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**Date:** January 1, 2007  
**To:** CertainTeed GlasRoc® Sheathing Customers  
**Subject:** Fastener Recommendations in GlasRoc® Sheathing Brochure

This is to advise that the fastener recommendations provided in the Architectural Specification on page 23 of the GlasRoc® Sheathing brochure have been revised to read as follows:

#### “2.3 ACCESSORY MATERIALS

A. Fasteners: Steel drill screw or nails, in lengths recommended by sheathing manufacturer for thickness of sheathing board to be attached, with organic-polymer or other corrosion-protective coating. For soffit applications with Direct-Applied Exterior Finish Systems (DEFS) and painted ceilings/soffits, fasteners having a salt spray resistance of more than 800 hours according to ASTM B 117 are recommended.”

The purpose of the revision is to delete the restrictive description of the corrosion-resistant performance for the fasteners in most applications. Standard corrosion-resistant fasteners are acceptable for attaching GlasRoc® Sheathing on wall applications. Ceiling and soffit applications under DEFS or skim coat/painted finishes may require additional fastener corrosion protection.

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