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### DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency
ELEVATION CERTIFICATE
IMPORTANT: FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS ON PAGES 9-16

OMB Control Number: 1660-0008

SECTION A - PROPERTY INFORMATION		FORM	NSURANCE CO	3) building owner.
A1. Building Owner's Name Heidi and Jeff Gordon		Policy N		JIVII AIVI OGE
<ul> <li>A2. Building Street Address (including Apt., Unit, Suite, and/or Bldg. No. Box No.</li> <li>3201 Pacific Ave.</li> </ul>	o.) or P.O. Route	cand Compan Number:		75:
City BOROUGH OF LONGPORT	State	NJ	Zip Co	de 08403
A3. Property Description (Lot and Block Numbers, Tax Parcel Number, Block 81 lot 2		10 1 1 × × × 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		
A4. Building Use (e.g., Residential, Non-Residential, Addition, Accessor				1 111
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A6. Attach at least 2 photographs of the building if the Certificate is being	g used to obtain	flood insurance.		
A7. Building Diagram Number 7				BOROU
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d) Engineered flood openings?  Yes  No				
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### **ELEVATION CERTIFICATE**

OMB Control Number: 1660-0008 Expiration: 11/30/2018

3201 Pacific Ave.

BOROUGH OF LONGPORT NJ

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S	ECTION D - SURVEYOR, ENGIN	EER, OR	ARCHITECT CE	RTIFICATION
This certification is to be signed and	sealed by a land surveyor, engir	eer, or ard	chitect authorized	by law to certify elevation information. I certifi
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Copy both sides of this Elevation Cer	tificate for (1) community official,	(2) insurar	nce agent/compa	ny, and (3) building owner.
Comments (including type of equipm *A8b.) Smart Vents Model #1540-51 **B8 & B9.) FEMA Pre-FIRM Zone " ***C2a.) crawlspace enclosure ****C2e.) exterior air unit elev. 13.2,	0 engineered for 200 square inch AE"Base Flood Elevation 10 ft	es of nét a . (NAVD88	8) converted = 1	1.3 ft. (NGVD29)
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or Zones AO and A (without BFE), co	emplete Items E1 -E5. If the Certif	icate is int	ended to suppor	t a LOMA or LOMR-F request, complete ed. In Puerto Rico only, enter meters.
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## **Building Photographs**

See Instructions for Item A6

For Insurance Company Use:

Building Street Address (including Apt., Unit, Suite, and/or Bldg.) No. or P.O. Route and Box No. **3201 Pacific Ave.** 

Policy Number

City Longport State **NJ** 

ZIP Code 08403

Company NAIC Number

If using the Elevation Certificate to obtain NFIP flood insurance, affix at least two building photographs below according to the instructions for Item A6. Identify all photographs with: date taken; "Front View" and "Rear View"; and, if required, "Right Side View" and "Left Side View." If submitting more photographs than will fit on this page, use the Continuation Page on the reverse.





Front View - Date of Photograph: (See Photo Stamp)

Rear View - Date of Photograph: (See Photo Stamp)







## ICC-ES Evaluation Report

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DIVISION: 10—SPECIALTIES Section: 10230—Vents

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EVALUATION SUBJECT:

SMART VENT® AUTOMATIC FOUNDATION FLOOD VENTS:
FLOODVENT™ MODEL #1840-820; FLOODVENT™
STACKING MODEL #1840-821; SMARTVENT™ MODEL
#1640-810; SMARTVENT™ STACKING MODEL #1640-811;
WOOD WALL FLOOD MODEL #1640-870; WOOD WALL
FLOOD OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1640-824;
FLOODVENT™ OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1640-824;
SMARTVENT™ OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1640-814

#### 1.0 . EVALUATION SCOPE

Compliance with the following codes:

- = 2006 International Building Code® (IBC)
- = 2006 International Residential Code® (IRC)

#### Properties evaluated:

- Physical operation
- Water flow

#### 2.0 USES

The Smart Vent<sup>®</sup> units are automatic foundation flood vents (AFFVs) employed to equalize hydrostatic pressure on nonfire-resistance-rated foundation walls, rolling-type overhead doors and building walls subject to rising or falling flood waters. Certain models also allow natural ventilation in accordance with Section 1203 of the IBC or Section 408.1 of the IRC.

#### 3.0 DESCRIPTION

#### 3.1 General:

When subjected to preseure from rising water, the Smart Vent® AFFVs disengage, then pivot open to allow flow in either direction to equalize water level and hydrostatic pressure from one side of the foundation to the other. The AFFV pivoting door is normally held in the closed position by a buoyant release device. When subjected to rising water, the buoyant release device causes the unit to

unlatch, allowing the plate to rotate out of the way and allow flow. The water level stabilizes, equalizing the lateral forces. Each unit is fabricated from stainless steel, and each opening provides 76 square inches (49 032 mm²) of net free area for flood mitigation in the open position. The SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-521 units each contain two vertically arranged openings per unit, providing 152 square inches (96 064 mm²) of net free area for flood mitigation in the open position.

#### 3.2 Engineered Opening:

The AFFVs comply with the design principle noted in Section 2.5.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24 for a maximum rate of rise and fall of 5.0 feet per hour (0.423 mm/s). In order to comply with the engineered opening requirement of ASCE/SEI 24, Smart Vent AFFVs must be installed in accordance with Section 4.0.

#### 3.3 Model Bizes:

The FicodVENT™ Model #1540-520, SmartVENT™ Model #1540-510, FicodVENT™ Overhead Door Model #1540-524, and SmartVENT™ Overhead Door Model #1540-514 units measure 15³/₄ inches wide by 7³/₄ inches high (400 by 196.9 mm). The Wood Wall Ficod Model #1540-570 and Wood Wall Ficod Overhead Door Model #1540-574 units measure 14 inches wide by 5³/₄ inches high (355.6 by 222.25 mm). The SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 and FicodVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-521 units measure 16 inches wide by 16 inches high (406.4 by 406.4 mm).

#### 3.4 Ventilation:

The SmartVENT® Model #1540-510 and SmartVENT® Overhead Door Model #1540-514 both have screen covers with ¹/₄Inch-by-¹/₄Inch (6.35 by 6.35 mm) openings, yielding 51 square inches (32 903 mm²) of net free area to supply natural ventilation. The SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 consists of two Model #1540-510 units in one assembly, and provides 102 square inches (65 806 mm²) of net free area to supply natural ventilation. Other AFFVs recognized in this report do not offer natural ventilation.

#### 4.0 INSTALLATION

Smart/ENT® and Flood/ENT™ are designed to be installed into wells or overhead doors of existing or new construction from the exterior side. Installation of the vents must be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, the applicable code and this report. The mounting straps allow mounting in wood, masonry and concrete wells up to 12 inches (305 mm) thick. In order to



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DIVISION: 08 00 00-OPENINGS

Section: 08 95 43-Vents/Foundation Flood Vents

#### REPORT HOLDER:

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#### **EVALUATION SUBJECT:**

SMART VENT® AUTOMATIC FOUNDATION FLOOD VENTS: FLOODVENT™ MODEL #1540-520; FLOODVENT™ STACKING MODEL #1540-521; SMARTVENT™ MODEL #1540-510; SMARTVENT™ STACKING MODEL #1540-511; WOOD WALL FLOOD MODEL #1540-570; WOOD WALL FLOOD OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-574; FLOODVENT™ OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-524; SMARTVENT™ OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-514

#### 1.0 EVALUATION SCOPE

#### Compliance with the following codes:

- 2009 and 2006 International Building Code® (IBC)
- 2009 and 2006 International Residential Code® (IRC)

#### Properties evaluated:

- Physical operation
- Water flow

#### **2.0 USES**

The Smart Vent® units are automatic foundation flood vents (AFFVs) employed to equalize hydrostatic pressure on nonfire-resistance-rated foundation walls, rolling-type overhead doors and building walls subject to rising or falling flood waters. The Smart Vent® units are intended for use where flood hazard areas have been established in accordance with IBC Section 1612.3 or IRC Section R3222.1. Certain models also allow natural ventilation in accordance with Section 1203 of the IBC or Section 408.1 of the IRC.

#### 3.0 DESCRIPTION

#### 3.1 General:

When subjected to pressure from rising water, the Smart Vent® AFFVs disengage, then pivot open to allow flow in either direction to equalize water level and hydrostatic

pressure from one side of the foundation to the other. The AFFV pivoting door is normally held in the closed position by a buoyant release device. When subjected to rising water, the buoyant release device causes the unit to unlatch, allowing the plate to rotate out of the way and allow flow. The water level stabilizes, equalizing the lateral forces. Each unit is fabricated from stainless steel. The SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-521 units each contain two vertically arranged openings per unit.

#### 3.2 Engineered Opening:

The AFFVs comply with the design principle noted in Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24 for a maximum rate of rise and fall of 5.0 feet per hour (0.423 mm/s). In order to comply with the engineered opening requirement of ASCE/SEI 24, Smart Vent AFFVs must be installed in accordance with Section 4.0.

#### 3.3 Model Sizes:

The FloodVENT™ Model #1540-520, SmartVENT™ Model #1540-510, FloodVENT™ Overhead Door Model #1540-524, and SmartVENT™ Overhead Door Model #1540-514 units measure  $15^3/_4$  inches wide by  $7^3/_4$  inches high (400 by 196.9 mm). The Wood Wall Flood Model #1540-570 and Wood Wall Flood Overhead Door Model #1540-574 units measure 14 inches wide by  $8^3/_4$  inches high (355.6 by 222.25 mm). The SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-521 units measure 16 inches wide by 16 inches high (406.4 by 406.4 mm).

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#### 4.0 INSTALLATION

SmartVENT® and FloodVENT™ are designed to be installed into walls or overhead doors of existing or new construction from the exterior side. Installation of the vents must be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, the applicable code and this report. The mounting straps allow mounting in wood, masonry and

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concrete walls up to 12 inches (305 mm) thick. In order to comply with the engineered opening design principle noted in Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24, the Smart Vent® AFFVs must be installed as follows:

- With a minimum of two openings on different sides of each enclosed area.
- With a minimum of one AFFV for every 200 square feet (18.6 m²) of enclosed area, except that the SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-521 must be installed with a minimum of one AFFV for every 400 square feet (37.2 m²) of enclosed area.
- Below the base flood elevation.
- With the bottom of the AFFV located a maximum of 12 inches (305.4 mm) above grade.

#### 5.0 CONDITIONS OF USE

The Smart Vent® AFFVs described in this report comply with, or are suitable alternatives to what is specified in, those codes listed in Section 1.0 of this report, subject to the following conditions:

- 5.1 The Smart Vent® AFFVs must be installed in accordance with this report, the applicable code and the manufacturer's installation instructions. In the event of a conflict, the instructions in this report govern.
- 5.2 The Smart Vent® AFFVs must not be used in the place of "breakaway walls" in coastal high hazard areas, but are permitted for use in conjunction with breakaway walls in other areas.

#### 6.0 EVIDENCE SUBMITTED

Data in accordance with the ICC-ES Acceptance Criteria for Automatic Foundation Flood Vents (AC364), dated October 2013 (editorially revised May 2014).

#### 7.0 IDENTIFICATION

The Smart VENT® models recognized in this report must be identified by a label bearing the manufacturer's name (Smartvent Products, Inc.), the model number, and the evaluation report number (ESR-2074).

# Engineered Flood Openings Certificate To satisfy requirements of the National Flood Insurance Program

This certification must be submitted to, and kept on file by, the local jurisdiction's permit authority. A copy should be retained by the owner to demonstrate compliance in order to receive the best flood insurance rating.

The Smart VENT® and Flood VENT™ Foundation Flood Vent is certified as meeting the flood opening requirements for engineered openings as set forth in the Federal Emergency Management Agency's National Flood Insurance Program regulations (44 CFR 60.3(c)(5)) and ASCE 24-98, provided it is installed according to the those references, as summarized below. Flood openings are required in enclosures below elevated buildings, attached and detached garages, and accessory structures that meet the required limitations. For a copy of the report documenting this certification dated June 21, 2002, and a copy of the National Evaluation Service report NER 624, contact Smart VENT, Inc., at 877/441-8368 or

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I do hereby certify that the Smart VENT® Louvered Foundation Flood Vent and the FloodVENT™ Insulated Foundation Flood Vent opening (s) is designed for installation in buildings, will allow for the automatic equalizing of hydrostatic flood forces on exterior walls by allowing for the automatic entry and exit of floodwater during floods up to and including the base (100-year) flood. One Smart VENT® or one FloodVENT™ for every 200 Sq.Ft. of enclosed area will provide sufficient hydrostatic pressure equalization during a flood provided the installation limitations and instructions are followed as listed below. To Calculate the required number of Smart VENTS® or FloodVENTS™ divide the Square Feet of enclosed area by 200.

Example: A 2000 Sq.Ft, enclosed area requires 10 yents, 2000 Sq.Ft / 200 = 10 Vents

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#### Installation Limitations and Instructions

- The Smart VENT® or FloodVENT™ unit provides sufficient automatic equalization of hydrostatic pregsure on walls and
  foundations of buildings located in flood hazard areas where the rate of rise is expected to be less than or approximately 5 feet
  per hour.
- Enclosed areas below otherwise elevated buildings, non-elevated attached and detached garages, and certain non-elevated
  accessory structures located in flood hazard areas are to be used solely for parking of vehicles, building access, or storage.
- Each enclosed area shall have at least two flood openings, installed on different sides of the enclosed area.
   The bottom of the flood openings shall be no more than one foot above the adjacent finished ground level.
- Installation must be in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

## "REFERENCE ONLY" From FEMA TB 1-93 Guidance for Engineered Openings

Openings in Foundation Walls

National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Technical Bulletin TB 1-93

"In situations where it is not feasible or desirable to meet the openings criteria stated previously, a design professional (registered engineer or architect) may design and certify openings. This section provides guidance for such engineered designs. For openings not meeting all four requirements for non-engineered openings listed on page 2 and 3 of TB 1-93, certification by a registered professional engineer or architect is required. Such certification must be submitted to, and kept on file by, the community. These certifications must assure community officials that the openings are designed in accordance with accepted standards of practice. A certification may be affixed to the design drawings or submitted separately. It must include appropriate certification language, and the name, title, address, signature, type of license, license number, and professional seal of the certifier." (TB 1-93 is available through Smart VENT® or online at www.fema.gov)

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