

# CENDEK RAILINGS LTD. TEST REPORT

### **SCOPE OF WORK**

Report of Century Narrow Component Picket Railing Systems for compliance with the applicable requirements of the following:

- 2015 International Building Code (IBC), Section 1607.8.1 Handrails and Guards
- 2015 International Residential Code (IRC), Section R301.5 Live Load

### REPORT NUMBER

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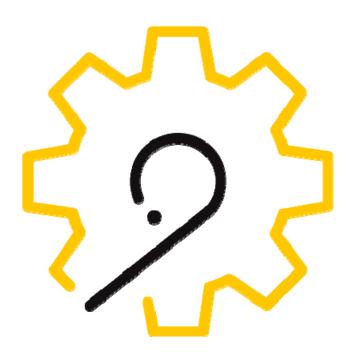
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# **CONCLUSION**

The Cendek Railings Ltd. products identified and evaluated in this report have met the load requirements contained in the following:

- 2015 International Building Code (IBC), Section 1607.8.1 Handrails and Guards
- 2015 International Residential Code (IRC), Section R301.5 *Live Load*

The product test results are presented in Section 6 of this report.

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# **SECTION 1**

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# **SECTION 2**

# **OBJECTIVE**

Intertek Testing Services NA Ltd. (Intertek) has conducted a test program for Century Narrow Component Picket Railing Systems submitted by Cendek Railings Ltd. The evaluation was carried out to determine whether the railings would meet the requirements of the following:

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- 2015 International Building Code (IBC), Section 1607.8.1 Handrails and Guards
- 2015 International Residential Code (IRC), Section R301.5 Live Load

This evaluation was conducted in the month of August 2017.

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### **SECTION 3**

### **SAMPLE SELECTION**

The client submitted two (2) aluminum railing systems to the Evaluation Center on August 22, 2017 (Coquitlam ID# VAN1708221440-001). Samples were not independently selected for testing.

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### **SECTION 4**

### SAMPLE ASSEMBLY AND DESCRIPTION

The samples were identified as the following:

Table 1. Railing Configuration								
Railing	Post	Post Spacing	Mounting Plate	Rails	Picket Insert			
8 ft. Century Narrow Component Picket Railing	2-1/2" x 2-1/2"	98"	4" x 4" x 1/4"	42" high	5/8" x 5/8"			
8 ft. Century Narrow Component Picket Railing with Swivel Brackets	2-1/2" x 2-1/2"	98"	4" x 4" x 1/4"	42" high	5/8" x 5/8"			

For both Century Narrow aluminum railing systems, two (2) support legs were placed under the bottom rail at third points. Each support leg was rigidly fixed to the test frame by screwing the front and back sides with 1 in. long screws into nominal 2x4 SPF lumber, which were then clamped to the steel test frame.

For detailed drawings of the test sample and components, refer to Appendix C.

Note: The installation of the guardrail to the deck was not within the scope of this report, and is subject to evaluation and approval by the building official. Four 3/8 in. grade 5 bolts and washers on each post were used to install the specimen for testing.

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### **SECTION 5**

### **TESTING AND EVALUATION METHODS**

The test specimens were loaded at a rate to achieve the specified loads between 10 seconds and 5 minutes. The specified test loads were held for one minute before the load was released. The following tests were conducted:

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### 2015 IBC: SECTION 1607.8.1 HANDRAILS AND GUARDS

- 1) Handrails and guards shall be designed to resist a linear load of 50 pounds per linear foot (plf) (0.73 kN/m) applied in any direction along the handrail or top rail.
- 2) Handrails and guards shall be designed to resist a concentrated load of 200 pounds (0.89 kN), applied in any direction at any point on the handrail or top rail and to transfer the load through the supports to the structure to produce the maximum load effect on the element being considered.
- 3) Intermediate rails (all those except the handrail), balusters and panel fillers shall be designed to withstand a horizontally applied normal load of 50 pounds (0.22 kN) on an area not to exceed 12 in. by 12 in. (305 mm by 305 mm) including openings and space between rails and located so as to produce the maximum load effect.

### 2015 IRC: SECTION R301.5 LIVE LOAD

- 1) Handrails and guards shall be designed to resist a concentrated load of 200 pounds (0.89 kN), applied in any direction at any point on the handrail or top rail and to transfer the load through the supports to the structure to produce the maximum load effect on the element being considered.
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Notes: A live load factor of 2.5 was applied to the above loads.

### **IN-FILL LOAD TEST**

A load of 125 lbs was applied using a 1 square foot block normal to the in-fill. After release of the load, the system was evaluated for failure, any evidence of disengagements of any component and/or visible cracking from any component.

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### **UNIFORM LOAD TEST**

The guardrail system was subjected to a maximum equivalent uniform load of 125 plf applied horizontally to the top rail. The load was applied using quarter point loading. After release of the load, the system was evaluated for failure, any evidence of disengagements and/or visible cracking from any component.

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# **CONCENTRATED LOAD TEST**

The top rail of the guardrail system was subjected to three (3) separate tests where a concentrated load of 500 lbs was applied:

- horizontally at the mid-span of the top rail,
- horizontally at the top rail adjacent to the post connection to verify the connection capacity, and
- horizontally at the top of the post.

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# **SECTION 6**

# **RESULTS AND OBSERVATIONS**

The product test results are shown in Table 2. A copy of the test data is located in Appendix A.

Table 2. Test Results							
System Description	Test	Compliance					
	In-fill Load	Pass					
	Uniform Load	Pass					
8 ft. Century Narrow Component Picket Railing	Mid-Span Concentrated Load	Pass					
	Adjacent to Post Connection	Dace					
	Concentrated Load	Pass					
	Top of Post	Pass					
8 ft. Century Narrow Component Picket Railing with Swivel Brackets	Adjacent to Post Connection Concentrated Load	Pass					

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### **SECTION 7**

# **CONCLUSION**

Intertek Testing Services NA Ltd. (Intertek) has conducted a test program for Century Narrow Component Picket Railing Systems submitted by Cendek Railings Ltd. The evaluation was carried out to determine whether the railing would meet the requirements of the following:

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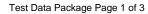
- 2015 International Building Code (IBC), Section 1607.8.1 Handrails and Guards
- 2015 International Residential Code (IRC), Section R301.5 Live Load

The product test results are presented in Section 6 of this report.

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**SECTION 8** 

**APPENDIX A: TEST DATA (3 PAGES)** 





Company	Cendek Railings Ltd.	Technician(s)	Chris Chang / Kevin Penner				
Project No.	G103176847	Reviewer	Riccardo DeSantis				
Models	Century Narrow aluminum railing systems	Start/End Date	August 22, 2017				
Product Name	Same as above Sample ID VAN1708221440-001						
Standard	2015 International Building Code (IBC), 2015 International Residential Code (IRC)						

# Test Data Package

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Loads on Guards Test: Project: G103176847 Date: 29-Aug-17 Eng/Tech: Kevin Penner Cendek Railings Ltd. Reviewer: Riccardo DeSantis Client:

Product:

8 ft. Century Narrow Component Picket Railing 8.17 ft 2.4 Post Spacing: 2.49 m 42 in 1067 mm Height of Guard: Opening in Guard: 3.875 in 98 mm

Method: 2015 International Building Code (IBC)

2015 International Residential Code (IRC)

Safety Factor: 2.50

Artech 5000 lbf Load Cell (Intertek ID# P60692, cal due August 4, 2018) Equipment:

Vaisala Temp/RH Indicator (Intertek ID# 9-0176, cal due January 12, 2018)

Stopwatch (Intertek ID# P60444, cal due June 28, 2017)

Time/Temp/RH: 8:00AM / 23.0°C / 49.4%

Direction	Test	Design Load (Inward/ Outward) (lbf)	Factored Load	Calculated Moment (lbf-ft)	Equivalent Quarter- Point Load (lbf)	Required Proof Load (lbf)	Pass/Fail
	Individual Elements (over 12 in. x 12 in.) (most critical location)	50	125	-	-	125	Pass
	Midspan Horizontal Concentrated Load	200	500	-	-	500	Pass
Outward	Top Rail Adjacent to Connection Concentrated Load	200	500	-	-	500	Pass
	Top of Post	200	500	-	-	500	Pass
	Horizontal Uniform Load (per ft)	50	125	1042	510	1021	Pass

Direction	Test	Design Load (Inward/ Outward) (kN)	Factored Load	Calculated Moment (kNm)	Equivalent Quarter- Point Load (kN)	Required Proof Load (kN)	Pass/Fail
	Individual Elements (over 305 mm in. x 305 mm) (most critical location)	0.22	0.56	-	-	0.56	Pass
	Midspan Horizontal Concentrated Load	0.89	2.22	-	-	2.22	Pass
Outward	Top Rail Adjacent to Connection Concentrated Load	0.89	2.22	-	1	2.22	Pass
	Top of Post	0.89	2.22	-	-	2.22	Pass
	Horizontal Uniform Load (per m)	0.73	1.83	1.41	2.27	4.54	Pass



Test:Loads on GuardsProject:G103176847Date:29-Aug-17Eng/Tech:Kevin PennerClient:Cendek Railings Ltd.Reviewer:Riccardo DeSantis

Product: 8 ft. Century Narrow Component Picket Railing with Swivel Brackets

Brackets swivel up and down in a stair configuration 8.17 ft 2.49 m

 Post Spacing:
 8.17 ft
 2.49 m

 Height of Guard:
 42 in
 1067 mm

 Opening in Guard:
 3.875 in
 98 mm

Method: 2015 International Building Code (IBC)

2015 International Residential Code (IRC)

Safety Factor: 2.50

Equipment: Artech 5000 lbf Load Cell (Intertek ID# P60692, cal due August 4, 2018)

Vaisala Temp/RH Indicator (Intertek ID# 9-0176, cal due January 12, 2018)

Stopwatch (Intertek ID# P60444, cal due June 28, 2017)

Time/Temp/RH: 8:00AM / 23.0°C / 49.4%

Direction	Test	Design Load (Inward/ Outward) (lbf)	Factored Load	Calculated Moment (lbf-ft)	Equivalent Quarter- Point Load (lbf)	Required Proof Load (lbf)	Pass/Fail
Outward	Top Rail Adjacent to Connection Concentrated Load	200	500	-	-	500	Pass
Direction	Test	Design Load (Inward/	Factored Load	Calculated Moment	Equivalent Quarter- Point Load	Required Proof Load	Pass/Fail

Direction

Test

Load (Inward/Outward) (kN)

Top Rail Adjacent to Connection Concentrated Load

Connection Concentrated Load

Calculated Moment (kNm)

Factored Load

Calculated Moment (kNm)

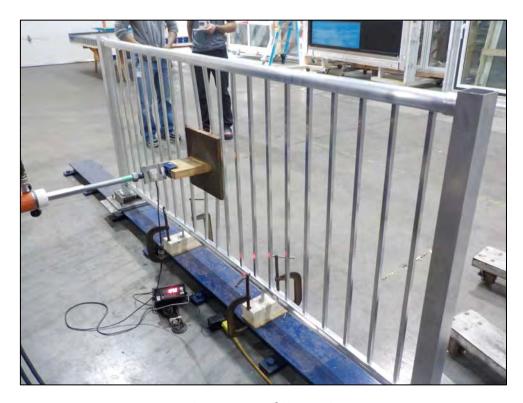
Required Proof Load (kN)

Pass/Fail

Ultimate Load: 534.1 lbs

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**APPENDIX B: PHOTOS (3 PAGES)** 



**Photo 1. In-fill Load Test** 



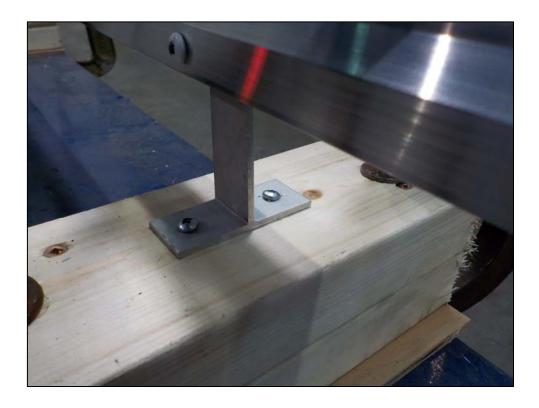
**Photo 2. Mid-Span Concentrated Load Test** 



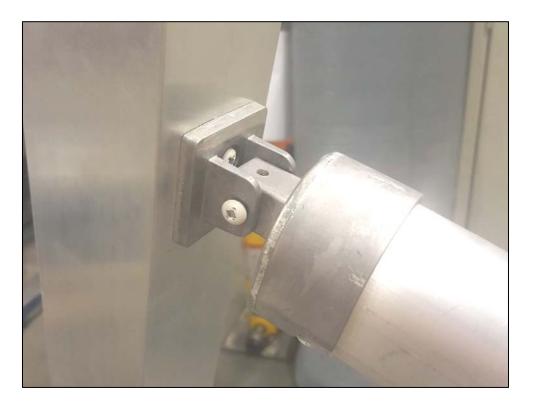
**Photo 3. Adjacent to Post Connection Concentrated Load Test** 



**Photo 4. Uniform Load Test** 



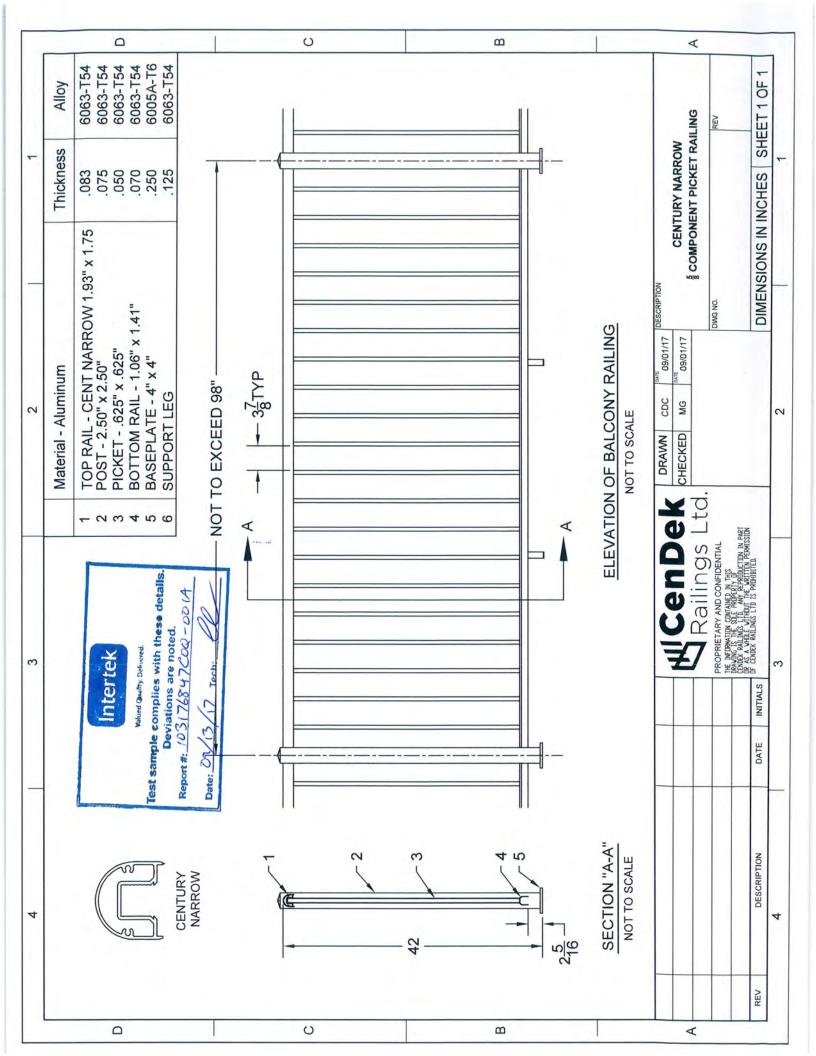
**Photo 5. Support Leg** 

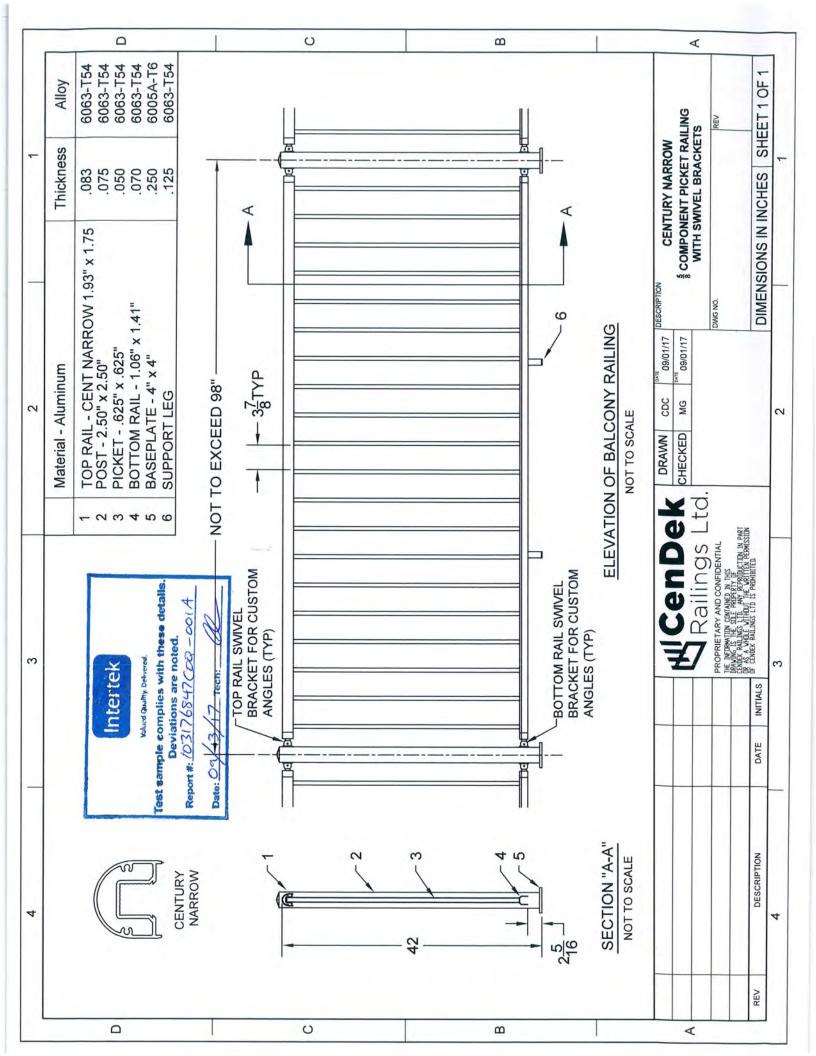


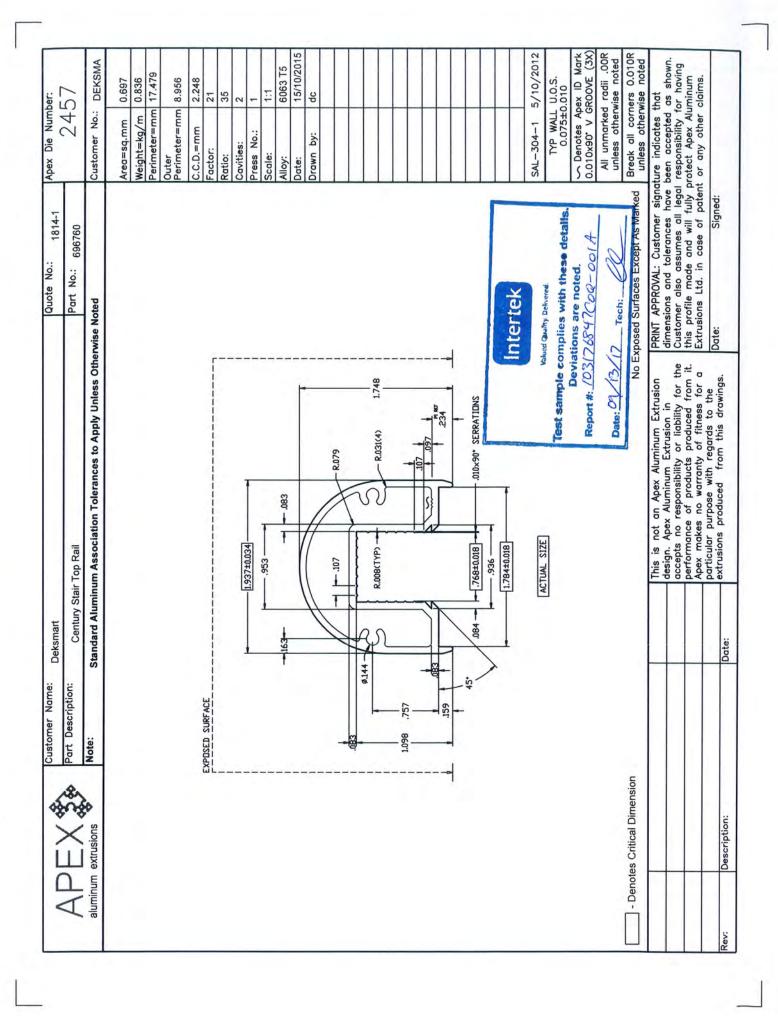
**Photo 6. Swivel Bracket** 

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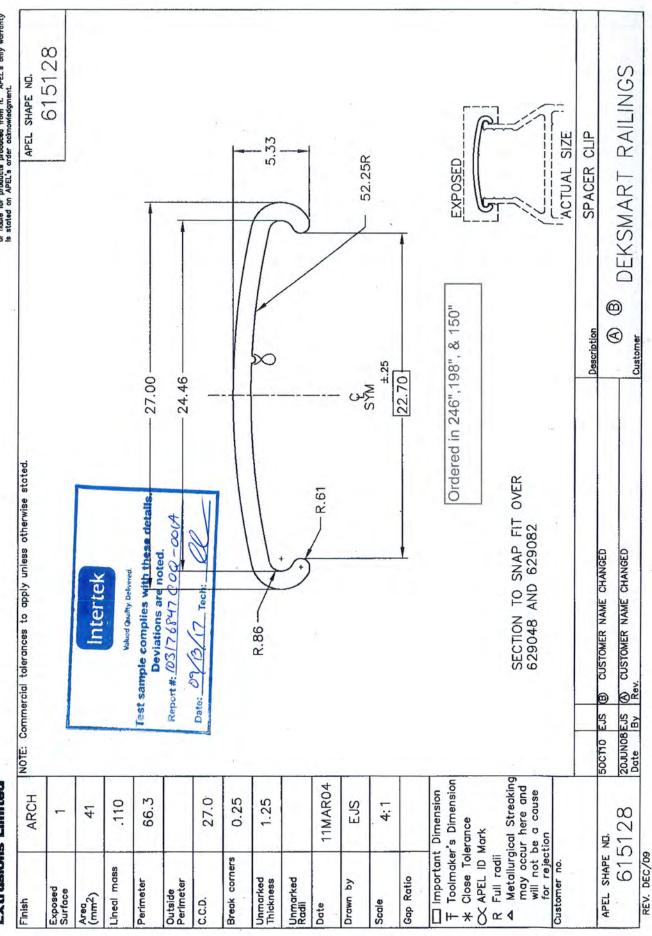
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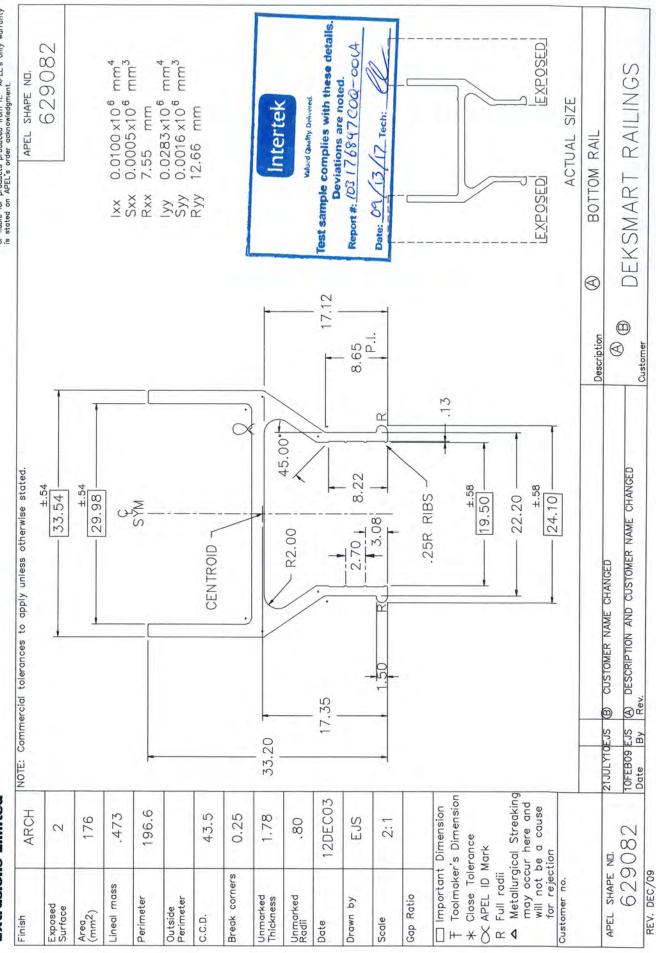
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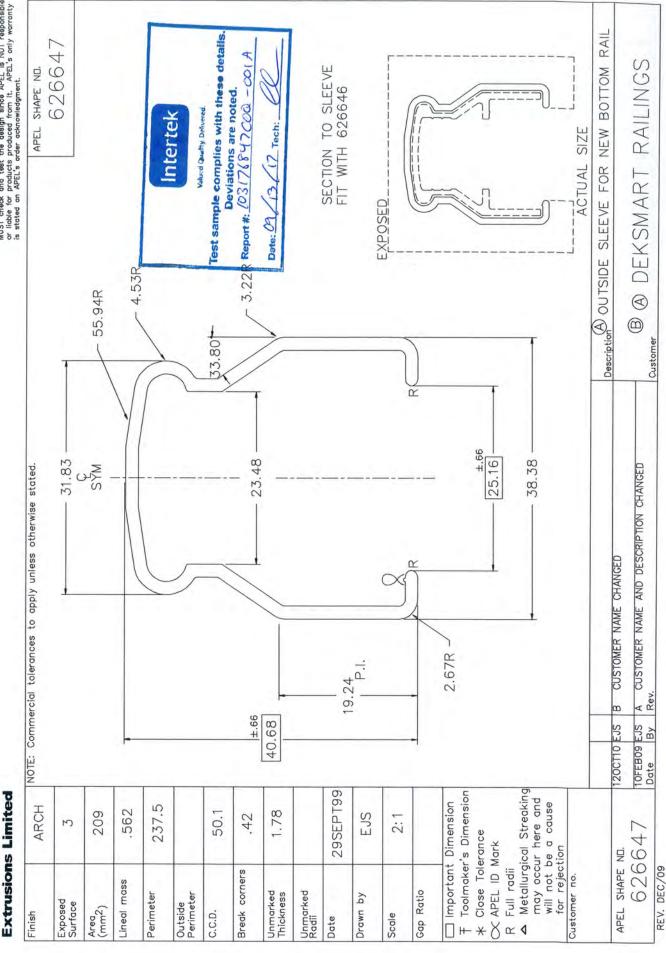
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