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GREEN STAR CREDITS WITH ARC

To encourage environmentally responsible production, design and fabrication methods that result in efficient use of steel as a building material, the Green Building Council of Australia (GBCA) award one point in accordance with Design & As Built Credit 20 - Responsible Building Materials of the Green Star rating system;

- 20.1 95% of the buildings steel is sourced from a Responsible Steel Maker; and
- B. *For Concrete framed buildings:* at least 60% (by mass) of all reinforcing bar and mesh is produced using energy reduced processing in its manufacture.
- ARC source all reinforcing steels from Liberty Onesteel. Liberty Onesteel is a Responsible Steel Maker with valid ISO 14001 certification and is also a member of the World Steel Association (WSA) Climate Action Plan (CAP).
 - Liberty Onesteel steel makers use Polymer Injection Technology in their Electric Arc Furnaces (EAF) as an energy-reducing process (ERP) achieving approx. 70% by mass of reinforcing steels using this technology – A Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) report is available on request.

Use of ARC reinforcing steel may also contribute to claiming Green Star points in accordance with Design & As Built Credit 21 – Sustainable Products;

- 21C Environmental Product Declaration.
- ARC's Environmental Product Declaration (EDP) meets the requirements of
 - o EN 15804 and ISO 14025 compliant
 - o Verified by an independent third party
 - o Cradle-to-gate scope

For further information on the Green Star rating system refer to the Green Building Council of Australia website www.gbca.org.au or contact your ARC account manager.

Yours Sincerely,

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