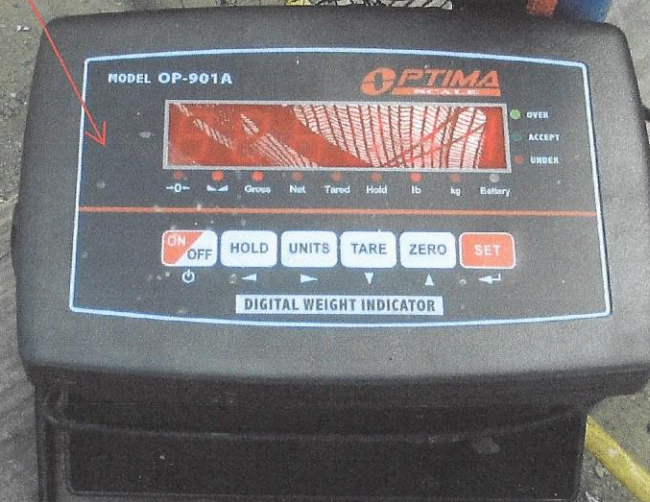
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OPTIMA DIGITAL TENSION METER, MODEL OP-901A  
TYPICAL AT TESTS # 4 and #5

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PHOTO # 10, Details "B" and "C"  
Tests # 4 and #5, Wind Loads 30 PSF to 60 PSF  
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10 NEVINS STREET  
CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 11  
CONCRETE BOLTS  
Sheet  
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# CON-FLEX<sup>®</sup> FASTENERS

EMR265

25 Pieces

3/8 X 5

HEX WASHER HEAD

SILVER STALGARD SUB

(Must use 3/8" ANSI Carbide Drill Bit)

EMR265025

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TYPICAL CONCRETE BOLTS FOR DETAILS "B" and "C"  
TYPICAL INSTALLATION: MINIMUM 4" EMBEDMENT

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10 Nevins Street  
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PHOTO # 12  
CONCRETE BOLTS  
Sheet 20  
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3/8" X 5" Concrete Bolts, CON-FLEX

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CON-FLEX® FASTENERS  
EMR265  
3/8" X 5"  
HEX WASHER HEAD  
25 Pieces



10 NEVINS STREET  
CLIENT: WINDLOCH  
PHOTO # 13  
DETAIL "B"  
Top Bracket  
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DATE: *2/15/18*

1/8" Thick X 4 1/2" Wide  
Alum Top Brackets, Appx. 3" from ends  
and 9" OC Max

3/8" X 4" Embedment, CON-FLEX  
Concrete Bolts, 1 per Bracket

Top of CMU filled with  
Concrete

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Top Bracket Assembly

10 NEVINS STREET  
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Photo #14  
4" X 6" X 1/2" Side Brackets  
Detail "B"  
Side Brackets  
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4" X 6" X 1/2" X 4" long  
Alum Side Brackets, Appx 3"  
at ends and 9" OC Max

3/8" X 4" Embedment  
CON-FLEX

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10 NEVINS STREET  
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Photo # 15  
1/4" S/S Bolts  
Detail "B"  
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1/4" dia S/S bolts, Washer, Lkw, Hex nut, 1 per  
connection, (Connecting top, shoe and side bracket)

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10 Nevins Street  
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PHOTO #16  
TYPICAL ALUMINUM SHOE  
SHEET  
DATE: 2/5/2018

Typical 1/2" Thick Fully  
Tempered Glass for Detail  
"B" and "C"

Typical Alum Shoe for  
Details "B" and "C"

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PHOTO #17  
Detail "C"  
Alum Shoe Installation  
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Aluminum Shoe on top of CMU, filled  
with concrete, connected to CMU  
with 3/8" X 4" Embedment Con Flex  
Conc. Bolts, appx 3" from ends and  
9" OC Max

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