# SUGGESTED CANADIAN SPECIFICATIONS SECTION 09 72 00

# C/S Acrovyn® .040" Rigid Sheet

## Part 1 - General 1.01 Summary

- **A.** This section includes the following types of wall protection systems:
  - 1. Wall Covering
- **B.** Related sections: The following sections contain requirements related to this section:
  - 1. Handrails, Bumper Guards, Crash Rails, Corner Guards, Accent Rails, Wall Panels, Door Protection; refer to section 10 26 00 "Wall and Door Protection"

### 1.02 References

- **A.** National Building Code of Canada "NBC" (2010)
- **B.** National codes (IBC, UBC, SBCCI, BOCA and Life Safety)
- C. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)
- **D.** Underwriters Laboratories (UL)

#### 1.03 Submittals

- **A.** General: Submit the following in accordance with conditions of contract and Division 1 specification section 01 33 00 "Submittal Procedures".
- **B.** Product data and detailed specifications for each system component and installation accessory required, including installation methods for each type of substrate.
- **C.** Shop drawings showing locations, extent and installation details of wall covering products.
- **D.** Samples for verification purposes: Submit the following samples, as proposed for this work, for verification of color, texture, pattern and thickness:
  - 1. Sample of each product specified.
- **E.** Product test reports from a qualified independent testing laboratory showing compliance of each component with requirements indicated.
- **F.** Maintenance data for wall protection system components for inclusion in the operating and maintenance manuals specified in Division 1.

## 1.04 Quality Assurance

- **A.** Installer qualifications: Engage an installer who has no less than 3 years experience in installation of systems similar in complexity to those required for this project.
- **B.** Manufacturer's qualifications: Not less than 5 years experience in the production of specified products and a record of successful in-service performance.
- C. Code compliance: Assemblies should conform to all applicable codes including NBC (2010), IBC, UBC, SBCCI, BOCA and Life Safety.
- **A.** Fire performance characteristics: Provide Vinyl / Acrylic wall protection system with components tested to Canadian Required CAN/ULC S102.2, "Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Flooring, Floor Coverings, and Miscellaneous Materials and Assemblies" with results listed below:
  - 1. Flame spread: 10
  - 2. Smoke developed: 45

- **D.** Impact Strength: Provide assembled wall protection units that have been tested in accordance with the applicable provisions of ASTM F476.
- **E.** Chemical and stain resistance: Provide wall protection system components with chemical and stain resistance in accordance with ASTM D-1308.
- **F.** Color match: Provide wall protection components that are color matched in accordance with the following:
  - 1. Delta Ecmc of no greater than 1.0 using CIELab color space. (Specifier note: Construction Specialties' colors are matched under cool white fluorescent lighting and computer controlled within manufacturing tolerances. Color may vary if alternate lighting sources are present).
- **G.** Single source responsibility: Provide all components of the wall protection system manufactured by the same company to ensure compatibility of color, texture and physical properties.

# 1.05 Delivery, Storage and Handling

- **A.** Deliver materials to the project site in unopened original factory packaging clearly labeled to show manufacturer.
- **B.** Store materials in original, undamaged packaging in a clean, dry place out of direct sunlight and exposure to the elements. A minimum room temperature of 40°F (4°C) and a maximum of 100°F (38°C) should be maintained. **C.** Materials must be stored flat.

## 1.06 Project Conditions

- **A.** Materials must be acclimated in an environment of 65-75°F (18-24°C) for at least 24 hours prior to beginning the installation.
- **B.** Installation areas must be enclosed and weatherproofed before installation commences.

### Part 2 - Products 2.01 Manufacturers

**A.** Interior surface protection products specified herein and installed on the submittal drawings shall be manufactured by Construction Specialties, Inc.

## 2.02 Materials

**A.** Vinyl/Acrylic: Rigid sheet should be high impact Acrovyn, nominal .040" (1.02mm) thickness in Suede texture. Supplied in 4' x 8' or 10' (1.22m x 2.44m or 3.05m) sheet sizes. Available in (60) Acrovyn solid colors or (16) Chameleon patterned colorways which include (14) woodgrains and (2) metals. Specify color-matched caulk or vinyl/acrylic trim as needed for joint/transitions. Metal trims also available.

## 2.03 Fabrication

**A.** General: Fabricate wall covering to comply with requirements indicated for design, dimensions, detail, finish and sizes.

### 2.04 Accessories

**A.** Acrovyn Wall Covering shall be furnished as a complete packaged system, containing all primers and adhesive. Primer and adhesive materials shall be water based and nonhazardous

### Part 3 - Execution 3.01 Examination

- **A.** Verification of conditions: Examine areas and conditions under which work is to be performed and identify conditions detrimental to proper or timely completion.
  - 1. Do not proceed until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.02 Preparation

- **A.** Surface preparation: Prior to installation, clean substrate to remove dirt, debris and loose particles. Perform additional preparation procedures as required by manufacturer's instructions.
- **B.** Protection: Take all necessary steps to prevent damage to material during installation as required in manufacturer's installation instructions.

#### 3.03 Installation

- **A.** Install the work of this section in strict accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, using approved adhesive.
- **B.** Temperature at the time of installation must be between 65-75°F (18-24°C) and be maintained for at least 48 hours after the installation to allow for proper adhesive set up.
- C. Relative humidity shall not exceed 80%.
- **D.** Do not expose wall covering to direct sunlight during or after installation. This will cause the surface temperature to rise, which in turn will cause bubbles and delamination.

## 3.04 Cleaning

- **A.** General: Immediately upon completion of installation, clean wall covering and accessories in accordance with manufacturer's recommended cleaning method.
- **B.** Remove surplus materials, rubbish and debris resulting from installation as work progresses and upon completion of work.

### 3.05 Protection

**A.** Protect installed materials to prevent damage by other trades. Use materials that may be easily removed without leaving residue or permanent stains.