



July 26, 2012

To: Whom it may Concern:

Subject: Letter of Compliance for Stanley-National Hardware carbon steel 4000 series Threaded Rod

This letter is to confirm that Stanley-National carbon steel product series 4000 Threaded Rod currently meets or exceeds requirements as stated in ASTM A307-10 Grade A.

ASTM A307-10 in brief states the following:

This specification covers the chemical and mechanical requirements of three grades of carbon steel bolts and studs in sizes 1/4 in. through 4 in. The fasteners are designated by "Grade" denoting tensile strength and intended use, as follows:

Grade	Description
A	Bolts and studs having a minimum tensile strength of 60 ksi and intended for general applications,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark S. Bloom".

Mark S. Bloom
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