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**Template 23-14**

**2001 CBC - Chapter 23A**  
**WOOD**

**Section - 2316A - DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS**

**Subsection(s) - 2316A.1**

**Part I-ALLOWABLE STRESS DESIGN OF WOOD**

This standard, with certain exceptions, is the ANSI/NFoPA NDS-91 National Design Specification for Wood Construction of the American Forest and Paper Association, Revised 1991 Edition, and the Supplement to the 1991 Edition, National Design Specification, adopted by reference.

The National Design Specification for Wood Construction, Revised 1991 Edition, and supplement are available from the American Forest and Paper Association, 1111 19th Street, NW, Eighth Floor, Washington, DC, 20036.

**SECTION 2316A . DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS**

**2316A.1 Adoption and Scope.** The National Design Specification for Wood Construction, Revised 1991 Edition (NDS), which is hereby adopted as a part of this code, shall apply to the design and construction of wood structures using visually graded lumber, mechanically graded lumber, structural glued laminated timber, and timber piles. National Design Specification Appendix Section F, Design for Creep and Critical Deflection Applications, Appendix Section G, Effective Column Length, and Appendix Section J, Solution of Hankinson Formula are specifically adopted and made a part of this standard. The Supplement to the 1991 Edition National Design Specification, Tables 2A, 4A *except for the Repetitive Member Factor, Cr*, 4B *except for the Repetitive Member Factor, Cr*, 4C *except for the Repetitive Member Factor, Cr*, 4D, 4E *except for the Repetitive Member Factor, Cr*, 5A, 5B and 5C are specifically adopted and made a part of this standard.

Other codes, standards or specifications referred to in this

32 standard are to be considered as only an indication of an accept-  
33 able method or material that can be used with the approval of the  
34 *enforcement agency*, except where such other codes, standards or  
35 specifications are specifically adopted by this code as primary  
36 standards.