**QAI Listing B1072-1E Construction Solutions DBX1017 4.25 Dryer Vent Box**

**CAN/ULC S115, ASTM E814**

1 Hour Membrane Penetration Assembly

*Load Bearing*

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**No. | COMPONENT | DESCRIPTION**

| 1 | Gypsum Board Sheathing | Type: Type X gypsum wallboard complying with ASTM C1396 and labeled by an approved agency.  
Thickness: Single layer of 5/8 in. (16 mm) on each face of the wall.  
Application: Sheathing is to be fastened to studs with #6 x 1-1/2 in. (41 mm) long coarse thread drywall screws spaced at 8 in. (203 mm) on center. Joints to be taped and mudded, and fastener heads to be mudded. |
| 2 | Wall Studs | **Stud Type:** Minimum nominal 2 x 6 in. (38 x 140 mm) wood studs.  
**Stud Spaced:** Maximum 16 in. (406 mm) on center. |
| 3 | Insulation | **Type:** Minimum R-19 fiberglass batt insulation that is classified as non-combustible as defined by ASTM E136 and CAN/ULC-S114.  
**Nominal Density:** 6 inch (152 mm).  
**Installation:** Fiberglass batt must be installed in all areas including between the stud and dryer vent box. The batt may be split to half the thickness in order to be able to compress it behind the box. |

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| 4   | Dryer Vent Box | Certified Manufacturer: Construction Solutions  
Certified Product: Nominal 4 in. Construction Solutions dryer vent box kit.  
Box Dimensions: 10 in. (254 mm) wide by 17 in. (432 mm) high by 4.25 in. (108 mm) deep with a 1 in. (25 mm) flange. A 4 in. (102 mm) cut out for the dryer vent on the top and 1-1/8 in. (29 mm) knockout on the top. The box is formed from 24 Gauge steel.  
Caulking: PFP 4800DW.  
Installation: The dryer vent box is fastened to the stud and sill through two holes on the side and bottom of the box using #8 x 1-1/2 in. (38 mm) wood screws. The galvanized steel dryer vent is inserted through the top of the box then caulked at the vent/box interface. The opening cut into the gypsum board shall be a maximum of 10-1/2 in. (267 mm) wide by 17-1/2 in. (445 mm) high. Only one box is permitted per stud cavity. |
| 5A  | Gypsum Board (Back of Dryer Box Cavity) | Type: Type X gypsum wallboard complying with ASTM C1396 and labeled by an approved agency.  
Thickness: Single layer of 5/8 in. (16 mm).  
Application: The cavity containing the dryer vent box shall have a layer of Type X gypsum placed behind the box. The gypsum shall be fastened to two 3/4 in. (19 mm) by 1-1/2 in. (38 mm) pieces of wood fastened to the stud with wood screws such that the gypsum will be flush with the 1-1/2 in. (38 mm) face of the studs prior to fastening the sheathing. The gypsum board shall be fastened with no. 6 x 1-5/8 in. (41 mm) drywall screws. |
| 5B  | Gypsum Board (Adjacent Stud of Dryer Box) | Type: Type X gypsum wallboard complying with ASTM C1396 and labeled by an approved agency.  
Thickness: Single layer of 5/8 in. (16 mm).  
Application: The adjacent stud to the dryer vent box shall have a layer of type X gypsum placed between the stud and the box. The gypsum shall extend 6 in. (152 mm) above the top of the box and fastened using six no. 6 x 1-5/8 in. (41 mm) Type W drywall screws. |
| 6   | Vent Pipe | Size: 4 in. (101 mm) round.  
Type: 26 Gauge galvanized steel. |

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