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Mr. Vincent E. Sagan
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Re: Request for Interpretation of ANSI/SDI RD-2010

Dear Mr. Sagan,

Your request for interpretation was of the ANSI/SDI RD-2010 Standard was processed in accordance with the provisions of Section 7 of the *SDI Procedures for ANSI-Approved Standards for Steel Deck*. The following interpretation is provided:

QUESTION: Is the scope statement in Section 1.1.A intended to include exterior structural or non-structural steel roof panels such as screwed down or standing seam panels which are intended to provide a weather resistant barrier?

RESPONSE: No.

EXPLANATION: The scope of this Standard is limited to steel roof deck that is covered by overlying roofing materials. Metal roofing panels which act as a weather resisting surface, such as found on metal building systems or similar applications are outside the scope of this Standard.

If you disagree with this decision, you have the right to appeal this decision in accordance with the *SDI Procedures for ANSI-Approved Standards for Steel Deck*

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. C. Paul", is written over a white background.

Robert C. Paul, P.E.
Managing Director

cc: Tom Sputo, SDI Technical Director