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1200 New Jersey Ave., SE Washington, D.C. 20590

In Reply Refer To: HSST-1 / CC-152

Mr. Frederick Mauer Gregory Industries 4100 13th Street, SW Canton, OH. 44710

Dear Mr. Mauer:

This letter is in response to your November 2, 2018 request for the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) to review a roadside safety device, hardware, or system for eligibility for reimbursement under the Federal-aid highway program. This FHWA letter of eligibility is assigned FHWA control number CC-152 and is valid until a subsequent letter is issued by FHWA that expressly references this device.

Decision

The following device is eligible within the length-of-need, with details provided in the form which is attached as an integral part of this letter:

Truck Tailor Mounted Attenuator - 200

Scope of this Letter

To be found eligible for Federal-aid funding, new roadside safety devices should meet the crash test and evaluation criteria contained in the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials' (AASHTO) Manual for Assessing Safety Hardware (MASH). However, the FHWA, the Department of Transportation, and the United States Government do not regulate the manufacture of roadside safety devices. Eligibility for reimbursement under the Federal-aid highway program does not establish approval, certification or endorsement of the device for any particular purpose or use.

This letter is not a determination by the FHWA, the Department of Transportation, or the United States Government that a vehicle crash involving the device will result in any particular outcome, nor is it a guarantee of the in-service performance of this device. Proper manufacturing, installation, and maintenance are required in order for this device to function as tested.

This finding of eligibility is limited to the crashworthiness of the system and does not cover other structural features, nor conformity with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

Eligibility for Reimbursement

Based solely on a review of crash test results and certifications submitted by the manufacturer, and the crash test laboratory, FHWA agrees that the device described herein meets the crash test and evaluation criteria of the AASHTO's MASH. Therefore, the device is eligible for reimbursement under the Federal-aid highway program if installed under the range of tested conditions.

Name of system: Truck Tailor Mounted Attenuator - 200

Type of system: Attenuator

Test Level: MASH Test Level 3 (TL3)

Testing conducted by: Applus IDIADA KARCO Engineering

Date of request: November 2, 2018

FHWA concurs with the recommendation of the accredited crash testing laboratory on the attached form.

Full Description of the Eligible Device

The device and supporting documentation, including reports of the crash tests or other testing done, videos of any crash testing, and/or drawings of the device, are described in the attached form.

Notice

This eligibility letter is issued for the subject device as tested. Modifications made to the device are not covered by this letter. Any modifications to this device should be submitted to the user (i.e., state DOT) as per their requirements.

You are expected to supply potential users with sufficient information on design, installation and maintenance requirements to ensure proper performance.

You are expected to certify to potential users that the hardware furnished has the same chemistry, mechanical properties, and geometry as that submitted for review, and that it will meet the test and evaluation criteria of AASHTO's MASH.

Issuance of this letter does not convey property rights of any sort or any exclusive privilege. This letter is based on the premise that information and reports submitted by you are accurate and correct. We reserve the right to modify or revoke this letter if: (1) there are any inaccuracies in the information submitted in support of your request for this letter, (2) the qualification testing was flawed, (3) in-service performance or other information reveals safety problems, (4) the system is significantly different from the version that was crash tested, or (5) any other information indicates that the letter was issued in error or otherwise does not reflect full and complete information about the crashworthiness of the system.

Standard Provisions

- To prevent misunderstanding by others, this letter of eligibility designated as FHWA control number CC-152 shall not be reproduced except in full. This letter and the test documentation upon which it is based are public information. All such letters and documentation may be reviewed upon request.
- This letter shall not be construed as authorization or consent by the FHWA to use, manufacture, or sell any patented system for which the applicant is not the patent holder.
- This FHWA eligibility letter is not an expression of any Agency view, position, or determination of validity, scope, or ownership of any intellectual property rights to a specific device or design. Further, this letter does not impute any distribution or licensing rights to the requester. This FHWA eligibility letter determination is made based solely on the crash-testing information submitted by the requester. The FHWA reserves the right to review and revoke an earlier eligibility determination after receipt of subsequent information related to crash testing.
- If the subject device is a patented product it may be considered to be proprietary. If proprietary systems are specified by a highway agency for use on Federal-aid projects: (a) they must be supplied through competitive bidding with equally suitable unpatented items; (b) the highway agency must certify that they are essential for synchronization with the existing highway facilities or that no equally suitable alternative exists; or (c) they must be used for research or for a distinctive type of construction on relatively short sections of road for experimental purposes. Our regulations concerning proprietary products are contained in Title 23, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 635.411.

Sincerely,

Michael S. Griffith

Director, Office of Safety Technologies

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Office of Safety

Enclosures

Request for Federal Aid Reimbursement Eligibility of Highway Safety Hardware

	Date of Request:	January 30, 2019	New	C Resubmission
	Name:	Robert Ramirez		5
itter	Company:	Applus IDIADA KARCO Engineering		
Ę	Address:	9270 Holly Rd. Adelanto, CA 92301		
Su	Country:	United States		
	То:	Michael S. Griffith, Director FHWA, Office of Safety Technologies		

I request the following devices be considered eligible for reimbursement under the Federal-aid highway program.

<u>Device & Testing Criterion - Enter from right to left starting with Test Level</u>

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System Type	Submission Type	Device Name / Variant	Testing Criterion	Test
'CC': Truck-Mounted Attenuators (TMA)	Physical Crash TestingEngineering Analysis	TTMA-200	AASHTO MASH	TL3

By submitting this request for review and evaluation by the Federal Highway Administration, I certify that the product(s) was (were) tested in conformity with the AASHTO Manual for Assessing Safety Hardware and that the evaluation results meet the appropriate evaluation criteria in the MASH.

Individual or Organization responsible for the product:

Contact Name:							
	Frederick Mauer	Same as Submitter					
Company Name:	Gregory Industries	Same as Submitter					
Address:	The state of the s						
Country:							
Enter below all disclosures of financial interests as required by the FHWA `Federal-Aid Reimbursement Eligibility Process for Safety Hardware Devices' document. Gregory Industries and Applus IDIADA KARCO Engineering LLC share no financial interests between the two organizations. This includes no shared financial interest but not limited to: i. Compensation including wages, salaries, commissions, professional fees, or fees for business referrals iii. Research funding or other forms of research support; iv. Patents, copyrights, licenses, and other intellectual property interests; vi. Business ownership and investment interests;							

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

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New Hardware or Significant Modification	Modification to Existing Hardware	3						
mandrel bursts the first tube at kinetic energy of the impacting hitch extension its total tested	Itor designed to dissipate the kinetic er Inpact head and mandrel are pushed fo the corners into four (4) straps. The bu I vehicle. The trailer attenuator has a le length was 24.9 ft. (7.6 m) and a max w assembly and is attached to the suppo	rsting of the first tube dissipates the ngth of 23.6ft (7.2 m) with an optional						
All testing of the TTMA-200 was conducted with an optional 4.0 ft. x 8.0 ft. (1.2 m x 2.4 m) arrow board and arrow board frame that attached to the trailer frame assembly. The arrow board frame was attached to the trailer frame assembly with two (2) 5/8" grade 5 bolts and six (6) 1/2" grade 5 bolts. The arrow board was secured to the arrow board frame with five (5) 3/8" grade 5 bolts. An optional 16.0 in. (406 mm) hitch extension bolted to the trailer frame assembly with four (4) 5/8" grade 5 bolts. The TTMA-200 lunette ring was inserted into a standard 8-ton pintle hitch mounted on the support truck at a height of 19.5 in. (495 mm). Complete detail of the assemblies can be found in the manufacturer's drawings.								
	CRASH TESTING							
By signature below, the Engineer affiliated with the testing laboratory, agrees in support of this submission that all of the critical and relevant crash tests for this device listed above were conducted to meet the MASH test criteria. The Engineer has determined that no other crash tests are necessary to determine the device meets the MASH criteria.								
Engineer Name:	Robert Ramirez							
Engineer Signature:	Robert Ramirez	Digitally signed by Robert Ramirez DN: cn=Robert Ramirez, o=KARCO Engineering, ou=Project Engineer, email=rramirez@karco.com, c=US Date: 2018;11.02 11:47:20-07'00'						
Address:	9270 Holly Rd. Adelanto, CA 92301	Same as Submitter						
Country:	United States	Same as Submitter						
A brief description of each cra	sh test and its result:							

Poquired Test		Page 3 of 5
Required Test Number	Narrative Description	Evaluation Results
	IDIADA KARCO Test Number P38077-01. An 1100C test vehicle impacting the TTMA-200 at a nominal impact speed and angle of 62 mph and 0°, respectively. The primary intent of this test is to evaluate the impact performance of the TTMA-200 during small car impacts. The support vehicle was blocked against forward movement. The support vehicle was also placed in second gear with the parking brake engaged and the front wheels were centered with no steering angle. The test vehicle, 2012 Kia Rio impacted the TTMA-200 at a speed and angle of 61.94 mph (99.68 km/h) and 0.2°. The TTMA-200 brought the vehicle to a controlled stop. There was no penetration into the occupant compartment and the deformation limits were not exceeded. The Occupant Impact Velocities (OIV) in the longitudinal and lateral directions were 32.5 ft/s (9.9 m/s) and 0.3 ft/s (0.1 m/s), respectively. The Ridedown acceleration in the longitudinal and lateral directions were -15.2 g and 3.6 g, respectively. The TTMA-200 met all the requirements for MASH Test 3-50.	PASS
3-51 (2270P) a i i c i i c i i c i i c i i c i i c i i c i i c i i i c i i i c i i i c i i i i i c i i i i i c i	IDIADA KARCO Test Number P38076-01. An 2270P test vehicle impacting the TTMA-200 at a nominal impact speed and angle of 62 mph and 0°, respectively. The primary intent of this test is to evaluate the energy dissipation capacity of the TTMA-200, structural adequacy and occupant risk. The support vehicle was blocked against forward movement. The support vehicle was also placed in second gear with the parking brake engaged and the front wheels were centered with no steering angle. The test vehicle, 2012 RAM 1500 mpacted the TTMA-200 at a speed and	PASS

Required Test	Name ti	Page 4 of 5
Number 3-52 (2270P)	Description IDIADA KARCO Test Number P38078-01. An 2270P test vehicle impacting the TTMA-200 offset 1/3 the vehicles overall width at a nominal impact speed and angle of 62 mph and 0°, respectively. The primary intent of this test is to evaluate structural adequacy and occupant risk. The support vehicle was blocked against forward and lateral movement. The support vehicle was also placed in second gear with the parking brake engaged and the front wheels were centered with no steering angle. The test vehicle, 2013 RAM 1500 impacted the TTMA-200 at a speed and angle of 62.99 mph (101.37 km/h) and 0.1°. The TTMA-200 brought the vehicle to a controlled stop. There was no penetration into the occupant compartment and the deformation limits were not exceeded. The Occupant Impact Velocities (OIV) in the longitudinal and lateral directions were 28.2 ft/s (8.6 m/s) and 2.0 ft/s (0.6 m/s), respectively. The	PASS
	Ridedown acceleration in the longitudinal and lateral directions were -16.4 g and 2.5 g, respectively. The TTMA-200 met all the requirements for MASH Test 3-52. IDIADA KARCO Test Number P38075-02. An 2270P test vehicle impacting the TTMA-200 offset 1/4 the vehicles overall width at a nominal impact speed and angle of 62 mph and 10°, respectively. The primary intent of this test is to evaluate structural adequacy and occupant risk. The support truck weighed 10,337 lbs and was tested with the parking brake engaged, transmission placed in second gear and the front wheels centered with no steering angle. The test vehicle, 2012 RAM 1500 impacted the TTMA-200 at a speed and angle of 63.49 mph (102.18 km/h) and 10.1°. The TTMA-200 brought the vehicle to a controlled stop. There was no penetration into the occupant compartment and the deformation limits were not exceeded. The Occupant Impact Velocities (OIV) in the longitudinal and lateral directions were 26.6 ft/s (8.1 m/s) and 1.3 ft/s (0.4 m/s), respectively. The Ridedown acceleration in the longitudinal and lateral directions were -9.8 g and -4.0 g, respectively. The support vehicle had a maximum roll ahead measurement 34.8 ft. (10.6 m). The ITMA-200 met all the requirements for	
	MASH Test 3-53.	
3-54 (1500A)	Per MASH this test is optional	

Full Scale Crash Testing was done in compliance with MASH by the following accredited crash test laboratory (cite the laboratory's accreditation status as noted in the crash test reports.):

Laboratory Name:	Applus IDIADA KARCO Engineering		
Laboratory Signature:	AB	Digitally signed by Alex Beltr DN: cn=Alex Beltran, o=KARC email=abeltran@karco.com, Date: 2018.11.02 11:57:28 -07	CO Engineering, ou=Testing Laboratory, c=US
	9270 Holly Rd. Adelanto, CA. 92301		ame as Submitter
	United States		ame as Submitter
Accreditation Certificate Number and Dates of current Accreditation period :	TL-371 Valid through July 1, 2019.		

Submitter Signature*: Robert Ramirez

Digitally signed by Robert Ramirez DN: cn=Robert Ramirez, o=KARCO Engineering, ou=Project Engineer, email=rramirez@karco.com, c=US Date: 2018.11.02 12.04:17-0700*

Submit Form

ATTACHMENTS

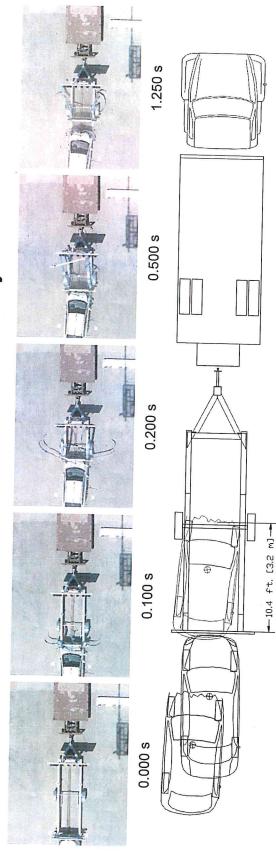
Attach to this form:

- 1) Additional disclosures of related financial interest as indicated above.
- 2) A copy of the full test report, video, and a Test Data Summary Sheet for each test conducted in support of this request.
- 3) A drawing or drawings of the device(s) that conform to the Task Force-13 Drawing Specifications [Hardware Guide Drawing Standards]. For proprietary products, a single isometric line drawing is usually acceptable to illustrate the product, with detailed specifications, intended use, and contact information provided on the reverse. Additional drawings (not in TF-13 format) showing details that are relevant to understanding the dimensions and performance of the device should also be submitted to facilitate our review.

FHWA Official Business Only:

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Number	Date	Key Words

MASH 2016 Test 3-50 Summary



Occupant Risk Longitudinal OIV32.5 ft/s (9.9 m/s) Lateral OIV0.3 ft/s (0.1 m/s) Longitudinal RA15.2 g Lateral RA	THIV 32.5 ft/s (9.9 m/s) PHD 15.2 g ASI 1.40 Test Article Deflections Static	Maximum Intrusion 0.4 in. (10 mm)
Impact Conditions Impact Velocity	Exit Conditions Exit Velocity Exit Angle N/A Final Vehicle Position 4.7 ft. (1.4 m) Upstream 1.6 ft. (0.5 m) left 1.6 ft. (0.5 m) left Vehicle Snagging Vehicle Pocketing None Vehicle Pocketing None Vehicle Stability Satisfactory Maximum Roll Angle 5.0 ° Maximum Yaw Angle 4.7 °	
KARCO Engineering, LLC. P38077-01 3-50 07/25/18	TTMA200 Trailer Mounted Attenuator 25.0 ft. (7.6 m) 24.9 ft. (7.6 m) Concrete Blocked Against Roll Ahead 1100C 2012 Kia Rio 2,355.6 lbs (1,068.5 kg) 2,457.0 lbs (1,114.5 kg) 2,623.5 lbs (1,190.0 kg)	/B.
GENERAL INFORMATION Test Agency KARCO Test No Test Designation	TEST ARTICLE Name / Model. Type. Support Vehicle Length. TMA Length. Road Surface. Support Vehicle Restraint. TEST VEHICLE Type / Designation. Year, Make, and Model Curb Mass. Test Inertial Mass. Gross Static Mass.	

Occupant Risk Longitudinal OIV Lateral OIV Longitudinal RA	PHD. ASI.	Test Article Deflect	Dynamic. Working Width	Debris Field	Vehicle Damage	CDC	Maximum Intrusio
Impact Velocity	Exit Conditions Exit Velocity	Final Vehicle Position4.7 ft. (1.4 m) Upstream 1.6 ft. (0.5 m) left	Exit Box Criteria Met	Vehicle Pocketing	Maximum Roll Angle 4.3 * Maximum Pitch Angle 5.0 *	Maximum Yaw Angle 4.7 °	
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Figure 4 Summary of Test 3-50

MASH 2016 Test 3-51 Summary



















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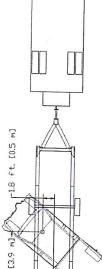
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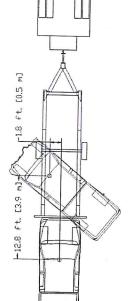
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KARCO Engineering, LLC.	P38076-01 3-51	07/25/18		TTMA-200	I railer Mounted Attenuator	. 25.0 ft. (7.6 m)	24.9 ft. (7.6 m)	Concrete	 Blocked Against Roll Ahead 		22/0P	2012 RAM 1500	4,987.9 lbs (2,262.5 kg)	4,989.0 lbs (2,263.0 kg)	4,989.0 lbs (2,263.0 kg)

Name / Model.

TEST ARTICLE

Support Vehicle Length....

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Support Vehicle Restraint.... Blocked Against Roll Ahead

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Road Surface.....

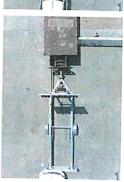
TMA Length.....

2270P 2012 RAM 1500 4,987.9 lbs (2,262.5 kg) 4,989.0 lbs (2,263.0 kg) 4,989.0 lbs (2,263.0 kg)

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	Working Width 17.8 ft. (5.4 m)
	Debris Field67.2 ft. (20.5 m) Downstream
	Vehicle Damage
	Vehicle Damage Scale 12-FD-4
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	Maximum Intrusion Negligible

Figure 4 Summary of Test 3-51

MASH 2016 Test 3-52 Summary





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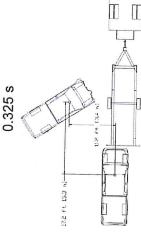






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KARCO Engineering, LLC.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Test Agency.....

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xit Conditions	Exit Velocity	Exit AngleNA	Final Vehicle Position	

Trailer Mounted Attenuator

TTMA-200

Name / Model.....

TEST ARTICLE

.. 25.0 ft. (7.6 m) .. 24.9 ft. (7.6 m)

Type. Support Vehicle Length..... TWA Length....

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NA A	None	None	Satisfactory	,
Exit Box Criteria Met N/A	Vehicle Snagging None	Vehicle Pocketing None	Vehicle StabilitySatisfactory	Mosting Dall A

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Type / Designation.....

TEST VEHICLE

MASH 2016 Test 3-53 Summary





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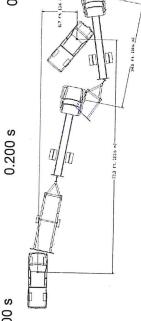
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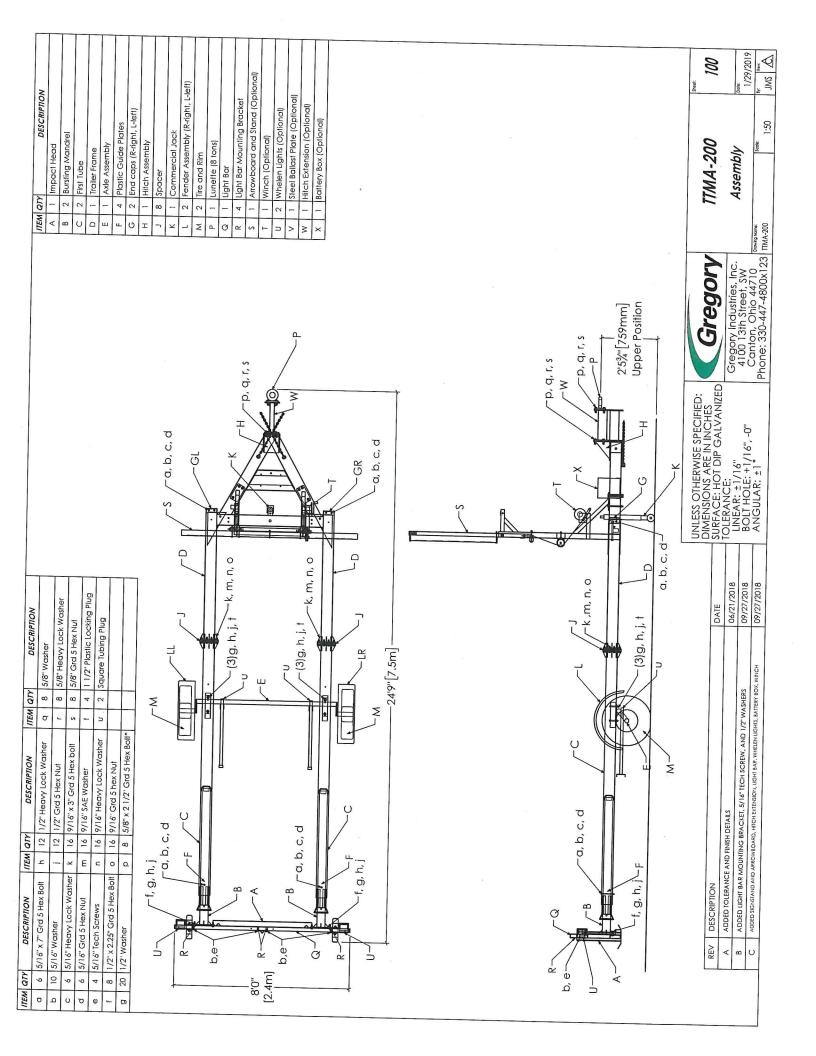
TTMA-200			24.9 ft. (7.6 m)	Concrete	Support Vehicle Restraint 2nd gear, parking brakes engaged	500000000000000000000000000000000000000
TEST ARTICLE Name / Model	Type	Support Vehicle Length	TMA Length	Road Surface	Support Vehicle Restraint	TEST VEUISI D

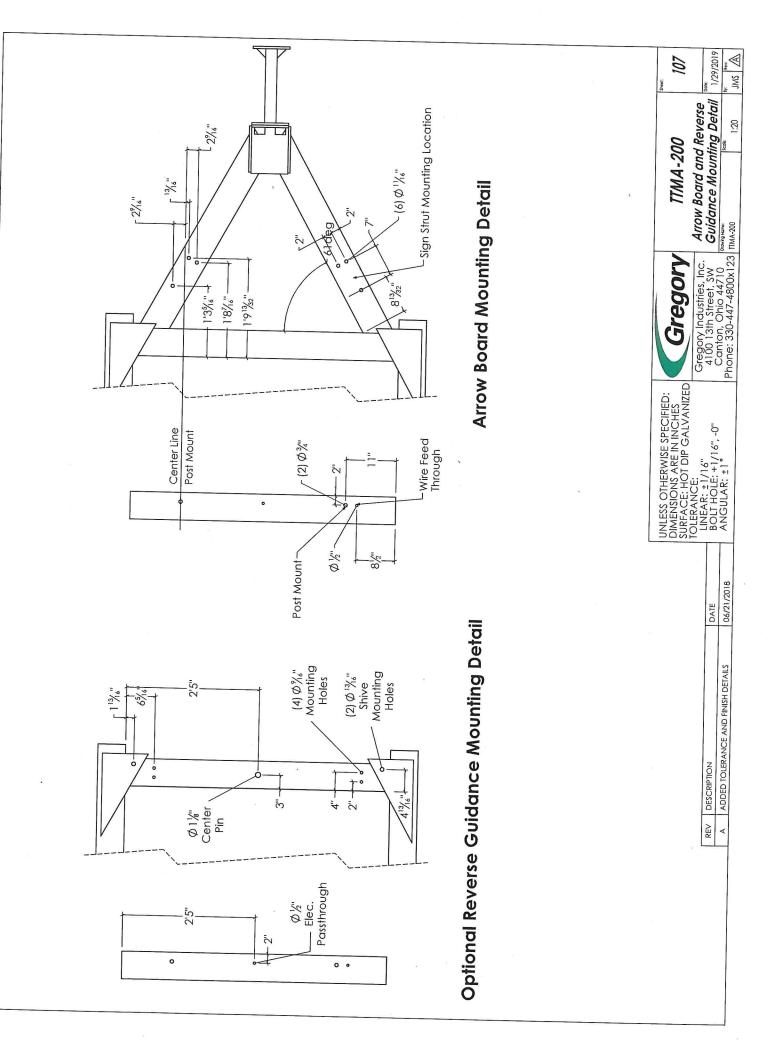
2nd gear, parking brakes	2270P	2012 RAM 1500	5,112.4 lbs (2,319.0 kg)			
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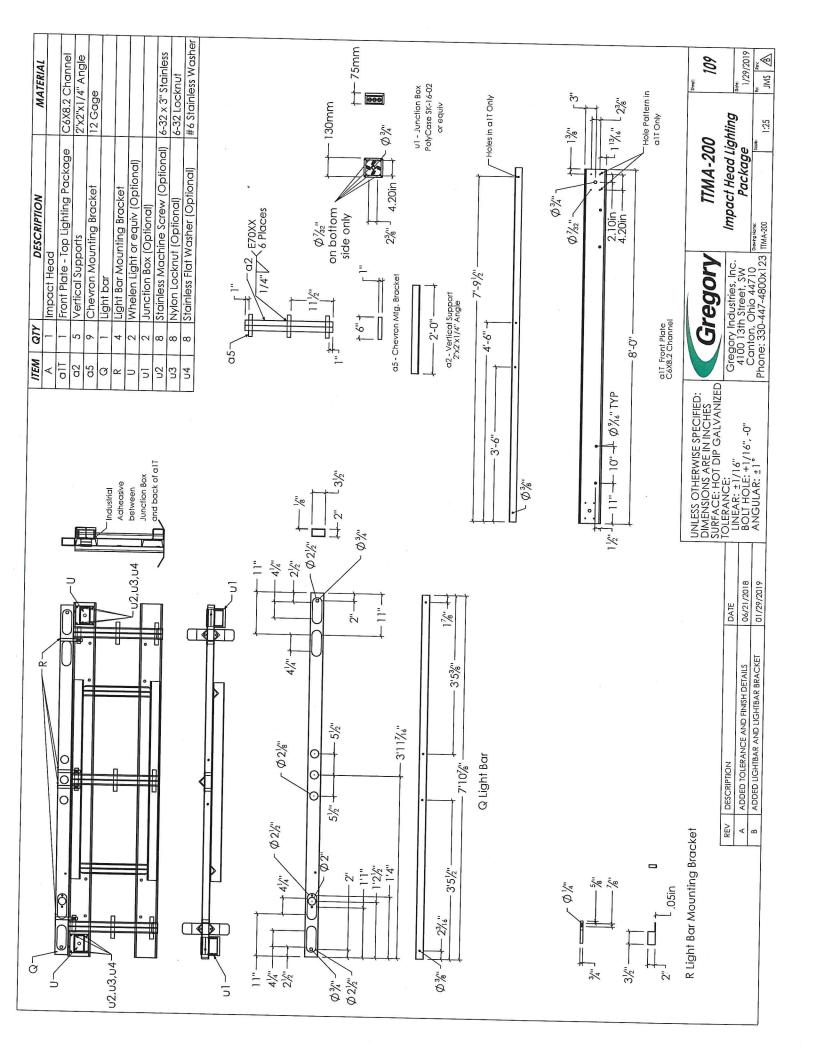
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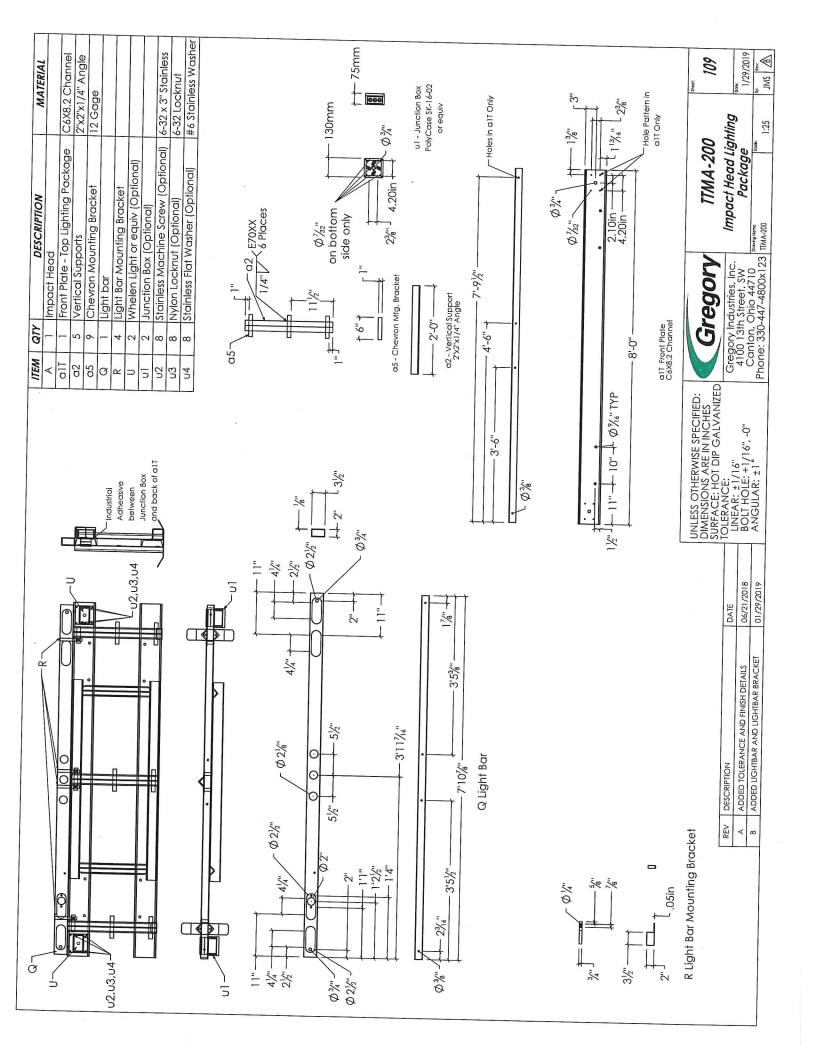
	Occupant Risk Longitudinal OIV
٤	Test Article Deflections Static 11.6 ft. (3.5 m) Dynamic 11.6 ft. (3.5 m) Working Width 23.4 ft. (7.1 m) Debris Field 57.1 ft. (17.4 m)
	Vehicle Damage Scale 12-FR-4
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Figure 4 Summary of Test 3-53









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Bolt	•			Steel Ballast Plate (Optional) TMA-200 Steel Ballast Plate (Optional) TMA-200 1:10
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