



Safe and approved throughout Europe

BeA staples with European Technical Approval

- **More safety for users**
- **Comprehensive range of staples with ETA**
- **ETA replaces national approvals**

Ahrensburg, 22 May 2017 – BeA supplies staples of the types 146, 155, 180, 200 and 246 with a European Technical Approval (ETA). The certified fasteners from BeA have all the characteristics required for permanent fastening in wood and wooden materials in insulating panels, plasterboard and gypsum fibre boards.

Through the ETA, the application range for staples in timber construction for the long term and continuous pull out load case is extended to cover the entire European Union. In these high-stress load cases, the staples are taken into consideration with 70 N for pull out in the direction of the shank. They are sufficiently safe even after a usage period of 50 years.

The ETA replaces the national approvals previously valid. As one of the leading companies on the European market, the Behrens Group is supporting the European harmonisation of marking. This creates more reliability for contractors in particular.

The European Technical Approval is a generally recognised certification of the technical quality of a construction product which complies with the construction product directive. The ETA also defines the materials and surface covers in which the staples can be driven to last for a guaranteed usage period of 50 years. In addition, bases for calculation which deviate from the standard can also be found in the ETA.

The ETA applies for applications in usage classes 1 and 2. for applications in usage class 3 with direct weathering of the fastening, staples cannot be used in accordance with the ETA. BeA supplies approved staple types in different lengths made of galvanised steel with resin coating as well as different stainless steel qualities with resin coating. The staples can be driven using the well known BeA staplers and the BeA Skaters 14/65-830-C and 180/65-835-C.

About Joh. Friedrich Behrens AG

The Joh. Friedrich Behrens AG with the BeA and KMR brands is one of the leading manufacturers for fastening technology for wood and similar materials on the European market. The Behrens Group, which has been operating for more than 100 years, distributes machine tools (pneumatic and gas-operated nailers and staplers)

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as well as corresponding fasteners (collated nails, staples and screws) developed and produced in Germany via a global network of subsidiaries and affiliated companies. The products are characterised by innovative technologies, the highest quality standards and modern manufacturing methods.



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The certified fasteners from BeA comply with all the properties required for permanent fastening in wood and wooden materials in insulating panels, plasterboard and gypsum fibre boards.

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