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## ŁUKASIEWICZ RESEARCH NETWORK POZNAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY WOOD TECHNOLOGY CENTRE

WOOD INDUSTRY PRODUCTS CERTIFICATION DEPARTMENT
Winiarska Str. 1, 60-654 Poznan, Poland



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#### **CERTIFICATE № 0952/2023 - TPC-19**

The assessment was conducted in accordance with the Certification Program (EPA)

Under executive order of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), published December 12, 2016 under the provisions of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) – TSCA Title VI - Final rule 40 CFR PART 770 - Formaldehyde Emission Standards for Composite Wood Products,

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entered into Agreement № 449/2023 for certification and continuous supervision of the production of wood-based panels in the scope of formaldehyde emission concluded with the plant

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and carried out an independent external audit, which covered the functioning of quality control system, work of the product quality control laboratory, accuracy of the current tests of emission or content of formaldehyde in the produced wood-based panels.

Based on the results obtained (test report № 449/FH/2023), the Center found that the product subjected to supervision:

### Three-layer wooden floor board glued ULEF glue

according to the manufacturer's statement meeting the requirements of the standard:

PN-EN 14342:2013-11 Wood flooring - Characteristics, evaluation of conformity and marking

the product mentioned above meets the EPA requirements for formaldehyde emission given in 40 CFR § 770.10 and subject to compliance with the provisions in force in the Agreement № 449/2023 of 30.08.2023.

#### Certificate validity: for indefinite from 15.12.2023

This Certificate is valid for the entire period of continuous supervision by the Wood Technology Centre with a quarterly external control in the Plant.

The rights and obligations of the Certificate holder are set out in the Agreement № 449/2023 dated 30.08.2023.

Date of issue 1: 15.12.2023

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Using the certificate is possible only with the consent of the certificate holder: Barlinek Inwestycje Sp. z o.o., Przemysłowa Str. 1, 74-320 Barlinek

Detailed information regarding the program of air protection by EPA can be found on the website: https://www.epa.gov/formaldehyde/formaldehyde-emission-standards-composite-wood-products