

**CLIENT:** **U-Stucco USA, LLC**  
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**Progress Report No: RJ3500-4**

**Date: October 21, 2014**

**SAMPLE ID:** Light Weight Stucco Insulation

**SAMPLING DETAIL:** Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI Laboratories on September 9, 2014.

**AUTHORIZATION:** QAI Test Proposal MB-2014-072301 dated July 23, 2014 signed by Onur Topcu of U-Stucco USA, LLC on September 9, 2014.

**TESTING PERIOD:** September 24 thru October 2, 2014.

**TEST REQUESTED:** Water vapor transmission test per ASTM E 96/E96M-10, *Standard Test Methods for Water Vapor Transmission of Materials*, Procedure A, Desiccant Method.

**TEST PROCEDURE:** Three, 11 $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 11 $\frac{3}{8}$ " specimens were prepared for the test. The specimens were sealed to stainless steel trays containing desiccant. Weight measurements were recorded periodically after the test material had reached a steady state condition with relationship to change in weight vs. time. The water vapor permeance was then calculated as outlined in ASTM E 96.


**TEST RESULTS:** Test results are provided on page 2 of this report.

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**WATER VAPOR TRANSMISSION TEST**

**Test Results**

Specimen No.	Average Thickness (in)	Water Vapor Transmission (grains/ft <sup>2</sup> /hr)	Permeance (perms)
1	1.28	5.35	12.9
2	1.25	5.56	13.4
3	1.30	5.07	12.2
<b>Average</b>	<b>* * *</b>	<b>5.33</b>	<b>12.8</b>

Specimen No.	Average Thickness (cm)	Water Vapor Transmission (g/m <sup>2</sup> /24hr)	Permeance (ng/Pa·s·m <sup>2</sup> )
1	3.25	89.7	740
2	3.18	93.4	769
3	3.30	85.1	700
<b>Average</b>	<b>* * *</b>	<b>89.4</b>	<b>734</b>

**Conclusion**

Based on the above test results, it can be concluded that the U-Stucco Light Weight Stucco Insulation, having an average water vapor transmission rate of 89.4 g/m<sup>2</sup>/24hr, would meet the requirements for a Grade D Water-Resistive Barrier (Minimum 35 g/m<sup>2</sup>/24hr) as set forth in Table 1 of ICC ES Acceptance Criteria for Water-Resistive Barriers, AC38, Approved January 2013.

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