

# **Engineering Notes: EWP-Floors**



# **MHP 23022**

## PLEASE READ ALL NOTES PRIOR TO INSTALLATION OF THE COMPONENT

#### **RESPONSIBILTIES**

THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE UNDERSIGNED ENGINEER IS ONLY LIMITED TO THE CALCULATION OF THIS BUILDING COMPONENT FOR THE LOADS AND CONDITIONS SHOWN ON THIS DRAWING.

THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE UNDERSIGNED IS LIMITED TO THE VERIFICATION OF THE STRUCTURAL CAPACITY OF THE FLOOR JOISTS AND LVL BEAMS BASED ON PLACEMENT AS SHOWN ON THE LAYOUT. THE LOADS APPLIED ARE LIMITED TO THE GRAVITY EFFECTS OF THE SPECIFIED LOADS. THE STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY OF THE BUILDING AND THE EFFECT OF WIND, UPLIFT, SEISMIC, LATERAL OR OTHER FORCES, CALCULATION OF ADEQUATE SUPPORT AND ANCHORAGE OF COMPONENTS, AS WELL AS THE DIMENSIONS AND DESIGN LOADS USED TO CALCULATE COMPONENTS ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE OVERALL BUILDING DESIGNER. FLOOR JOISTS AND OSB RIM BOARD ARE DESIGNED TO CARRY UNIFORMLY DISTRIBUTED LOADS ONLY. POINT LOADS SHOULD BE TRANSFERRED THROUGH THE FLOOR CAVITY WITH TRANSFER BLOCKS. STRUCTURAL ELEMENTS SUCH AS WALLS, POSTS, CONNECTORS, AND TRANSFER BLOCKS ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE OVERALL BUILDING DESIGNER.

THE UNDERSIGNED ENGINEER DISCLAIMS ANY RESPONSIBILITY FOR DAMAGES AS A RESULT OF BEING FURNISHED FAULTY OR INCORRECT INFORMATION, SPECIFICATIONS AND/OR DESIGNS.

## **COMPONENT DESIGN INFORMATION**

- 1. THIS BUILDING COMPONENT IS CERTIFIED AS AN INDIVIDUAL COMPONENT FOR THE LOADS AND CONDITIONS SHOWN ON THE CALCULATION PAGE BASED ON INFORMATION PROVIDED BY KOTT DESIGN.
- 2. THE BUILDING COMPONENT USED IN CONSTRUCTION MUST BE THE SAME AS INDICATED ON THE DRAWINGS.
- 3. UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE ON THE LAYOUT OR BEAM CALCULATION SHEET, MEMBERS CONSISTING OF MULTIPLE PLIES MUST BE CONNECTED AS PER THE DOCUMENT "MULTIPLE MEMBER CONNECTION DETAILS" SHOWN ON PAGE 2 OF THIS DOCUMENT.
- 4. PASS-THRU TRANSFER BLOCK FRAMING IS REQUIRED AT ALL POINT LOADS OVER BEARINGS.
- 5. IT IS ASSUMED THAT EACH LVL BEAM WHERE NOT SEATED IN A HANGER IS ATTACHED USING (4) FOUR 3-1/4" COMMON SPIRAL NAILS FOR UP TO 5.5" LONG BEARINGS AND USING (6) SIX 3-1/4" COMMON SPIRAL NAILS FOR BEARINGS EQUAL TO OR LONGER THAN 5.5", UNLESS INDICATED OTHERWISE.

#### CODE

THIS BUILDING COMPONENT IS DESIGNED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NATIONAL BUILDING CODE OF CANADA, THE ONTARIO BUILDING CODE, CCMC AND CANADIAN STANDARDS ASSOCIATION GUIDELINES.

## HANDLING AND INSTALLATION

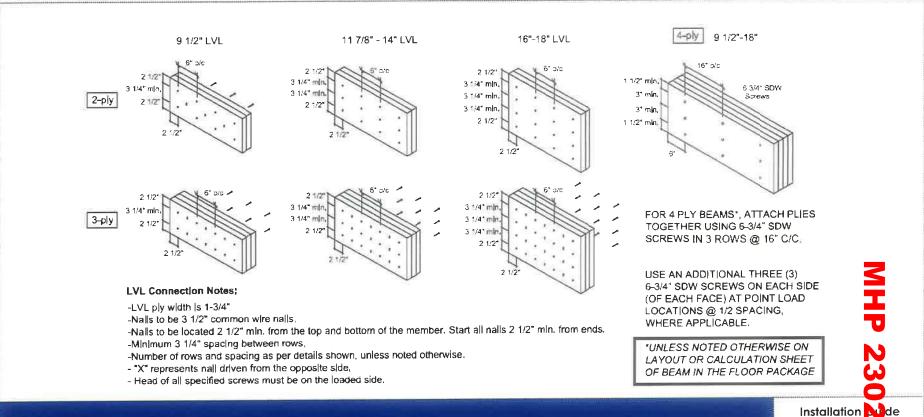
- 1. DO NOT DRILL ANY HOLE, CUT OR NOTCH A CERTIFIED BUILDING COMPONENT WITHOUT A WRITTEN PRE-AUTHORIZATION.
- 2. INSTALLATION AND ASSEMBLY OF FLOOR JOISTS AND LVL BEAMS IS TO BE CARRIED OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE MANUFACTURER'S LITERATURE.

## MULTIPLE MEMBER CONNECTIONS FOR BEAMS SHOWN ON KOTT LAYOUTS





## MULTIPLE MEMBER CONNECTIONS FOR UNIFORMLY DISTRIBUTED TOP & SIDE LOADED LVL BEAMS SHOWN ON KOTT LAYOUTS



FOR MULTIPLE MEMBER CONNECTION OF BOISE ALLJOISTS REFER TO THE BOISE CASCADE INSTALLATION GUIDE



