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**WATERLOO BIOFILTER SYSTEMS INC.**

143 Dennis Street  
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**CAN/BNQ 3680-600/2009-05-01 M2 (2017-07-18)** Onsite Residential Wastewater Treatment Plants and Pools

Certificate number: **2312**  
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Date: 05/19/21

Name: Laurie Smith

Approved by: [Signature]

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**Stand-alone wastewater treatment systems**

**Model Waterloo Biofilters®**

**Anaerobic Digester**

Capacity:

Waterloo Biofilter Treatment capacity (L/d)	Minimum Digester Volume (L)	Minimum InnerTube™ Volume (L) <sup>(1)</sup>
1,100	2,077	220
1,600	3,021	320
2,000	3,776	400
2,500	4,720	500
3,000	5,664	600
3,500	6,608	700
4,000	7,552	800
4,500	8,496	900
5,000	9,440	1,000
5,500	10,384	1,100
6,000	11,328	1,200
6,500	12,272	1,300
7,000	13,216	1,400
7,500	14,160	1,500
8,000	15,104	1,600
8,500	16,048	1,700
9,000	16,992	1,800
9,500	17,936	1,900
10,000	18,880	2,000

(1) The "Inner tube" is the term used to describe the long corrugated pipe forcing a longer path of water in the digester. The volume of the inner tube is included in the minimum effective volume of the digester.

Designation:	AD.
Material:	Constructed using concrete, plastic, or fibreglass tank that conforms with the strength and watertightness requirements of Standard CAN/CSA-B66 or Standard BNQ 3680-905, or equivalent acceptable to the Authority having jurisdiction.
Dosing:	External or internal pump chamber. Demand or timed dosed.
Others:	Single or double compartment tank. No effluent filter required. InnerTube outlet opposite tank outlet or pump. One or multiple tanks.



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**Waterloo Biofilter**

Capacity:

Designation	Waterloo Biofilter Treatment capacity (L/d)	Minimum Foam Filter Media Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	Minimum Foam Filter Media Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )
11	1,100	1.5	54
16	1,600	2.2	79
20	2,000	2.8	99
25	2,500	3.5	124
30	3,000	4.2	148
35	3,500	4.9	173
40	4,000	5.6	198
45	4,500	6.3	222
50	5,000	7.0	247
55	5,500	7.7	272
60	6,000	8.4	297
65	6,500	9.1	321
70	7,000	9.8	346
75	7,500	10.5	371
80	8,000	11.2	396
85	8,500	11.9	420
90	9,000	12.6	445
95	9,500	13.3	470
100	10,000	14.0	494

Configuration: SH = Shed with open-bottom.  
SHFB = Shed with full bottom.  
BA = Baskets in concrete tank.  
BFCN = Bulk filled concrete tank.  
BFHD = Bulk filled plastic tank.  
BFFG = Bulk filled fibreglass tank.

**Certificate Precisions**

Treatment Class: Class B-IV.  
Influent Temperature: The tests specified in articles 8.1 and 8.2 were carried out with influent wastewater, at a minimum controlled temperature of 11 °C ± 1 °C.  
Others: This treatment chain has no septic tank. The anaerobic digester is the first step of the treatment chain.



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**ANNEX**  
TO THE **CERTIFICATE**  
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**Waterloo Flatbed Biofilter  
Capacity:**

Designation	Flat Bed Modules	Flat Bed Chain Treatment Capacity <sup>(1)</sup> (L/d)	Minimum Foam Filter Media Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	Minimum Foam Filter Media Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )
11	2 units of FB-800	1,670	2.9	104
16	2 units of FB-800	1,670	2.9	104
20	2 units of FB-1000	2,000	3.5	125
25	3 units of FB-800	2,505	4.4	156
30	3 units of FB-1000	3,000	5.3	187
35	2 units of FB-800 2 units of FB-1000	3,670	6.5	229
40	4 units of FB-1000	4,000	7.0	250
45	6 units of FB-800	5,010	8.8	312
50	6 units of FB-800	5,010	8.8	312
55	2 units of FB-800 4 units of FB-1000	5,670	10.0	354
60	6 units of FB-1000	6,000	10.6	375
65	8 units of FB-800	6,680	11.8	416
70	2 units of FB-800 6 units of FB-1000	7,670	13.6	479
75	2 units of FB-800 6 units of FB-1000	7,670	13.6	479
80	8 units of FB-1000	8,000	14.1	500
85	8 units of FB-800 2 units of FB-1000	8,680	15.3	541
90	6 units of FB-800 4 units of FB-1000	9,010	15.9	562
95	2 units of FB-800 8 units of FB-1000	9,670	17.1	604
100	10 units of FB-1000	10,000	17.7	625

**Configuration:**

FB: Flatbed with open-bottom.

Flat Bed Modules	Flat Bed Treatment Capacity (L/d)	Minimum Foam Filter Media Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	Minimum Foam Filter Media Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )
FB-800	835	1.47	52.1
FB-1000	1000	1.77	62.5
FB-1200	1167	2.06	72.9

**THE ANNEX IS AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE CERTIFICATE.**



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<sup>(1)</sup> *The Waterloo Biofilter treatment capacity of a Flat Bed system is the sum total of the Flat Bed Treatment Capacities of the Flat Bed Models used in the system. Flat Beds may be laid out in 'parallel', 'series', or combination thereof. The designation of a Flat Bed system is the total treatment capacity with the last two digits truncated. E.g. a system comprised of two FB-800 models has treatment capacity of 835 \* 2 = 1,670 L/d and a designation number of 16.*



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**Model Designation**

Class B-IV: AD-SH11, AD-SHFB11, AD-BA11, AD-BFCN11, AD-BFHD11, AD-BFFG11, AD-FB11  
AD-SH16, AD-SHFB16, AD-BA16, AD-BFCN16, AD-BFHD16, AD-BFFG16, AD-FB16  
AD-SH20, AD-SHFB20, AD-BA20, AD-BFCN20, AD-BFHD20, AD-BFFG20, AD-FB20  
AD-SH25, AD-SHFB25, AD-BA25, AD-BFCN25, AD-BFHD25, AD-BFFG25, AD-FB25  
AD-SH30, AD-SHFB30, AD-BA30, AD-BFCN30, AD-BFHD30, AD-BFFG30, AD-FB30  
AD-SH35, AD-SHFB35, AD-BA35, AD-BFCN35, AD-BFHD35, AD-BFFG35, AD-FB35  
AD-SH40, AD-SHFB40, AD-BA40, AD-BFCN40, AD-BFHD40, AD-BFFG40, AD-FB40  
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AD-SH70, AD-SHFB70, AD-BA70, AD-BFCN70, AD-BFHD70, AD-BFFG70, AD-FB70  
AD-SH75, AD-SHFB75, AD-BA75, AD-BFCN75, AD-BFHD75, AD-BFFG75, AD-FB75  
AD-SH80, AD-SHFB80, AD-BA80, AD-BFCN80, AD-BFHD80, AD-BFFG80, AD-FB80  
AD-SH85, AD-SHFB85, AD-BA85, AD-BFCN85, AD-BFHD85, AD-BFFG85, AD-FB85  
AD-SH90, AD-SHFB90, AD-BA90, AD-BFCN90, AD-BFHD90, AD-BFFG90, AD-FB90  
AD-SH95, AD-SHFB95, AD-BA95, AD-BFCN95, AD-BFHD95, AD-BFFG95, AD-FB95  
AD-SH100, AD-SHFB100, AD-BA100, AD-BFCN100, AD-BFHD100, AD-BFFG100, AD-FB100

**List of recognized manufacturers for system components**

**Concrete Precasters**

MACGREGOR CONCRET PRODUCTS P.O. Box 142 Beachburg (Ontario) K0J 1C0	WINONA CONCRETE & PIPE PRODUCTS LTD. 489 Main Street West Grimsby (Ontario) L3M 1T4	UNIT PRECAST (BRESLAU) LTD. 268 Woolwich Street South Breslau (Ontario) N0B 1M0
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**Plastic Component Manufacturers**

ROTH GLOBAL PLASTICS  
One General Motor Drive  
P.O. Box 245  
Syracuse, New York, 13211

**List of recognized assemblers**

BOYD BROS CONCRETE  
5450 Cuddy Street  
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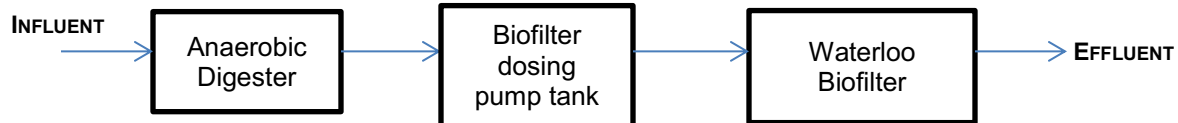
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Date	Modification description
2016-07-05	Issuance of certificate.
2016-07-28	Minor Corrections of different sections.
2018-05-22	Addition of Waterloo Flatbed biofilter systems.
2018-07-04	Renewal of the certificate.
2018-08-30	Addition of Waterloo Flatbed biofilters information.
2019-07-18	Update of the certificate according to the M2 changes to the standard and M1 changes to the protocol.
2020-07-15	Correction of ROTH GLOBAL PLASTICS site address. Renewal of the certificate.