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CANFER DECLARATION OF CERTIFICATION CERTIFIED LAMINATED PRODUCTS MANUFACTURER TPC-2/CANFER/TPC-LP/0721773

Relating to Benchmark Holdings, LLC (BMH) qualification of composite wood product producers in accordance with Canada Formaldehyde Emissions from Composite Wood Products Regulation, hereinafter, "CANFER" (SOR/2021-148) and Chapter 40, United States Code of Federal Regulations, Part 770 (40 C.F.R. §770)

LA FORESTAL ALTO PARANA S.A.

BMH has received a completed application for third party certification submitted by the above-named producer of laminated composite wood products as specified in CANFER §7(1), 40 C.F.R. §770.2(e)(2) & §770.15(c).

The laminated products producer demonstrates conformance to the formaldehyde emission requirements defined in CANFER §6 and 40 C.F.R. §770.10 for laminated composite wood products within the laminated product producer's scope of third-party certification at:

**Ruta Internacional NR. VII – Km 31.5
Minga Guazu, Alto Parana
Paraguay**

Laminated Products (Veneer Core): 9.0mm – 18.0mm made using PF resin and NAF resin

Benchmark Holdings, LLC has assessed the laminated products producer as required in 40 C.F.R. §770.7(c).

Initial (qualifying) tests conducted by the Third-Party Certifier (TPC) were completed as required in CANFER §6-§7, 40 C.F.R. §770.15(c) and 40 C.F.R. §770.20, as applicable. BMH has verified the laminated products producer conforms to the requirements defined in CANFER §26(1)(i)(ii), 40 C.F.R. §770.10 – §770.24 and 40 C.F.R. §770.40 – §770.45 as applicable to the laminated product producer's scope of certification.

Certified Composite Wood Products produced and sold by the laminated products producer are subject to the terms of the certification license agreement held between the laminated products producer and BMH. Certified Composite Wood Products are subject to the labeling and record-keeping requirements defined or referenced in CANFER §20-26, 40 C.F.R. §770.40-§770.45 and the terms of the laminated products producer's certification license agreement. The validity of this certificate is subject to the laminated product producer's successful demonstration of ongoing conformity to requirements as defined or referenced in CANFER §6-§8, CANFER §12-§26, CANFER §31 and 40 C.F.R. §770.10 – §770.45 as applicable to the laminated product producer's scope of certification.

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