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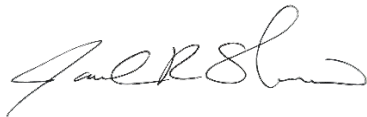
To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is written to provide an explanation and clarity around the two ASTM specifications used on Haydon's Hot-Dip Galvanized strut products. **ASTM A123** is a common and commonly specified standard for steel products. This is the standard used for Haydon's strut channel, fittings, brackets and other strut products. **ASTM A153** is also a common and commonly specified standard, but it is intended for steel fasteners and hardware. This standard is used for Haydon's strut fasteners including channel nuts and some other threaded products.

The performance of both ASTM A123 and A153 are equivalent on strut products and they will meet performance specifications equally. The two standards are both used in the Haydon strut system, but specified based on the product type. Haydon strut is coated in accordance with ASTM A123.

If there are any further questions about Haydon's products, please feel free to reach out to engineering@haydoncorp.com.

Regards,



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