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# **6DDWRDC WIND-DRIVEN RAIN RESISTANT STATIONARY LOUVER**

MIAMI-DADE APPROVED

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE NUMBER: 17-1221.28 (Expires 08/25/21)

### STANDARD CONSTRUCTION

#### LOUVER FRAME

6" (152) deep, 6063T6 extruded aluminum with .095" (2.4) nominal wall thickness.

#### LOUVER BLADES

6063T6 extruded aluminum .062" (1.6) nominal wall thickness. Blades are positioned vertically.

#### **BIRD SCREEN**

 $1/2"\ x$  .063" (13 x 1.6) square mesh aluminum bird screen in removable frame. Screen adds approximately 1/2" (13) to louver depth.

#### FINISH

Mill.

MINIMUM SIZE

12"w x 12"h (305 x 305).

APPROXIMATE SHIPPING WEIGHT 14 lbs. per sq. ft. (68.4 kg/m<sup>2</sup>)

MAXIMUM SHIPPING SECTION SIZE 48"w x 120"h (1219 x 3048).

MAXIMUM OVERALL ASSEMBLY SIZE Unlimited width x 120"h (3048) with or without damper. Overall assembly consists of individual sections combined in the field (combination of sections in the field not by Reliable).

#### INSTALLATION

Reliable's 6DDWRDC utilizes a continuous angle installation method and must be installed per the appropriate Installation Detail. Reference the appropriate separate Installation Instruction Sheets.

Consult Reliable for additional information.

# 6DDWRDC meets the requirements for the following:

- AMCA540 and AMCA 550 Listed
- Miami-Dade NOA Approval 17-1221.28
- TAS-100A Wind Driven Rain Test
- AMCA 500-L Tested





Installation Angle Detail

Please reference our website www.reliable.com for up to date LEED® information. FEATURES

- The 6DDWRDC passes the Miami-Dade TAS-100A Wind Driven Rain Test without a damper and sloped duct.
- The 6DDWRDC Louver is approved for use in open structures without provisions to manage weather infiltration (dry rooms).
- Exceptional windload integrity of ±150 PSF (±7.18 KPa).
- 38% Free Area.
- Published free area and pressure drop performance ratings based on testing in accordance with AMCA Publication 500-L.

### VARIATIONS

- Filter racks.
- · A variety of bird and insect screens.
- Selection of finishes: prime coat, 50% PVDF (modified fluoropolymer), epoxy, Pearledize, 70% PVDF clear and color anodize. (Some variation in anodize color consistency is possible.)

Consult Reliable for other special requirements.

\*Please provide Rough Opening Dimensions for "A" and "B" dimensions. Unless ordered as actual size, the louver will be provided 1/2" (12) smaller than the "A" and "B" dimensions provided.



Reliable certifies that the 6DDWRDC shown herein is approved to bear the AMCA Listing Label. The ratings shown are based on tests and procedures performed in accordance with AMCA Publications and comply with the requirements of the AMCA Listing Label Program.

The AMCA Listing Label applies to Wind Borne Debris Impact Resistant Louvers.

The AMCA Listing Label applies to High Velocity Rain Resistant Louver Louvers.

Dimensions in inches, parenthesis ( ) indicate millimeters.

| TAG            | QTY. | SIZE    |         | VARIATIONS |  |  |
|----------------|------|---------|---------|------------|--|--|
|                |      | A*-WIDE | B*-HIGH |            |  |  |
|                |      |         |         |            |  |  |
|                |      |         |         |            |  |  |
|                |      |         |         |            |  |  |
|                |      |         |         |            |  |  |
|                |      |         |         |            |  |  |
| PROJECT        |      |         |         | LOCATION   |  |  |
| ARCH./ENGR.    |      |         |         | CONTRACTOR |  |  |
| REPRESENTATIVE |      |         |         | DATE       |  |  |

## SUGGESTED SPECIFICATION

Furnish and install louvers as hereinafter specified where shown on plans or as described in schedules. Louvers shall possess stationary vertical blades designed to prevent the penetration of wind driven rain. Louver blades shall be contained within a 6" (152) frame. Extended sill shall be provided to capture and drain water to exterior of building. Louver components (heads, jambs, sill and blades) shall be factory assembled by the louver manufacturer. Louver sizes too large for shipping shall be built up by the contractor from factory assembled louver sections to provide overall sizes required. Louver design shall incorporate visible mullions on units larger than 48" x 120" (1219 x 3048).

Louvers shall be Reliable Model 6DDWRDC extruded 6063T6 aluminum alloy construction as follows:

#### MATERIAL

| Frame:         | .095" (2.4) wall thickness, caulking surfaces provided.                             |
|----------------|---|
| Blades:        | .062" (1.6) nominal wall thickness, Blades are mounted vertically.                  |
| Extended Sill: | .063" (2.1) wall thickness with upturned side panels to prevent water leakage.      |
| Screen:        | $^{1/2^{\prime\prime}}$ x .040" (13 x 1.6) aluminum bird screen in removable frame. |
| Finish:        | Select finish specification from Reliable Finishes Brochure.                        |

#### STRUCTURAL DESIGN

Integral structural supports shall be designed and furnished by the louver manufacturer to carry a wind load of not less than  $\pm 150$  psf (7.18 kPa).

### PERFORMANCE DATA

### WATER PENETRATION

Test size 48" x 48" (1219 x 1219) Beginning point of water penetration at .01 oz./ft<sup>2</sup> is above 1250 fpm (6.4 m/s).





Reliable Company certifies that the louver shown herein is licensed to bear the AMCA Seal. The ratings shown are based on tests and procedures performed in accordance with AMCA Publication 511 and comply with the requirements of the AMCA Certified Ratings Program. The AMCA Certified Ratings Seal applies to air performance ratings, water penetration ratings and wind driven rain ratings only.



PRESSURE DROP

Air Velocity in fpm (m/s) through Free Area (Data corrected to standard air density)

Ratings do not include the effect of a bird screen.

### **FREE AREA GUIDE**

Free Area Guide shows free area in ft<sup>2</sup> and m<sup>2</sup> for various sizes of EME6325D.

|   |      | 10                  | 40   | 0.4  |       |       | 40    | 40    |
|---|------|---------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|   |      | 12                  | 18   | 24   | 30    | 36    | 42    | 48    |
| 1 | 40   | 0.30                | 0.46 | 0.01 | 0.76  | 0.91  | 1.07  | 1.22  |
|   | 12   | 0.08                | 0.14 | 0.21 | 0.27  | 0.34  | 0.40  | 0.47  |
|   | 0.30 | 0.01                | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.03  | 0.03  | 0.04  | 0.04  |
|   | 0.46 | 0.25                | 0.45 | 0.05 | 0.04  | 0.10  | 0.12  | 0.12  |
|   | 0.40 | 0.02                | 0.04 | 0.00 | 0.00  | 0.10  | 0.12  | 0.13  |
|   | 24   | 0.42                | 0.75 | 0.10 | 0.12  | 0.16  | 2.00  | 2.41  |
|   | 20   | 0.04                | 1.05 | 1.52 | 1.00  | 2.45  | 2.02  | 2 20  |
|   | 0.76 | 0.05                | 0.10 | 0.14 | 0.18  | 0.23  | 0.27  | 0.32  |
|   | 36   | 0.00                | 1 35 | 1 96 | 2.56  | 3.16  | 3.76  | 4 36  |
|   | 0.91 | 0.07                | 0.13 | 0.18 | 0.24  | 0.29  | 0.35  | 0.41  |
|   | 42   | 0.92                | 1.66 | 2.39 | 3.13  | 3.86  | 4.60  | 5.34  |
|   | 1.07 | 0.09                | 0.15 | 0.22 | 0.29  | 0.36  | 0.43  | 0.50  |
|   | 48   | 1.09                | 1.96 | 2.83 | 3.70  | 4.57  | 5.44  | 6.31  |
|   | 1.22 | 0.10                | 0.18 | 0.26 | 0.34  | 0.42  | 0.51  | 0.59  |
|   | 54   | 1.26                | 2.26 | 3.27 | 4.27  | 5.27  | 6.28  | 7.28  |
|   | 1.37 | 0.12                | 0.21 | 0.30 | 0.40  | 0.49  | 0.58  | 0.68  |
|   | 60   | 1.42                | 2.56 | 3.70 | 4.84  | 5.98  | 7.12  | 8.26  |
|   | 1.52 | 0.13                | 0.24 | 0.34 | 0.45  | 0.56  | 0.66  | 0.77  |
|   | 66   | 1.50                | 2.71 | 3.91 | 5.11  | 6.31  | 7.52  | 8.72  |
|   | 1.68 | 0.14                | 0.25 | 0.36 | 0.48  | 0.59  | 0.70  | 0.81  |
|   | 72   | 1.67                | 3.01 | 4.35 | 5.68  | 7.02  | 8.36  | 9.69  |
|   | 1.83 | 0.16                | 0.28 | 0.40 | 0.53  | 0.65  | 0.78  | 0.90  |
|   | 78   | 1.84                | 3.31 | 4.78 | 6.25  | 7.72  | 9.20  | 10.67 |
|   | 1.98 | 0.17                | 0.31 | 0.44 | 0.58  | 0.72  | 0.86  | 0.99  |
|   | 84   | 2.01                | 3.61 | 5.22 | 6.82  | 8.43  | 10.04 | 11.64 |
|   | 2.13 | 0.19                | 0.34 | 0.49 | 0.63  | 0.78  | 0.93  | 1.08  |
|   | 90   | 2.17                | 3.91 | 5.65 | 7.39  | 9.13  | 10.87 | 12.61 |
|   | 2.29 | 0.20                | 0.30 | 0.55 | 0.09  | 0.00  | 1.01  | 1.17  |
|   | 2 11 | <b>∠.34</b><br>0.22 | 4.22 | 0.09 | 0.74  | 9.04  | 1.09  | 1 26  |
|   | 102  | 2.51                | 4.52 | 6.53 | 8.54  | 10.52 | 12 55 | 14.56 |
|   | 2 59 | 0.23                | 0.42 | 0.55 | 0.79  | 0.98  | 1 17  | 1 35  |
|   | 108  | 2.68                | 4.82 | 6.96 | 9.11  | 11 25 | 13 39 | 15.54 |
|   | 2.74 | 0.25                | 0.45 | 0.65 | 0.85  | 1.05  | 1.25  | 1.44  |
|   | 114  | 2.85                | 5.12 | 7.40 | 9.68  | 11.96 | 14.23 | 16.51 |
|   | 2.90 | 0.26                | 0.48 | 0.69 | 0.90  | 1.11  | 1.32  | 1.54  |
|   | 120  | 3.01                | 5.43 | 7.84 | 10.25 | 12.66 | 15.07 | 17.48 |
|   | 3.05 | 0.28                | 0.50 | 0.73 | 0.95  | 1.18  | 1.40  | 1.63  |

Width - Inches and Meters

Height – Inches and Meters

### WIND-DRIVEN RAIN PERFORMANCE – AMCA 500-L WIND-DRIVEN RAIN TEST

| Wind Velocity<br>mph (kph) | Rain Fall<br>Rate In./hr.<br>(mm/hr.) | Core Velocity <sub>1</sub><br>fpm (m/s) | Airflow cfm<br>(m³/min) | Free Area<br>Velocity <sub>2</sub><br>fpm (m/sec.) | Effectiveness<br>Ratio | Class <sub>3, 4</sub> | Discharge<br>Loss Class <sub>5</sub><br>Intake |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-------------------------|--|------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 29 (46.4)                  | 3 (76)                                | 986 (5.0)                               | 10,615 (300)            | 2263 (11.5)  | 99.9%                  | A                     | 3  |
| 50 (80.5)                  | 8 (203)                               | 988 (5.0)                               | 10,641 (301)            | 2269 (11.5)  | 99.9%                  | А                     | 3  |

Test size is 1m x 1m (39" x 39") core area, 1.08m x 1.10m (421/2" x 435/16") nominal. Free Area of test louver is 4.69 ft<sup>2</sup> (.44m<sup>2</sup>).

#### NOTES

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1. Core area is the open area of the louver face (face area less louver frames).

Core Velocity is the airflow velocity through the Core Area of the louver (1m x 1m). 5 m/s is the maximum core velocity utilized in this test.

2. Free Area of test size is calculated per AMCA standard 500-L.

| Wind Driven Rain Penetration Classes: |               |       |               |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|-------|---------------|--|--|--|--|
| Class                                 | Effectiveness | Class | Effectiveness |  |  |  |  |
| A                                     | 1 to .99      | В     | 0.989 to 0.95 |  |  |  |  |
| С                                     | 0.949 to 0.80 | D     | Below 0.8     |  |  |  |  |

5 Discharge Loss Coefficient is calculated by dividing a louvers' actual airflow rate vs. a theoretical airflow for the opening. It provides an indication of the louvers' airflow characteristics. **Discharge Loss Coefficient** Class

- 1 0.4 and above
- 2 0.3 to 0.399
- 3 0.2 to 0.299
- 4 0.199 and below

(The higher the coefficient, the less resistance to airflow.)

The AMCA Wind Driven Rain Test is performed in a laboratory environment and incorporates controlled wind, water and system airflow effects. In actual field installations, storms may create conditions not considered by the AMCA test. Penthouse and similar applications where wind can pass through multiple louvers in an enclosure is another condition that is not simulated by AMCA tests. These applications can create elevated water penetration rates through any louver. Because of these uncontrolled situations, it is recommended that provisions to manage water penetration through louvers be included in the building design.

### 6DDWRDC CONSTRUCTION INFORMATION



#### **General Notes:**

- 1. Reference separate Installation Instruction sheets (with and without optional damper) for installation details. The installation methods indicated must be complied with for Miami-Dade Approval. It is the responsibility of the installing contractor to properly install the louvers per the appropriate detail.
- 2. On special orders, Reliable may provide submittal and/or shop drawings. Reference these drawings for additional installation information.
- 3. Louvers wider than the maximum single section width will be shipped in multiple sections and will require field assembly. Field assembly is not by Reliable.
- 4. Installation channels are shipped loose.

<sup>4.</sup> The 6DDWRDC provides class A performance at all velocities up to and including 5 m/s core velocity.

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| APPROVED ATTACHMENTS   |   |                     |                             |                      |                       |           |  |  |  |
|--|---|---------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|--|--|--|
| STRUCTURE  | CONNECTION<br>TYPE  | ANGLE SLOT<br>WIDTH | SPACING                     | MINIMUM<br>EMBEDMENT | MINIMUM<br>EDGE DIST. | END DIST. |  |  |  |
| (12 GA MIN.)<br>STEEL FRAMING  | <sup>1</sup> /4" Ø A307 BOLT<br>OR<br><sup>1</sup> /4" - 14 GRADE 2 SDS | <sup>5</sup> /16"   | 3 <sup>1</sup> /2" MAX. C-C | N/A                  | 1/2"                  | 21/2"     |  |  |  |
| (4" MIN.) CONCRETE<br>(4000 PSI MIN.)  | <sup>3</sup> /8" Ø HILTI KB TZ<br>ANCHOR                                | <sup>7</sup> /16"   | 6" MAX. C-C                 | 2"                   | 3"                    | 3"        |  |  |  |
| GROUT FILLED CMU   | <sup>3</sup> /8" Ø HILTI KB III<br>ANCHOR                               | <sup>7</sup> /16"   | 8" MAX. C-C                 | 21/2"                | 4"                    | 4" MIN.   |  |  |  |
| (2 - 2 X 10)<br>WOOD FRAMING<br>(MIN. S.G.=0.55)   | <sup>1</sup> /2" Ø X 3" A307<br>LAG SCREW                               | <sup>9</sup> /16"   | 4" MAX. C-C                 | 3"                   | 21/2"                 | 21/2"     |  |  |  |
| NOTE: ALL FASTENERS MUST BE INSTALLED PER THE MANUFACTURER'S MIAMI-DADE COUNTY APPROVED INSTRUCTIONS |   |                     |                             |                      |                       |           |  |  |  |

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