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**TO: PARTIES INTERESTED IN EVALUATION REPORTS ON POST-INSTALLED ADHESIVE ANCHORS IN CONCRETE ELEMENTS**

**SUBJECT: Acceptance Criteria for Post-installed Adhesive Anchors in Concrete Elements, Subject AC308-1008-R1 (BG/ME)**

Dear Madam or Sir:

The subject revised acceptance criteria was reviewed under the alternate criteria process. Proposed revisions were posted to our web site for public comment and sent to the ICC-ES Evaluation Committee for review on October 1, 2008. The revised acceptance criteria was approved by ballot of the ICC-ES Evaluation Committee with a November 1, 2008, effective date. No comments were received in response to the criteria posting. The following revisions were approved by the committee:

1. Changes were made to Section 3.3.1.1, Annex A. These changes affect ACI 318-05 D.4.1.2 and D.4.1.4 with respect to structural design for sustained loadings on adhesive anchors.
2. Section 14.3 Annex A was removed. This change makes AC308 consistent with the 2006 IBC with respect to quality assurance during installation. Subsequent sections in AC308 were renumbered.
3. Changes were made to Section 14.3.1 (formerly 14.4.1) Annex A. These changes require continuous special inspection for overhead installations of adhesive anchors subject to sustained loads, regardless of whether periodic special inspections would be allowed for other situations.

ICC-ES evaluation reports issued on or after the effective date noted above, both new reports and conversions of legacy reports, must comply with this criteria if they fall within its scope.

If you have any questions, please contact Brian Gerber, S.E., principal structural engineer, at (800) 423-6587, extension 3260. You may also reach us by e-mail at [es@icc-es.org](mailto:es@icc-es.org).

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Kurt Stochlia'.

Kurt Stochlia, P.E.  
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Enclosure

cc: Evaluation Committee