EXCLUSIVE WARRANTY

This Warranty (collectively, the “Warranty”) is issued by Sheffield Metals Cleveland, LLC, dba Sheffield Metals International (hereinafter referred to as “Sheffield”), to the customer identified in this Certificate (hereinafter referred to as “Customer”) and applies to the finish on AZ50 Galvaleume®, G90 Galvanized, or Aluminum flat sheet and coil products (hereinafter referred to as the “Product”) with a WeatherXILon Polyester Coating (hereinafter referred to as the “Coating”) if erected anywhere within the Continental United States including Alaska, Hawaii and Canada.

1. This Warranty applies if any of the following Warranty Conditions occurs:
   a. Within 40 years from the date of application of application of the paint, WeatherXL exhibits cracking, flaking or peeling (loss of adhesion) to an extent that is apparent on ordinary outdoor visual observation. Minute fracturing, which may occur in proper fabrication of the building parts, is not a covered Warranty Condition.
   b. Within 30 years from the date of installation of the panels, WeatherXL:
      i. Chalks in excess of ASTM D-4214 Method A number six (6) rating on horizontally installed (roofing) panels and a number eight (8) rating on vertically installed (sidewall) panels, when properly maintained as described herein, and
      ii. Changes color more than seven (7.0) Hunter delta-E units on horizontally installed (roofing) panels and five (5.0) Hunter delta-E units on vertically installed (sidewall) panels, as determined by ASTM method D-2244. Color change shall be measured on an exposed painted surface that has been cleaned of surface soils and chalk, and the corresponding values measured on the original or unexposed painted surface. Color changes may not be uniform on surfaces that are not equally exposed to the sun and elements and Val spar does not warrant that color changes will be uniform.
   c. Improper treatment of or defects in the metal or in the fabrication;
   d. Intermittent or continual subsurface in water in any other liquid or solid material;
   e. Damage from wind, deliberate damage, improper handling by rectorists; and
   f. Mishandled Products, e.g., ANY PRODUCT WHICH HAS BEEN ABUSED, ALTERED, MODIFIED, USED IN A MANNER NOT ORIGINALLY INTENDED, OR STORED CONTRARY TO OUR INSTRUCTIONS.
   g. Stored or installed in a way that allows for poor air circulation, contact with animals or animal waste;
   h. Embossing that fractures or severely stretches the film (i.e. film is diminished at the point of emboss by greater than 0.2 mils.

2. This Warranty does not apply to circumstances beyond Sheffield’s control, including:
   a. Fire or other casualty or physical damage;
   b. Unsual harmful fumes, foreign substances in the atmosphere or standing water. No warranty is provided on any substrate that is subjected to sea spray or installed within a property located 1,500 or fewer feet from a salt-water environment.
   c. Improper treatment of or defects in the metal or in the fabrication;
   d. Intermittent or continual subsurface in water in any other liquid or solid material;
   e. Damage from wind, deliberate damage, improper handling by rectorists; and
   f. Mishandled Products, e.g., ANY PRODUCT WHICH HAS BEEN ABUSED, ALTERED, MODIFIED, USED IN A MANNER NOT ORIGINALLY INTENDED, OR STORED CONTRARY TO OUR INSTRUCTIONS.
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3. This Warranty does not cover damage or deterioration resulting from moisture contamination or entrapment or any other contamination detrimental to the coating, which occurs prior to installation of the Products, including, without limitation, contamination occurring during shipment of the Product to the job or during storage at the job site. This Warranty does not cover failure due to corrosion of substrate. Other Sheffield warranties address corrosion issues.

4. EXCLUDED ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS
   This Warranty does not apply to sheet exposed at any time to corrosive chemicals, ash, fumes, cement dust, animal waste, or it’s decomposition by-products, fallout from copper, lead, nickel or silver mining or refining operations and carbon black;

5. All Warranty work will be performed by Sheffield, or any company, dealer, contractor, applicator, or distributor selected by Sheffield. Since there may be a color variance between the replacement or repainted Product and the originally installed Product due to normal weathering (i.e. exposure to sunlight and extremes of temperature and weather) of the originally installed Products, this condition shall not be indicative of a defect.

6. SHEFFIELD SHALL NOT IN ANY EVENT BE LIABLE FOR INDIRECT OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, EXCEPT FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE TO PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE, LOSS OF PROFIT, DELAY OR ANY INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE FAILURE OF ANY PRODUCT OR COATING TO CONFORM WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS LIMITED WARRANTY.

7. This Warranty applies only to products manufactured by the customer within six (6) months from shipment thereof by Sheffield Metals International.

8. Claims under this Warranty must be presented by the customer to Sheffield in writing during the warranty period and within thirty (30) days after Customer becomes aware that any warranted condition has occurred. Time is of the essence and failure to give notice within the specified time shall discharge Sheffield from any obligation to Customer. Sheffield shall be given a reasonable opportunity to do an on-site inspection to determine if there is a coating failure.

9. The Laws of the State of Ohio shall exclusively govern the rights and duties of the parties to this Warranty. Any controversy or claim arising out of or related to this Warranty shall be brought before a court of competent jurisdiction in Cleveland, Ohio under the substantive and procedural laws of the State of Ohio.

10. Customer acknowledges that Sheffield is not the manufacturer or applicator of the Coating warranted herein and agrees that all issues arising from or related to the exceptions set forth herein shall be determined finally and conclusively as to Customer, by the original manufacturer.

11. This Warranty applies solely to Sheffield “inventoried stock” color. Customer non-inventoried stock items may have different Warranty terms, or not be warranted.

12. For this Warranty to apply, the Customer must retain certain records. In order for Sheffield to process a claim, we will need to be told the original coil or skid tag number.

13. SHEFFIELD METALS CLEVELAND, LLC

Name Printed: Adam Mazzella
Title: President
Date: “Sheffield”
Issued To: For:
Job: Color:
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