





# **TEST REPORT No. 368248**

Customer **BAROS VISION Ltd** Ulitsa Vladaya, 7 - 4000 PLOVDIV - Bulgaria

Item\*

# railing named "RAILING SYSTEM BV 6500 TOP MOUNTING"

Activity

resistance to outward horizontal static loading and resistance to dynamic impact with a 50 kg soft body in accordance with standards NF P01-013:1988 and NF P08-301:1991

Results

Test	Result	
outward horizontal		
static loading	compliant	
for use public (1,0 kN/m)		
dynamic impact		
with 50 kg soft body	compliant	

(\*) according to that stated by the customer.

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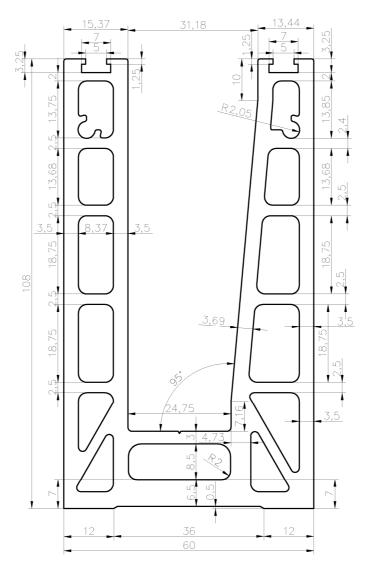
## **Description of item\***

The item under examination consists of laminated tempered glass railing with aluminium structure, having the following characteristics:

Overall width	1000 mm	
Overall height from floor	1150 mm	
Glass type	laminated glass 10.10.4 (tempered + PVB +tempered)	
Dimensions of glass	1000 mm × 1100 mm	
Nominal thickness of glass	21,52 mm	
Nominal section of aluminium profile	60 mm × 108 mm	

Further details of item specifications can be seen in customer-supplied schematic drawing shown below.

## **CROSS SECTION OF ALUMINIUM PROFILE SUPPLIED BY THE CUSTOMER**



(\*) according to that stated by the customer; Istituto Giordano declines all responsibility for the information and data provided by the customer that may influence the results.







Photograph of the item

# Normative references

Document	Title
NF P01-013:1988	Essais des garde-corps. Méthodes et critères (Railing tests. Methods and criteria)
	Ouvrages verticaux des constructions - Essais de résistance aux chocs - Corps de chocs - Principe et modalités générales des essais de choc (Vertical building elements - Impact resistance tests - Impact bodies - Impact test principle and general methods")

# **Apparatus**

# Resistance to outward horizontal static loading

Description	In-house identification code
Steel frame simulating actual installation of the item on the floor	EDI048
No. 3 Gefran digital displacement transducers "PZ-34-S150", range of measurement 0 $\div$ 150 mm	FT451/1, FT451/2 and FT451/3
Mitutoyo IDF Digimatic Indicator	//
AEP Transducers load cell "TS", range of measurement 0 ÷ 1 kN	EDI107
Würth telescopic measuring rod "mEssfix", range of measurement $0 \div 5000$ mm and resolution 0,1 mm	ED1083
La Crosse Technology digital thermo-hygrometer "WS8009"	EDI111





## Resistance to dynamic impact

Description	In-house identification code
Steel frame simulating actual installation of the item on the floor	EDI048
Soft body consisting of spheroconical bag, diameter 0,40 m and height 0,60 m, filled with hardened glass beads, diameter 3 mm, until reaching a total mass of 50 kg and suspended by an inextensible cable of negligible mass so that when hanging at rest it makes contact with the item at the desired point of impact	EDI062

# **Method**

Test was carried out using detailed internal procedure PP083 in its current revision at testing date. The item, secured to the floor, was subjected to the following test.

# Resistance to outward horizontal static loading

With just underside secured to the floor, the item was subjected to a load distributed uniformly over three points on the handrail in accordance with figure 2 "Garde-corps sans potelets, ancrés au niveau de l'appui" (*"Railings without posts anchored at the base"*) of standard NF P01-013:1988:

- preload of 0,7 kN applied gradually until reaching the present value and maintained for 3 min;
- removal of load and resetting of gauge;
- horizontal static load of 1,3 kN (1 kN/m) applied gradually until reaching the present value and maintained for 60 s, following which deflection whilst loaded was measured;
- removal of load and recording of permanent deflection after 3 min;
- horizontal static safety load of 2,21 kN with coefficient of 1,7 for aluminium, applied and maintained for 5 min, following which deflection whilst loaded was measured;
- removal of safety load and recording of permanent deflection after 3 min and verification of permissible permanent deflection following removal of safety load using the following equation:

$$a \le \frac{8 \cdot X}{1000}$$

where: a = permissible permanent deflection following removal of safety load in mm.

X = height of item from fixing point in mm.

# Resistance to dynamic impact

With just underside secured to the floor, the item was subjected to a dynamic load with energy of 600 J (0,50 kN  $\times$  1,20 m).

All impacts were made by releasing the impactors so that they fall from a specified height with a pendulum movement and without initial velocity.

The impactors were hung by an inextensible pendulum wire of negligible mass so that when at rest they made contact with the point of intended impact.

After each impact, the impactors were prevented from hitting the item again after bouncing.





#### **Environmental conditions**

Temperature	(19 ± 2) °C
Relative humidity	(50 ± 5) %

# **Results**

## Resistance to outward horizontal static loading

Applied load <sup>*</sup>	Deflection whilst loaded	Permanent deflection	Maximum permanent deflection <sup>**</sup>	Result
[kN]	[mm]	[mm]	[mm]	
1,30	44	0,8	//	//
2,21***	79	2,7	2,7	pass

(\*) in accordance with clause 2.2.1.2 "Description de l'essai" ("Description of the test") of standard NF P01-013:1988.

(\*\*) permissible permanent deflection "a" calculated in accordance with clause 2.2.1.2.4 "Déformation admissible des garde-corps métalliques" ("Permissible deflection of metal railings") of standard NF P01-013:1988.

(\*\*\*) safety load with coefficient of 1,7 for aluminium.



Photograph of the item during resistance to outward horizontal static loading test

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#### Resistance to dynamic impact

Impact area	Drop height	Energy	Result
	[m]	[1]	
center of the glass	1,2	600	no damage $^*$
upper edge of the glass	1,2	600	no damage $^*$

(\*) No falling fragments that could cause personal injury were found below.

No gaps were formed between the bars of sufficient size to allow the passage of the gauge specified in figure 7 of standard NF P01-013:1988.

No item performance loss compared to design specifications was witnessed.



Photograph of the item after impact in the center of the glass







## **Findings**

Test	Result <sup>*</sup>
outward horizontal static loading for use public (1,0 kN/m)	compliant
dynamic impact with 50 kg soft body	compliant

(\*) the compliance has been determined on the basis of values obtained by measurements during testing in line with clause 2.6 of ILAC-G8:03/2009 "Guidelines on the reporting of compliance with specification", having satisfied the requirements on measurements and equipment defined in the reference normative.

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