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Recognition of CCMC Evaluations

What are CCMC evaluations?

An evaluation is an impartial, technical opinion. On the building side, that opinion often relates to the requirements of the National Building Code of Canada and of provincial codes.

The **Canadian Construction Materials Centre (CCMC)** provides evaluations, which are undertaken for products that are manufactured, assembled, or processed at a particular site or manufacturing facility; they apply only to those products. The resulting Evaluation Reports specify the ways in which the products are to be used for the evaluation to be valid.

Provincial/Territorial Support

The **Provincial/Territorial Policy Advisory Committee on Codes (PTPACC)**, composed of senior officials from provincial and territorial departments responsible for building regulation, supports the use of CCMC evaluations as a basis for determining the acceptability of products within the context of building code requirements.

In Ontario, CCMC is the only organization designated as a materials evaluation body for the purposes of supporting Minister's Rulings on innovative materials, systems and building designs under the Building Code Act.

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation permits the use of products listed in this volume in construction financed or insured under the National Housing Act.

Public Works and Government Services Canada

Construction products described in Evaluation Listings within this volume that have been shown to comply with applicable standards or building codes are accepted by Public Works and Government Services Canada for use on PWGSC projects. New and innovative construction products described within this volume that have been shown to comply with CCMC developed requirements will be considered by PWGSC on a case by case basis.

Canadian Home Builders' Association

The Canadian Home Builders' Association supports the use of CCMC evaluations as a basis for determining the acceptability of products within the context of the R-2000 Program.

Canadian Roofing Contractor's Association

The Canadian Roofing Contractor's Association supports the use of CCMC evaluations for determining conformance of roofing products to the applicable standards referenced in the building codes.