

Building Thermal Envelope Inspection

Jobsite		Date:
Address		
Jurisdiction	Permit Number:	
Blower Door Test	Passed / Failed (circle one)	

**TABLE N11.4.2
AIR BARRIER AND INSULATION INSPECTION**

Pass/Fail	Component	Criteria
	Air barrier and thermal barrier	Exterior thermal envelope insulation for framed walls is installed in substantial contact and continuous alignment with building envelope air barrier. Breaks or joints in the air barrier are filled and repaired. Air-permeable insulation is not used as a sealing material.
	Ceiling/attic	Air barrier in any dropped ceiling/soffit is substantially aligned with insulation and any gaps are sealed. Attic access (except unvented attic), knee wall door, or drop down stair is sealed.
	Walls	Corners and headers are insulated. Junction of foundation and sill plate is sealed.
	Windows and doors	Space between window/door jambs and framing is sealed.
	Rim joists	Rim joists are insulated and include an air barrier.
	Floors (including above garage and cantilevered doors)	Insulation is installed to maintain permanent contact with underside of subfloor decking. Air barrier is installed at any exposed edge of floor.
	Crawlspace walls	Insulation is permanently attached to walls. Exposed earth in unvented crawlspaces is covered with Class I vapor retarder with overlapping joints taped.
	Shafts, penetrations	Duct shafts, utility penetrations, knee walls and flue shafts opening to exterior or unconditioned space are sealed.
	Narrow cavaties	batts in narrowcavaties are cut to fit, or narrow cavaties are filled by sprayed/blown insulation.
	Garage seperation	Air sealing is provided between the garage and conditioned spaces.
	Recessed lighting	Recessed light fixtures are airtight, IC rated and sealed to drywall. Exception-fixtures in conditioned space.
	Plumbing and wiring	Insulation is placed between outside and pipes. Batt insulation is cut to fit around wiring and plumbing, or sprayed /blown insulation extends behind piping and wiring.
	Shower/tub on exterior wall	Showers and tubs on exterior walls have insulation and an air barrier separating them from the exterior wall.
	Electrical/phone box on exterior wall	Air barrier extends behind boxes or air sealed type boxes are installed.
	Common wall	Air barrier is installed in common wall between dwelling units.
	HVAC register boots	HVAC register boots that penetrate building envelope are sealed to subfloor or drywall.
	Fireplace	Fireplace walls include an air barrier.

Signature _____ **Date:** _____

Contractor Name: _____

***NOTE: This certificate shall be submitted to the appropriate Code Office for apporval and a copy made available to the homeowner for their records.**