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### ICC-ES ESR#3258 Verifies that Kreg Deck Jig Meets Code Requirements

*Kreg Deck Jig* manufactured by *Kreg Tool Company*, recently received an evaluation report (ESR#3258) from ICC Evaluation Service (ICC-ES), providing evidence that this *concealed deck fastening system from Kreg* meets code requirements. Building officials, architects, contractors, specifiers, designers and others utilize ICC-ES Evaluation Reports to provide a basis for using or approving *Kreg Deck Jig* in construction projects under the 2009 *International Building Code (IBC)* and the 2009 *International Residential Code (IRC)*.

ICC-ES President Mark Johnson explains why ICC-ES Evaluation Reports are so important. “*Kreg Tool Company* can now reference the evaluation report to ensure building officials and the building industry that the product meets I-Code requirements,” Johnson said. “Building departments have a long history of using evaluation reports, and ICC-ES operates as a technical resource for the building department. Final approval of building products is always in the hands of the local regulatory agency.”

ICC-ES thoroughly examined *Kreg Tool Company's* product information, test reports, calculations, quality control methods and other factors to ensure the product is code-compliant. “This is a culmination of a lot of hard work and effort by our employees and the ICC-ES”, said Kreg President Todd Sommerfeld. “Our customers already know how great the Deck Jig is for surfacing decks – now they can enjoy additional confidence that comes with meeting ICC-ES code requirements.”

A nonprofit, limited liability company, ICC-ES is the United States' leading evaluation service for innovative building materials, components and systems. ICC-ES [Evaluation Reports](#) (ESRs) and [PMG Listings](#) provide evidence that products and systems meet requirements of codes and technical standards. ICC-ES also issues environmental reports verifying that products meet specific sustainability targets defined by today's codes, standards, green rating systems and ICC-ES [guidelines](#). ICC-ES is a subsidiary of the [International Code Council](#)<sup>®</sup> (ICC<sup>®</sup>). For more information, please visit [www.icc-es.org](http://www.icc-es.org).

Located in Huxley, Iowa, Kreg Tool Company is a leading U.S. manufacturer of quality woodworking tools and an innovative voice in the larger woodworking community. In 1989, Kreg

pioneered the original Kreg Jig®, helping to bring the speed, strength, and simplicity of Kreg Joinery™ to the weekend woodworker. Today, Kreg continues in the tradition of innovation and quality craftsmanship with its clamping tools, Precision Machine Accessories, Precision Routing Products, and more. Kreg products are currently sold in hundreds of fine woodworking stores and home centers across the United States, Canada, and the UK. For more information, visit [www.kregtool.com](http://www.kregtool.com), today.