



**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY**  
**BUILDING CODE COMPLIANCE OFFICE (BCCO)**  
**PRODUCT CONTROL DIVISION**

**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
**METRO-DADE FLAGLER BUILDING**  
**140 WEST FLAGLER STREET, SUITE 1603**  
**MIAMI, FLORIDA 33130-1563**  
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**NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE (NOA)**

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**MiTek Industries, Inc.**  
**14515 N. Outer Forty, Ste 300**  
**Chesterfield, MO 63017**

**SCOPE:**

This NOA is being issued under the applicable rules and regulations governing the use of construction materials. The documentation submitted has been reviewed by Miami-Dade County Product Control Division and accepted by the Board of Rules and Appeals (BORA) to be used in Miami Dade County and other areas where allowed by the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ).

This NOA shall not be valid after the expiration date stated below. The Miami-Dade County Product Control Division (In Miami Dade County) and/or the AHJ (in areas other than Miami Dade County) reserve the right to have this product or material tested for quality assurance purposes. If this product or material fails to perform in the accepted manner, the manufacturer will incur the expense of such testing and the AHJ may immediately revoke, modify, or suspend the use of such product or material within their jurisdiction. BORA reserves the right to revoke this acceptance, if it is determined by Miami-Dade County Product Control Division that this product or material fails to meet the requirements of the applicable building code.

This product is approved as described herein, and has been designed to comply with the Florida Building Code, including the High Velocity Hurricane Zone.

**DESCRIPTION: MT 18HS Truss Connector Plate**

**APPROVAL DOCUMENT:** Drawing No. **916.01**, titled "Truss Connector Plate 18 Gauge", sheet 1 of 1, dated 11/11/99, with last revision dated 06/18/08, prepared for MiTek Industries, Inc., signed and sealed by David C. Wert, P.E., bearing the Miami-Dade County Product Control renewal stamp with the Notice of Acceptance number and expiration date by the Miami-Dade County Product Control Division.

**MISSILE IMPACT RATING: None**

**LABELING:** Each unit shall bear a permanent label with the manufacturer's name or logo, city, state and following statement: "Miami-Dade County Product Control Approved", unless otherwise noted herein.

**RENEWAL** of this NOA shall be considered after a renewal application has been filed and there has been no change in the applicable building code negatively affecting the performance of this product.

**TERMINATION** of this NOA will occur after the expiration date or if there has been a revision or change in the materials, use, and/or manufacture of the product or process. Misuse of this NOA as an endorsement of any product, for sales, advertising or any other purposes shall automatically terminate this NOA. Failure to comply with any section of this NOA shall be cause for termination and removal of NOA.

**ADVERTISEMENT:** The NOA 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 NOA is displayed, then it shall be done in its entirety.

**INSPECTION:** A copy of this entire NOA shall be provided to the user by the manufacturer or its distributors and shall be available for inspection at the job site at the request of the Building Official. This NOA consists of this page 1 and evidence page E-1, as well as approval document mentioned above. The submitted documentation was reviewed by **Carlos M. Utrera, P.E.**



*[Handwritten Signature]*  
 8/7/08

**NOA No. 08-0710.01**  
**Expiration Date: June 20, 2012**  
**Approval Date: August 28, 2008**  
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**NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE: EVIDENCE SUBMITTED**

**A. DRAWINGS**

1. Drawing No. **916.01**, titled "Truss Connector Plate 18 Gauge", sheet 1 of 1, date 11/11/99, with last revision dated 06/18/08, prepared for MiTek Industries, Inc., signed and sealed by David C. Wert, P.E.

**B. TESTS**

1. Test reports on Metal Truss Connector Plate Lateral Resistance, Shear and Tension Tests per ANSI/TPI 1-2002 of a MT 18HS, prepared by PSF Corporation, Test Report No. **07-106**, dated 04/14/08, signed and sealed by James A. Rothman, P.E.

**C. CALCULATIONS**

1. None.

**D. QUALITY ASSURANCE**

1. Miami Dade Building Code Compliance Office (BCCO).

**E. MATERIAL CERTIFICATIONS**

1. None.

**F. STATEMENT**

1. Statement letter of code conformance and no financial interest issued by MiTek Industries, Inc., dated 06/18/08, signed and sealed by Stephen W. Cabler, P.E.

**G. OTHER**

1. Notice of Acceptance No. **07-0306.14**, issued to MiTek Industries, Inc., approved on 07/26/07 and expiring on 06/20/08.



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Carlos M. Utrera, P.E.  
Product Control Examiner  
NOA No. 08-0710.01  
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# MiTek Connector Plate MT18HS

## 1.1 Material Characteristics:

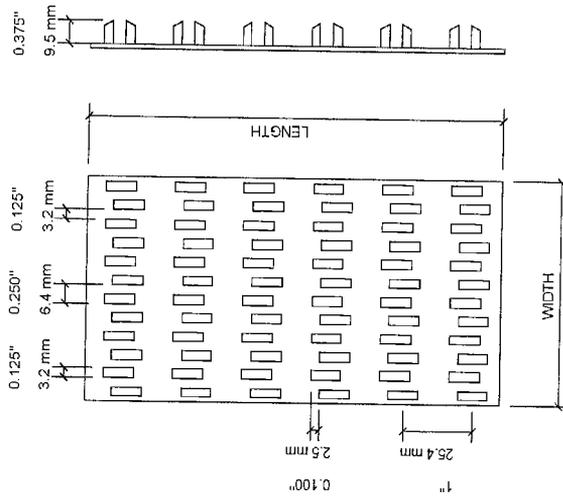
**Model** MiTek MT18HS  
**Thickness** 0.048, Gauge 18  
**Mechanical Properties** ASTM A653, Grade 60, high-strengths, low-alloy steel (HSLAS)  
**Coating** G60 per ASTM A653  
**Teeth Density** 8 teeth/sq. in.  
**Size** One-inch increments

## 1.3 Design Values:

**1.3.1 Allowable Lateral Resistance values in lb/in<sup>2</sup> of plate for Southern Pine**  
 Direction of Grain & Load with Respect to Length of Plate  
 AA 211    EA 145    AE 134    EE 161

**Note:**  
 Press type: Hydraulic, pneumatic, or multiple pass roller

## 1.2 Plate Layout:



**1.3.2 Shear Value in lb/in/pair**  
 Direction of Load with Respect to Length of Plate  
 0° 931  
 30° 1254  
 60° 1446  
 90° 1061  
 120° 750  
 150° 715

**1.3.3 Tension Value in lb/in/pair**  
 Parallel (lb/in/pair) 1770  
 Perpendicular (lb/in/pair) 1911

**PRODUCT RENEWED**  
 as complying with the Florida  
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 By: [Signature]  
 Murray Data Products Control  
 Division

## Notes:

- 1) The teeth are approximately 3/8" long and 1/8" wide, spaced at 1/4" center to center along the width of the plate, and staggered at 3/32" in the longitudinal direction. Each row of teeth is spaced at 1/2 in. 'A' direction is parallel to slot length and 'E' direction is perpendicular to slot length.
- 2) The lumber used for the tested specimens was Southern Pine.
- 3) MiTek MT18HS truss plates are metal connectors manufactured from 18 gauge high strength steel sheet used in the fabrication of prefabricated trusses of Southern Pine only.
- 4)

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Name and Registration	David C. Wert, P.E. 36197
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