

From: Port Authority Dear Mr. Neil,

As you probably know our reinforcing steel specifications essentially has a performance based criteria for seucring reinforcing steel -- "Accurately position, support and secure concrete reinforcement against displacement by form work, construction or concrete placement." For details see attached Port Authority technical specifications for reinforcing steel.

Accordingly, it is largely left up to the Contractor to select specific materials and methods to secure the reinforcing steel. Therefore I suggest that you market your product to Contractors performing work for the Port Authority. If it can be demonstrated that your product, Kodi Klip, meets the required performance criteria for securing reinforcing steel I do not see any objection to the use of your product on Port Authority projects. You may go to the Port Authority website www.panynl.gov for information on bid advertisements, bid opening results, etc.

Please call if you have any questions.

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