



WDMA / AAMA / CSA JOINT TECHNICAL INTERPRETATION

REQUEST

INTERPRETATION
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07-03

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PERTINENT JOINT WDMA/AAMA/CSA SPECIFICATION(S):

AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-05

SECTION(S) IN QUESTION:

Section 5.3.6.4.2 Sash/leaf torsion test

INTERPRETATION REQUESTED:

On Table 8, it shows that a dual-action window that desires a commercial rating does not need to receive the sash/torsion test, but on Table 25, it shows a dot for the sash/torsion to be performed.

1.) Since AAMA/NWWDA 101/I.S.2-97 and 101/I.S.2/NAFS-02 both indicated that the unglazed ventilator torsion test only applied to HC and AW classifications of Dual Action windows, is Table 25 of AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-05 incorrect in identifying that the Sash/leaf torsion test is a requirement of DAW-C products.

SUGGESTED INTERPRETATION:

1.) Yes

REVIEW/APPROVED BY:

COMMITTEE	COMMENTS / ACTION	STATUS	DATE
JDMG			
AAMA		Approved	2/27/08
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