

Ruling of the Minister

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**RULING NUMBER: 16-07-337 (13675-R)****Minister's Ruling Application Number:****MR 2018-16****Ruling Issued:****June 6, 2006****Revised Ruling:****December 19, 2022** *address change only**Master Format:****31 62 16.01**

This Minister's Ruling corresponds with the Canadian Construction Materials Centre Evaluation Report No. CCMC 13675-R issued on July 10, 2014 and revised May 15, 2018.

Pursuant to clause 29(1)(a) of the *Building Code Act, 1992*, the Director of the Building and Development Branch, may, subject to conditions, make rulings, approving the use of innovative materials, systems or building designs evaluated by a materials evaluation body designated in the Building Code.

Pursuant to subsection 2(2) of the Act and clause 77(c) of the *Legislation Act, 2006*, Brenda Lewis, Director of the Building Services Transformation Branch, has been appointed the deputy of the Director of the Building and Development Branch with the same powers as the Director of the Building and Development Branch.

As delegate of the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing (the "Minister"), I hereby approve the use of **HELICAL PILE** subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. MANUFACTURER

GoliathTech Inc.
477 Poirier Boulevard
Magog, QC, Canada
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Telephone: 819 847-4777
Web: www.goliathtechpiles.com

2. MANUFACTURING FACILITIES

Magog, QC, Canada

3. SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

- a. The use of **HELICAL PILE** is approved for use as an auger-installed steel pile foundation system in respect of the requirements of Clause 4.2.3.8.(1)(e), Sentence 4.2.3.10.(1), Sentence 4.2.4.1.(1) and Subclause 9.4.1.1.(1)(c)(i) of Division B of Ontario's 2012 Building Code, Ontario Regulation 332/12 (the "Building Code");

- b. **HELICAL PILE** shall comply with the *Building Code Act, 1992*; and except as specifically provided otherwise in this Ruling, with the Building Code;
- c. A copy of this Ruling and the Canadian Construction Materials Centre Evaluation Report No. 13675-R issued on July 10, 2014 and revised May 15, 2018 shall be submitted in connection with each application for a building permit;
- d. The use of **HELICAL PILE** must be in accordance with the CCMC Evaluation Report; the references in that report to the model National Building Code of Canada, 2015, including those listed in column 1 below, shall be deemed references to the Building Code listed in column 2 below, as described in the following table;

model National 2015 Building Code References	Ontario's 2012 Building Code References
Division A, Clause 1.2.1.1.(1)(b)	Division A, Clause 1.2.1.1.(1)(b)
Division B, Clause 4.2.3.8.(1)(e)	Division B, Clause 4.2.3.8.(1)(e)
Division B, Sentence 4.2.3.10.(1)	Division B, Sentence 4.2.3.10.(1)
Division B, Sentence 4.2.4.1.(1)	Division B, Sentence 4.2.4.1.(1)
Division B, Subclause 9.4.1.1.(1)(c)(i)	Division B, Subclause 9.4.1.1.(1)(c)(i)
column 1	column 2


- e. The engineering certificate referenced in Section 3 of CCMC Evaluation Report 13675-R shall be submitted to the owner and the Principal Authority;
- f. The reference to a competent person in Sentence 4.2.4.1.(1) of Division B of the Building Code shall be replaced with Professional Engineer for the purpose of this Ruling;
- g. A copy of this ruling shall be attached to the application for a building permit; and
- h. This Ruling is valid only for products manufactured at the facilities outlined in Section 2 (Manufacturing Facilities) of this Ruling.

4. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- (a) The Manufacturer specified in Section 1 shall notify the Ministry without delay of any change made to the CCMC Evaluation Report. A change to the CCMC Evaluation Report includes the CCMC Evaluation Report having expired or having been revised, re-evaluated, amended, rendered void, or withdrawn.
- (b) The Minister or his/her delegate may amend or revoke this Ruling if:
 - (i) the Manufacturer specified in Section 1 fails to notify the Ministry of any change made to the CCMC Evaluation Report, as required by Section 4(a);
 - (ii) the Evaluation Report is revised, re-evaluated or amended by the CCMC;

- (iii) the Evaluation Report expires;
- (iv) the Evaluation Report is rendered void;
- (v) the Evaluation Report is withdrawn;
- (vi) the Minister or his/her delegate determines that the use of the material, system or building design authorized by this Ruling:
 - 1) will not comply with the *Building Code Act, 1992*, or any relevant law as they may be amended or re-enacted from time to time;
 - 2) provides an unsatisfactory level of performance, in situ; or
 - 3) may pose a danger to health or safety; or
- (vii) any provision of the Building Code relevant to this Ruling is amended or remade.

Dated at Toronto this December 19, 2022



Mansoor Mahmood
Director, Building and Development Branch

The official version of this Ruling of the Minister of Municipal Affairs is the signed original in the Ministry's file. In the event of a question about content, the original in the office file takes precedence.