



May 9, 2006

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Address Reply To:

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**RE: APPLICATION FOR KODI KLIP SUBMITTED
TO NEW PRODUCT EVALUATION COMMITTEE**

Dear Mr. Pellicciotti:

The New Products Evaluation Committee of the NYSDOT has reviewed your application for review and approval for the product Kodi Klip, rebar and post tension connectors manufactured of non-corrosive polycarbonate plastic.

We have reviewed this product and its application. By way of this letter, the NYSDOT is approving Kodi Klips for use on Department projects.

We have determined that your product meets Department specification requirements for Devices for Supporting and Tying Reinforcement in SECTION 556 - REINFORCING STEEL FOR CONCRETE STRUCTURES. This specification requires that Chairs, tie wires, and other devices used to support, position, or fasten the reinforcement shall be made of or coated with, a dielectric (electrically insulating) material. Further, during installation, connecting devices shall neither deflect the bar reinforcement nor interfere with the smooth flow of concrete. The specific hardware that the Contractor proposes to use shall be approved by the Engineer.

This letter shall serve as proof of approval for use on NYSDOT projects in the manner described herein. However, this approval shall not be used for advertisement purposes.

Thank you for submitting your product for our consideration. If you have any questions, please e-mail me at ddwyer@dot.state.ny.us.

Sincerely,

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