



**WDMA / AAMA / CSA JOINT TECHNICAL INTERPRETATION REQUEST**

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**PERTINENT JOINT WDMA/AAMA/CSA SPECIFICATION(S):**

101/I.S.2/A440-08

**SECTION(S) IN QUESTION:**

Table 27 Fixed Door (Product Type FD)  
Section 5.3.5 Forced entry resistance

**INTERPRETATION REQUESTED:**

The 101/I.S.2/A440-08 standard includes a discontinuity for forced entry resistance testing of non-operable hinged door products. Table 27 requires compliance with Section 5.3.5. Section 5.3.5 refers to the AAMA 1304 for forced entry resistance testing. The AAMA1304 is written for operable products only. Therefore, shall Non-operable door products be evaluated to ASTM F588?

**SUGGESTED INTERPRETATION:**

Yes. Fixed Doors (Product Type FD) fall within the “Type D” category defined in ASTM F588 and therefore shall be tested for FER accordingly.

**REVIEWED / APPROVED BY:**

COMMITTEE	COMMENTS / ACTION	STATUS	DATE
JDMG		Approved	10/4/2011
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