



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

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Norshield Security Products
3224 Mobile Highway
Montgomery, AL 36108

Attention: Mr. John Wood

Dear Mr. Wood:

Based upon your request, the Department of State (DOS) has conducted a technical review of the Norshield model SFW1510-P Single Fixed Window. This review is based on the tested GPS-15R-NOR-03 design. It has been determined that this design will meet the DOS certification criteria for 15-minute forced entry and ballistic resistance.

The model number SFW1510-P has been determined to meet the DOS certification criteria for 15-minute forced entry and ballistic resistance. Under the provisions of SD-STD-01.01, Revision G (Amended), *Certification Standard, Forced Entry and Ballistic Resistance of Structural Systems*, The SFW1510-P has been certified with a DOS code of 2123 and the DOS model number of GPS-15R-NOR-03[r]. Please refer to the DOS model number in all correspondence with the Department of State.

The GPS-15R-NOR-03[r] will be placed on the DOS list of certified equipment which is available for use by architects and planners. Please note that your product still has to compete with other bidding manufacturers who are certified with the same classification. We cannot guarantee that your product will be chosen by the architects that design the facilities.

Thank you for your interest and endeavors in protecting our personnel and facilities overseas.

Sincerely yours,

Charles D. Brandeis
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