

#### **TEST REPORT**

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# SUNOPTICS PRISMATIC SKYLIGHTS Sacramento, California

SERIES/MODEL: Safety Security Guard PRODUCT TYPE: Skylight Fall Protection System

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**1.0 Report Issued To**: Sunoptics Prismatic Skylights

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**2.0 Test Laboratory**: Architectural Testing, Inc.

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**3.0 Project Summary**: The skylight screen was tested for fall protection.

**3.1 Product Type**: Skylight Fall Protection System

3.2 Series/Model: Safety Security Guard

**3.3 Compliance Statement**: Results obtained are tested values and were secured by using the designated test method. Test specimen description and results are reported herein. The specimen tested was found to comply with the drop-test requirements of OSHA 1926.502(c), *Safety Net Systems*, Paragraph (4)(i).

**3.4 Test Dates**: 6/08/2012 - 8/08/2012

- **3.5 Test Record Retention End Date**: All test records for this report will be retained until August 8, 2016.
- **3.6 Test Location**: Architectural Testing, Inc. test facility in Fresno, California.
- **3.7 Test Sample Source**: The test specimen was provided by the client. Representative samples of the test specimen will be retained by Architectural Testing for a minimum of four years from the test completion date.
- **3.8 Drawing Reference**: The test specimen drawings have been reviewed by Architectural Testing and are representative of the test specimen reported herein. Test specimen construction was verified by Architectural Testing per the drawings located in Appendix B. Any deviations are documented herein or on the drawings.

### 3.9 List of Official Observers:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Company</u>

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**4.0 Test Method**: OSHA 1926.502(c), Safety Net Systems, Paragraph (4)(i).

**4.1 Test Weight**: 400 lb. bag of sand approximately 30" in diameter

**4.2 Drop Height**: 42" above the screen

# **5.0 Test Specimen Description:**

## **5.1 Sizes**:

Item	Width	Length
Curb Inside Dimensions	48"	96"
Screen Overall Size	47-3/4"	95-3/4"
Screen Wire Spacing	4"	4"
Last Row Wire Spacing	3-1/4"	3-1/4"

#### **5.2 Construction:**

Item	Material	Description
Screen Wire	Galvanized Cold	0.163" dia. wire, spot welded at every crossing
Screen wife	Rolled Steel	joint
Anchor clips Galvanized Steel	0.031" thick x $1/2$ " galvanized steel forming a	
	loop clamp 1-1/2" long	

#### 6.0 Installation:

The specimen was installed into a test curb fabricated from nominal  $2 \times 8$  Douglas fir lumber. To simulate attachment to a roof, the curb was fastened to four  $2 \times 10$  boards laid flat. The Skylight Screen was fastened to the top edge of the curb. The assembly was supported 40" above the ground on heavy duty steel stands.

Anchor Location	Anchor Description	Fasteners	
Curb to simulated roof 24" on center	Sheet metal bracket	Four #10 x 1-1/2" screws, 2 into outer side of curb, 2	
21 on center		into roof boards	
Skylight Screen to Curb	Anchor clip folded around	#10 x 1-1/2" Phillips	
12" on center	perimeter wire, attached to	finishing washer head drill-	
	top edge of curb	point screws	



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**7.0 Test Results**: The temperature during testing was 27°C (81°F). The results are tabulated as follows:

Title of Test	Results	Allowed	Notes
Drop Test,			
per OSHA 1926.502(c)(4)(i)	No penetration	No penetration	1, 2

*General Note*: All testing was performed in accordance with the referenced standard.

**Note 1**: The test weight did not fall through. Visual damage was observed, including screen welds broken, anchors pulled out, and two corner joints of the test curb partially detached.

**Note 2**: The test weight was left in place for a period of 5 minutes after impact. The screen held the weight without showing signs of further weakening. While still holding the weight after impact, the total deflection of the center of the screen was 18" below the top of the curb.

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For ARCHITECTURAL TESTING, Inc.

David Douglass	Tyler Westerling, P.E.
Project Manager	Project Engineer

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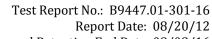
Appendix-A: Photographs (2) Appendix-B: Drawings (1)

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Appendix A **Photographs** 





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Photo No. 1 Drop test setup, test weight at 42" above screen

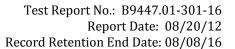






Photo No. 2 After impact, screen is holding test weight



Photo No. 3 After removal of test weight

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Appendix B

**Drawings** 

