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**PRODUCT CONTROL NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE**

**Watkins Sawmills Limited**  
**9414D 288 Street- British Colombia**  
**Maple Ridge ,Ca V2X 8Y6**

Your application for Notice of Acceptance (NOA) of:

**Cedar Shakes & Shingles**

under Chapter 8 of the Code of Miami-Dade County governing the use of Alternate Materials and Types of Construction, and completely described herein, has been recommended for acceptance by the Miami-Dade County Building Code Compliance Office (BCCO) under the conditions specified herein.

This NOA shall not be valid after the expiration date stated below. BCCO reserves the right to secure this product or material at any time from a jobsite or manufacturer's plant for quality control testing. If this product or material fails to perform in the approved manner, BCCO may revoke, modify, or suspend the use of such product or material immediately. BCCO reserves the right to revoke this approval, if it is determined by BCCO that this product or material fails to meet the requirements of the South Florida Building Code.

The expense of such testing will be incurred by the manufacturer.

**ACCEPTANCE NO.: 00-0913.06**  
**EXPIRES: 01/25/2004**

Raul Rodriguez  
Chief Product Control Division

**THIS IS THE COVERSHEET, SEE ADDITIONAL PAGES FOR SPECIFIC AND GENERAL  
CONDITIONS  
BUILDING CODE & PRODUCT REVIEW COMMITTEE**

This application for Product Approval has been reviewed by the BCCO and approved by the Building Code and Product Review Committee to be used in Miami-Dade County, Florida under the conditions set forth above.

Francisco J. Quintana, R.A.  
Director  
Miami-Dade County  
Building Code Compliance Office

**APPROVED: 01/25/2001**

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**NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE: STANDARD CONDITIONS**

**1. SCOPE**

This approves roofing system using wood shingles and shakes as manufactured by Watkins Sawmills Limited as described in Section 2 of this Notice of Acceptance, designed to comply with the South Florida Building Code, 1994 Edition for Miami-Dade County.

Category: Roofing  
Sub-Category: Shingle and Shake

**2. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

<b>Product</b>	<b>Dimensions</b>	<b>Product Description</b>
Certigrade Shingles (Grade 1 & 2)	Length 16", 18", & 24" Width 4 to 4 to 11"	Red Cedar sawn shingles form clear heart wood: 100% edge grain, no defects
Certi-Last Shingles (Grade 1)	Length 16", 18", & 24" Width 4 to 4 to 11"	Preservative treated Red Cedar sawn shingles made form Certigrade shingles
Certi-Cut (Grade 1 & 2)	Length 16", 18", & 24" Various	Red Cedar sawn shingles made form Certigrade shingles
Certi-Guard (Grade 1)	Length 16", 18", & 24" Width 4 to 4 to 11"	Fire-retardant treated Red Cedar sawn shingles made form Certigrade shingles
Certi-Split (Grade 1)	Length 15", 18", & 24" Width 4 to 4 to 11"	Handsplit and Resawn Shakes form clear heart wood: 20% maximum flat grain
Certi-Guard (Grade 1)	Length 15", 18", & 24" Width 4 to 4 to 11"	Fire-retardant treated Red Cedar shakes made form Certi-Split shakes
Certi-Last (Grade 1)	Length 15", 18", & 24" Width 4 to 4 to 11"	Preservative treated Red Cedar shakes made form Certi-Split shakes
Certigroove (Grade 1)	Length 15", 18", & 24" Width 4 to 4 to 11"	Machine grooved shkes made form Certi-Split shakes
Certi-Sawn (Grade 1)	Length 15", 18", & 24" Width 4 to 4 to 11"	Taper Sawn Cedar Shakes, 100% clear face with a maximum 10% flat grain.



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**3. LIMITATIONS**

- 3.1. Fire classification is not part of this acceptance.
- 3.2. This acceptance is for wood deck applications. Minimum deck requirements shall be in compliance with applicable Building Code.
- 3.3. Wood shingles and shakes shall not be installed on roof mean heights greater than 33 feet.

**4. LABELING**

- 4.1 Shingle/Shake bundles shall be labeled with the Miami-Dade Logo or the wording "Miami-Dade County-Dade Product Control Approved".

**5. BUILDING PERMIT REQUIREMENTS**

- 5.1 Application for building permit shall be accompanied by copies of the following:
  - 5.1.1 This Notice of Acceptance.
  - 5.1.2 Any other documents required by the Building Official or the Building Code in order to properly evaluate the installation of this system.

**6. INSTALLATION**

- 6.1 "Watkins Sawmills Limited. Cedar Shakes & Shingles" and its components shall be installed in strict compliance with Roofing Application Standard RAS 130.

<b>Table 1: Fastener Pull Through Resistance</b>	
<b>Description</b>	<b>Maximum Pull Force (lbs)</b>
18" Red Cedar Shingles	119
24" Red Cedar Shakes	124



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1. Renewal of this Acceptance (approval) shall be considered after a renewal application has been filed and the original submitted documents, including test-supporting data, engineering documents, are no older than eight (8) years.
2. Any and all approved products shall be permanently labeled with the manufacturer's name, city, state, and the following statement: "Miami-Dade County Product Control Approval", or as specifically stated in the specific conditions of this Acceptance.
3. Renewals of Acceptance will not be considered if:
  - a. There has been a change in the South Florida Building Code affecting the evaluation of this product and the product is not in compliance with the code changes.
  - b. The product is no longer the same product (identical) as the one originally approved.
  - c. If the Acceptance holder has not complied with all the requirements of this acceptance, including the correct installation of the product.
  - d. The engineer who originally prepared, signed and sealed the required documentation initially submitted, is no longer practicing the engineering profession.
4. Any revision or change in the materials, use, and/or manufacture of the product or process shall automatically be cause for termination of this Acceptance, unless prior written approval has been requested (through the filing of a revision application with appropriate fee) and granted by this office.
5. Any of the following shall also be grounds for removal of this Acceptance:
  - a. Unsatisfactory performance of this product or process.
  - b. Misuse of this Acceptance as an endorsement of any product, for sales, advertising or any other purposes.
6. The Notice of Acceptance number preceded by the words Miami-Dade County, Florida, and followed by the expiration date may be displayed in advertising literature. If any portion of the Notice of Acceptance is displayed, then it shall be done in its entirety.
7. A copy of this Acceptance as well as approved drawings and other documents, where it applies, shall be provided to the user by the manufacturer or its distributors and shall be available for inspection at the job site at all time. The engineer need not reseal the copies.
8. Failure to comply with any section of this Acceptance shall be cause for termination and removal of Acceptance.
9. This Notice of Acceptance consists of pages 1 through 4.

**END OF THIS ACCEPTANCE**



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