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ELEVATION CERTIFICATE

Important: Follow the instructions on pages 1-9:

Copy all pages of this Elevation Certificate and all attachments for (1) community official, (2) insurance agent/company, and (3) building owner.

	SEC	TION A - PROPERT	Y INFOR	MATION			FOR INSUI	RANCE COMPANY USE
A1. Building Owner's Name					Policy Num	ber:		
Dugan								,,,
A2. Building Stree Box No. 8704 Pennsylvania		cluding Apt., Unit, Sui	ite, and/o	ır Bldg. No.) (or P.O. R	oute and	Company N	IAIC Number:
City				State			ZIP Code	
Borough of Sto		-		New Je	•		08247	
A3. Property Desc Lots 52.02, 54.02,	ription (Lot a 56.02 and 58	and Block Numbers, T 3.02 in Block 87.02	ax Parce	Number, Le	gal Desc	ription, etc.)		
A4. Building Use (e.g., Resider	ntial, Non-Residential,	Addition	, Accessory,	etc.) F	Residential		
A5. Latitude/Longi	tude: Lat. 3	9°03'30.9"	Long7	74°45'11.5"		Horizontal Datu	m: NAD 1	1927 × NAD 1983
A6. Attach at leas	i 2 photograp	hs of the building if th	ne Certific	ate is being	used to o	btain flood insu	rance.	
A7. Building Diagr	am Number	8						
A8. For a building	with a crawls	space or enclosure(s):	:					
a) Square foo	tage of crawl	space or enclosure(s))		1209.00	sq ft		
b) Number of p	permanent flo	ood openings in the cr	rawlspace	e or enclosur	e(s) withi	n 1.0 foot above	e adjacent gra	ade 7
c) Total net ar	ea of flood o	penings in A8.b	1	1400.00 sq ii	n			
d) Engineered	l flood openir	ngs? ⊠Yes 🔲 i	No					
A9. For a building v	vith an attach	ned garage:						
a) Square foot	age of attach	ied garage		sq fi	t			
b) Number of p	permanent flo	ood openings in the at	ttached g	arage within	1.0 foot a	bove adjacent	grade	
c) Total net are	ea of flood or	penings in A9.b		so	ı in			
d) Engineered	flood openin	gs? Yes 1	 No					
		CTION B - FLOOD	INSURA	1		RM) INFORMA	ATION	
B1. NFIP Commun Borough of Stone I	•	•		B2. County Cape May (B3. State New Jersey
B4. Map/Panel Number	B5. Suffix	B6. FIRM Index Date	Effe	RM Panel ective/ vised Date	B8. Floo Zone(s)	od B9. I	Base Flood El Zone AO, use	levation(s) e Base Flood Depth)
34009C0242	F	10-05-2017	10-05-2		AE	8		
B10. Indicate the s	ource of the	Base Flood Elevation	(BFE) da	ata or base fl	ood deptr	n entered in Iter	n B9:	
☐ FIS Profile	; ⊠ FIRM	Community Deter	mined [☐ Other/Sou	rce:			
B11. Indicate eleva	ition datum u	sed for BFE in Item B	39: 🗌 NO	GVD 1929	⊠ NAVD) 1988 🔲 Of	ther/Source: _	
B12. Is the building	located in a	Coastal Barrier Resc	ources Sy	stem (CBRS) area or	Otherwise Prot	ected Area (C	PPA)? ☐ Yes ☒ No
Designation [<u></u>		☐ OPA			`	,
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City Borough of Stone Harbor		P Code 247	Company NAIC Number
SECTION C BUIL	DING ELEVATION INFORMA	TION (SURVEY RE	EQUIRED)
C1. Building elevations are based on:	Construction Drawings*	ilding Under Constru	ction* X Finished Construction
*A new Elevation Certificate will be require			
C2. Elevations – Zones A1–A30, AE, AH, A (v Complete Items C2.a–h below according Benchmark Utilized: NJTCM-Ref 0333	to the building diagram specified	BFE), AR, AR/A, AR/ I in Item A7. In Puert n: N.A.V.D 1988 GEC	o Rico only, enter meters.
Indicate elevation datum used for the elev	vations in items a) through h) bel	ow.	
☐ NGVD 1929 ⊠ NAVD 1988			
Datum used for building elevations must be	be the same as that used for the	BFE.	Check the measurement used.
a) Top of bottom floor (including baseme	nt, crawlspace, or enclosure floo	r)	7.6 🗵 feet 🗌 meters
b) Top of the next higher floor			12.2 🛛 feet 🗌 meters
c) Bottom of the lowest horizontal structu	ıral member (V Zones only)		N/A feet meters
d) Attached garage (top of slab)			N/A feet meters
 e) Lowest elevation of machinery or equi (Describe type of equipment and locat 	pment servicing the building ion in Comments)		11.4 🗵 feet 🗌 meters
f) Lowest adjacent (finished) grade next	to building (LAG)		7.6 X feet meters
g) Highest adjacent (finished) grade next	to building (HAG)		8.6 🛛 feet 🗌 meters
 h) Lowest adjacent grade at lowest eleva structural support 	ation of deck or stairs, including	Water to the state of the state	6.6 🛛 feet 🗌 meters
SECTION D - SU	RVEYOR, ENGINEER, OR AF	CHITECTCERTIF	CATION
This certification is to be signed and sealed by I certify that the information on this Certificate statement may be punishable by fine or impris	represents my best efforts to inte	ernret the data availa	law to certify elevation information. Ible. I understand that any false
Were latitude and longitude in Section A provi	_	? ⊠Yes □No	Check here if attachments.
Certifier's Name George Swensen	License Number GS43415		
Title			
Professional Land Surveyor			
Company Name The Martinelli Group LLC			
Address 1217 S.Shore Road Suite 106			**************************************
City Ocean View	State New Jersey	ZIP Code 08230	
Signature	Date 08-06-2021	Telephone (609) 390-9618	Ext.
Copy all pages of this Elevation Certificate and a	all attachments for (1) community	official, (2) insurance	agent/company, and (3) building owner.
Comments (including type of equipment and lot There are (7) Smart Vents Model #1540-510 lot Lowest machinery is the A/C units located on a CK by:GS(fjs)	ocated in the foundation of the bi	uilding.(See Attached Iding.	러).

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City Borough of Stone Harbor	State New Jersey	ZIP Code 08247	Company NAIC Number
SECTION E – BUILDING E FOR ZO		MATION (SURVEY NOT A (WITHOUT BFE)	REQUIRED)
For Zones AO and A (without BFE), complete Items complete Sections A, B,and C. For Items E1–E4, use enter meters.	E1–E5. If the Certific e natural grade, if ava	ate is intended to support a ailable. Check the measure	LOMA or LOMR-F request, ment used. In Puerto Rico only,
E1. Provide elevation information for the following at the highest adjacent grade (HAG) and the lowes a) Top of bottom floor (including basement,	nd check the appropr at adjacent grade (LA	riate boxes to show whethe .G).	r the elevation is above or below
crawlspace, or enclosure) is		feet meter	s 🗌 above or 🗌 below the HAG.
 b) Top of bottom floor (including basement, crawlspace, or enclosure) is 	···.	feet _ meter	s 🗌 above or 🗌 below the LAG.
E2. For Building Diagrams 6–9 with permanent flood	d openings provided i	n Section A Items 8 and/or	9 (see pages 1–2 of Instructions),
the next higher floor (elevation C2.b in the diagrams) of the building is			s above or below the HAG.
E3. Attached garage (top of slab) is	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	feet meter	s above or below the HAG.
E4. Top of platform of machinery and/or equipment servicing the building is			s above or below the HAG.
E5. Zone AO only: If no flood depth number is availa floodplain management ordinance? Yes			
SECTION F - PROPERTY OF	WNER (OR OWNER	'S REPRESENTATIVE) CE	RTIFICATION
The property owner or owner's authorized representation community-issued BFE) or Zone AO must sign here.	ative who completes The statements in S	Sections A, B, and E for Zo ections A, B, and E are cor	ne A (without a FEMA-issued or rect to the best of my knowledge.
Property Owner or Owner's Authorized Representative	ve's Name		
Address	Ci	ty Sta	ate ZIP Code
Signature	Da	ate Te	lephone
Comments			
			Check here if attachments.

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SI	ECTION G - COMMUNITY INF		NAL)	
The local official who is authorized by law Sections A, B, C (or E), and G of this Elevused in Items G8–G10. In Puerto Rico on	or ordinance to administer the			nplete ment
G1. X The information in Section C was engineer, or architect who is audited at a in the Comments area belowed.		tion that has been sigion information. (Indi	gned and sealed by a licensed survicate the source and date of the elec	eyor, vation
G2. A community official completed or Zone AO.	Section E for a building located	in Zone A (without	a FEMA-issued or community-issue	d BFE)
G3. The following information (Items	G4–G10) is provided for comr	nunity floodplain mar	nagement purposes.	
G4. Permit Number	G5. Date Permit Issued		G6. Date Certificate of	
20 - 324	10/19/20		Compliance/Occupancy Issue	:d
G7. This permit has been issued for:	New Construction St	ubstantial Improveme	ent	
G8. Elevation of as-built lowest floor (inclined of the building:	uding basement)	<u> </u>] feet ☐ meters Datum NAV) {{
G9. BFE or (in Zone AO) depth of flooding			[] feet ☐ meters Datum NAV	088
G10. Community's design flood elevation:	Higher of BFE	+2011	⊈feet ☐ meters Datum _\(\begin{align*} \text{\mathcal{N}} \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\) (T
Local Official's Name Paymond Poudre	Construction Of	itle Ficial /Flood	Plain Manager	
Community Name Stone Harbor	(609) 368	elephone	J	
Signature Mi	0/5/5	ate		
Comments (including type of equipment and	d location, per C2(e), if applical	ble)		
			Check here if attache	ments.

BUILDING PHOTOGRAPHS

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See Instructions for Item A6.

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If using the Elevation Certificate to obtain NFIP flood insurance, affix at least 2 building photographs below according to the instructions for Item A6. Identify all photographs with date taken; "Front View" and "Rear View"; and, if required, "Right Side View" and "Left Side View." When applicable, photographs must show the foundation with representative examples of the flood openings or vents, as indicated in Section A8. If submitting more photographs than will fit on this page, use the Continuation Page.

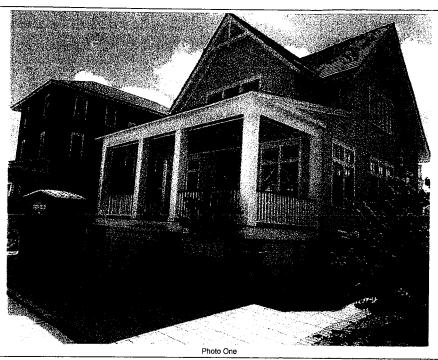


Photo One Caption Front View 8-5-21

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Photo Two Caption Rear View 8-5-21

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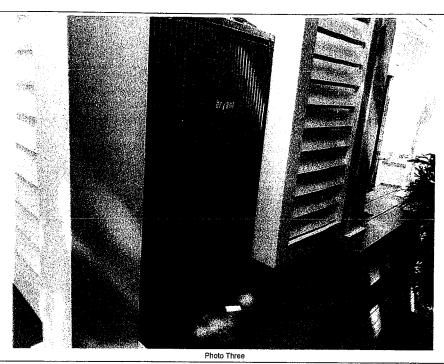


Photo Three Caption A/C Units 8-5-21

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Photo Four Caption Smart Vent 8-5-21

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Section: 08 95 43-Vents/Foundation Flood Vents

REPORT HOLDER:

SMART VENT PRODUCTS, INC.

EVALUATION SUBJECT:

SMART VENT® AUTOMATIC FOUNDATION FLOOD VENTS: MODELS #1540-520; #1540-521; #1540-510; #1540-511; #1540-570; #1540-574; #1540-524; #1540-514 FLOOD VENT SEALING K/T #1540-526

1.0 EVALUATION SCOPE

Compliance with the following codes:

- 2018, 2015, 2012, 2009 and 2006 International Building Code® (IBC)
- 2018, 2015, 2012, 2009 and 2006 International Residential Code® (IRC)
- 2018 International Energy Conservation Code® (IECC)
- 2013 Abu Dhabi International Building Code (ADIBC)†

[†]The ADIBC is based on the 2009 IBC. 2009 IBC code sections referenced in this report are the same sections in the ADIBC.

Properties evaluated:

- Physical operation
- Water flow

2.0 USES

The Smart Vent® units are engineered mechanically operated flood vents (FVs) employed to equalize hydrostatic pressure on walls of enclosures subject to rising or falling flood waters. Certain models also allow natural ventilation.

3.0 DESCRIPTION

3.1 General:

When subjected to rising water, the Smart Vent® FVs internal floats are activated, then pivot open to allow flow in either direction to equalize water level and hydrostatic pressure from one side of the foundation to the other. The FV pivoting door is normally held in the closed position by a buoyant release device. When subjected to rising water, the buoyant release device causes the unit to unlatch, allowing the door to rotate out of the way and allow flow. The water level stabilizes, equalizing the lateral forces.

Each unit is fabricated from stainless steel. Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents are available in various models and sizes as described in Table 1. The SmartVENT® Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT® Stacking Model #1540-521 units each contain two vertically arranged openings per unit.

3.2 Engineered Opening:

The FVs comply with the design principle noted in Section 2.7.2.2 and Section 2.7.3 of ASCE/SEI 24-14 [Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24-05 (2012, 2009, 2006 IBC and IRC)] for a maximum rate of rise and fall of 5.0 feet per hour (0.423 mm/s). In order to comply with the engineered opening requirement of ASCE/SEI 24, Smart Vent FVs must be installed in accordance with Section 4.0.

3.3 Ventilation:

The SmartVENT® Model #1540-510 and SmartVENT® Overhead Door Model #1540-514 both have screen covers with ¹/₄-inch-by-¹/₄-inch (6.35 by 6.35 mm) openings, yielding 51 square inches (32 903 mm²) of net free area to supply natural ventilation. The SmartVENT® Stacking Model #1540-511 consists of two Model #1540-510 units in one assembly, and provides 102 square inches (65 806 mm²) of net free area to supply natural ventilation. Other FVs recognized in this report do not offer natural ventilation.

3.4 Flood Vent Sealing Kit:

The Flood Vent Sealing Kit Model #1540-526 is used with SmartVENT® Model #1540-520. It is a Homasote 440 Sound Barrier® (ESR-1374) insert with 21 – 2-inch-by-2-inch (51 mm x 51 mm) squares cut in it. See Figure 4.

4.0 DESIGN AND INSTALLATION

4.1 SmartVENT® and FloodVENT®:

SmartVENT® and FloodVENT® are designed to be installed into walls or overhead doors of existing or new construction from the exterior side. Installation of the vents must be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, the applicable code and this report, Installation clips allow mounting in masonry and concrete walls of any thickness. In order to comply with the engineered opening design principle noted in Section 2.7.2.2 and 2.7.3 of ASCE/SEI 24-14 [Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24-05 (2012, 2009, 2006 IBC and IRC)], the Smart Vent® FVs must be installed as follows:

- With a minimum of two openings on different sides of each enclosed area.
- With a minimum of one FV for every 200 square



feet (18.6 m²) of enclosed area, except that the SmartVENT® Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT® Stacking Model #1540-521 must be installed with a minimum of one FV for every 400 square feet (37.2 m²) of enclosed area,

- Below the base flood elevation.
- With the bottom of the FV located a maximum of 12 inches (305.4 mm) above the higher of the final grade or floor and finished exterior grade immediately under each opening.

4.2 Flood Vent Sealing Kit

The Flood Vent Sealing Kit Model 1540-526 is used in conjunction with FloodVENT® Model #1540-520. When installed and tested in accordance with ASTM E283, the FV and Flood Vent Sealing Kit assembly have an air leakage rate of less than 0.2 cubic feet per minute per lineal foot (18.56 l/min per lineal meter) at a pressure differential of 1 pound per square foot (50 Pa) based on 12.58 lineal feet (3.8 lineal meters) contained by the Flood Vent Sealing Kit.

5.0 CONDITIONS OF USE

The Smart Vent® FVs described in this report comply with, or are suitable alternatives to what is specified in, those codes listed in Section 1.0 of this report, subject to the following conditions:

5.1 The Smart Vent[®] FVs must be installed in accordance with this report, the applicable code and the manufacturer's installation instructions. In the event of a conflict, the instructions in this report govern. 5.2 The Smart Vent® FVs must not be used in the place of "breakaway walls" in coastal high hazard areas, but are permitted for use in conjunction with breakaway walls in other areas.

6.0 EVIDENCE SUBMITTED

- **6.1** Data in accordance with the ICC-ES Acceptance Criteria for Mechanically Operated Flood Vents (AC364), dated August 2015 (editorially revised October 2017).
- 6.2 Test report on air infiltration in accordance with ASTM E283.

7.0 IDENTIFICATION

- 7.1 The Smart VENT® models and the Flood Vent Sealing Kit recognized in this report must be identified by a label bearing the manufacturer's name (Smartvent Products, Inc.), the model number, and the evaluation report number (ESR-2074).
- 7.2 The report holder's contact information is the following:

SMART VENT PRODUCTS, INC. 430 ANDBRO DRIVE, UNIT 1 PITMAN, NEW JERSEY 08071 (877) 441-8368 www.smartvent.com info@smartvent.com

TABL	E 1	-MC	DEL	. S	ZES	
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MODEL NAME	MODEL NUMBER	MODEL SIZE (in.)	COVERAGE (sq. ft.)
FloodVENT [®]	1540-520	15 ³ / ₄ " X 7 ³ / ₄ "	200
SmartVENT [®]	1540-510	15 ³ / ₄ " X 7 ³ / ₄ "	200
FloodVENT® Overhead Door	1540-524	15 ³ / ₄ " X 7 ³ / ₄ "	200
SmartVENT® Overhead Door	1540-514	15 ³ / ₄ " X 7 ³ / ₄ "	200
Wood Wall FloodVENT®	1540-570	14" X 8 ³ / ₄ "	200
Wood Wall FloodVENT® Overhead Door	1540-574	14" X 8 ³ / ₄ "	200
SmartVENT [®] Stacker	1540-511	16" X 16"	400
FloodVent [®] Stacker	1540-521	16" X 16"	400

For SI: 1 inch = 25.4 mm; 1 square foot = m2

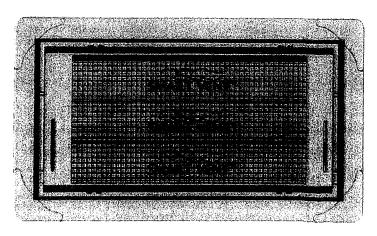


FIGURE 1-SMART VENT: MODEL 1540-510

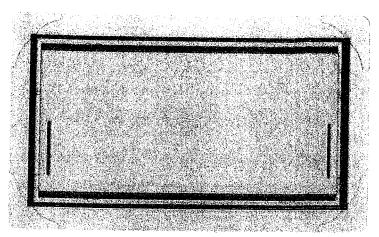


FIGURE 2—SMART VENT MODEL 1540-520

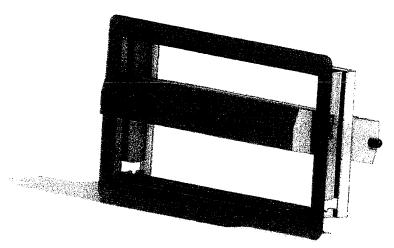


FIGURE 3—SMART VENT: SHOWN WITH FLOOD DOOR PIVOTED OPEN

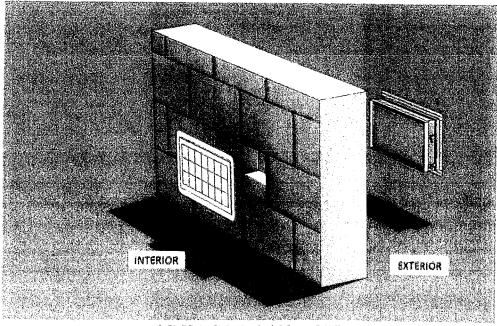


FIGURE 4-FLOOD VENT SEALING KIT



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1.0 REPORT PURPOSE AND SCOPE

Purpose:

The purpose of this evaluation report supplement is to indicate that Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, described in ICC-ES evaluation report ESR-2074, have also been evaluated for compliance with codes noted below.

Applicable code edition:

- 2016 California Building Code (CBC)
- 2016 California Residential Code (CRC)

2.0 CONCLUSIONS

2.1 CBC:

The Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, described in Sections 2.0 through 7.0 of the evaluation report ESR-2074, comply with 2016 CBC Chapter 12, provided the design and installation are in accordance with the 2015 International Building Code® (IBC) provisions noted in the evaluation report and the additional requirements of CBC Chapters 12, 16 and 16A, as applicable.

2.2 CRC:

The Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, described in Sections 2.0 through 7.0 of the evaluation report ESR-2074, comply with the 2016 CRC, provided the design and installation are in accordance with the 2015 International Residential Code® (IRC) provisions noted in the evaluation report.

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Applicable code editions:

- 2017 Florida Building Code—Building
- 2017 Florida Building Code—Residential

2.0 CONCLUSIONS

The Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, described in Sections 2.0 through 7.0 of the evaluation report ESR-2074, comply with the Florida Building Code—Building and the FRC, provided the design and installation are in accordance with the 2015 International Building Code® provisions noted in the evaluation report.

Use of the Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents has also been found to be in compliance with the High-Velocity Hurricane Zone provisions of the Florida Building Code—Building and the Florida Building Code—Residential .

For products falling under Florida Rule 9N-3, verification that the report holder's quality assurance program is audited by a quality assurance entity approved by the Florida Building Commission for the type of inspections being conducted is the responsibility of an approved validation entity (or the code official when the report holder does not possess an approval by the Commission).

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Building Diagrams

DIAGRAM 7

All buildings elevated on full-story foundation walls with a partially or fully enclosed area below the elevated floor. This includes walkout levels, where at least 1 side is at or above grade. The principal use of this building is located in the elevated floors of the building.

Distinguishing Feature – For all zones, the area below the elevated floor is enclosed, either partially or fully. In A Zones, the partially or fully enclosed area below the elevated floor is with or without openings** present in the walls of the enclosure. Indicate information about enclosure size and openings in Section A – Property Information.

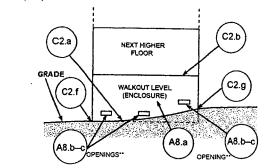


DIAGRAM 8

All buildings elevated on a crawlspace with the floor of the crawlspace at or above grade on at least 1 side, with or without an attached garage.

Distinguishing Feature – For all zones, the area below the first floor is enclosed by solid or partial perimeter walls. In all A zones, the crawlspace is with or without openings** present in the walls of the crawlspace. Indicate information about crawlspace size and openings in Section A – Property Information.

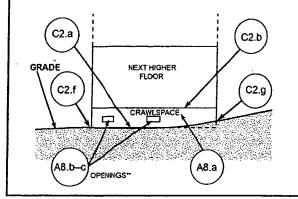
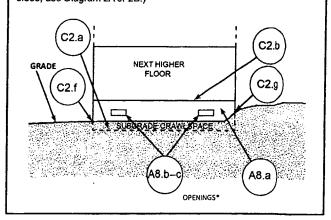


DIAGRAM 9

All buildings (other than split-level) elevated on a subgrade crawlspace, with or without attached garage.

Distinguishing Feature – The bottom (crawlspace) floor is below ground level (grade) on all sides.* (If the distance from the crawlspace floor to the top of the next higher floor is more than 5 feet, or the crawlspace floor is more than 2 feet below the grade [LAG] on all sides, use Diagram 2A or 2B.)



- A floor that is below ground level (grade) on all sides is considered a basement even if the floor is used for living purposes, or as an office, garage, workshop, etc.
- ** An "opening" is a permanent opening that allows for the free passage of water automatically in both directions without human intervention. Under the NFIP, a minimum of 2 openings is required for enclosures or crawlspaces. The openings shall provide a total net area of not less than 1 square inch for every square foot of area enclosed, excluding any bars, louvers, or other covers of the opening. Alternatively, an Individual Engineered Flood Openings Certification or an Evaluation Report issued by the International Code Council Evaluation Service (ICC ES) must be submitted to document that the design of the openings will allow for the automatic equalization of hydrostatic flood forces on exterior walls. A window, a door, or a garage door is not considered an opening; openings may be installed in doors. Openings shall be on at least 2 sides of the enclosed area. If a building has more than 1 enclosed area, each area must have openings to allow floodwater to directly enter. The bottom of the openings must be no higher than 1.0 foot above the higher of the exterior or interior grade or floor immediately below the opening. For more guidance on openings, see NFIP Technical Bulletin 1.

