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ULTRA-CLAD XT-40S® SMP 40 YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

OWNER:	
PROJECT NAME:	PROJECT ADDRESS:
CUSTOMER:	OF:
CONTRACTOR:	OF:
INVOICE NO.:	DATE:
DATE WARRANTY BEGINS:	DATE WARRANTY ENDS:

COATED METALS GROUP (CMG) extends the following limited paint warranty to the OWNER, that subject to the provisions herein, Dura Coat's XT-40S® Super Durable SMP coating to aluminum coil, G90 HDG steel coil or Zinc-Aluminum Alloy steel coil for building parts shall, for the term as listed below, meet the following standards for the products (COATING) called out in the attached Product Warranty Terms Table (WARRANTY TABLE) for use in coating coils of metal to create pre-painted metal to be fabricated into formed panels for use in cladding of buildings or equipment or as functional or decorative accessories for exterior applications in the United States and Canada. This warranty does not cover corrosion.

SECTION A: LIMITED WARRANTY

CMG warrants that XT-40S® will conform to the performance standards listed below ("Limited Warranty"), with duration from date of installation and measurement standards as called out in the attached WARRANTY TABLE, provided all conditions of this Limited Warranty are met:

- A. COATING will not peel, flake, or otherwise lose adhesion ("Film Integrity") to an extent that is apparent on ordinary outdoor visual observation. NOTE: Slight crazing or cracking may occur on roll-formed edges or break bends at the time of forming and is considered standard such crazing or cracking shall not constitute a basis for complaint under this Limited Warranty. Further, failure due to substrate issues including, but not limited to corrosion, is not covered by this Limited Warranty. Various metals may react differently under different atmospheric conditions.
- B. COATING will not change color ("Color Fade") more than the level called out in WARRANTY TABLE when measured per ASTM D 2244 on clean surfaces after removing dirt, other surface deposits, and chalk. It is understood that color change may not be uniform if the surfaces are not equally exposed to solar radiation and other elements; and
- C. COATING will not chalk ("Chalk") more than the rating called out in WARRANTY TABLE when measured per ASTM D 4214, Method A.

Certain bright, saturated, non-standard colors are not attainable without using formulations that are more susceptible to the effects of outdoor weathering, and as such will carry reduced warranty coverage. CMG will inform you in writing at the time of color matching if the color is subject to reduced warranty coverage.

SECTION B: REMEDY

If the DURA COAT XT-40S® fails to comply with the Limited Warranty, CMG, at our option, will refinish; replace, including installation cost; or refund the original unit purchase price (appropriate documentation required), for the defective portion of the installation exceeding the conditions described above ("Limited Warranty"). Any refinishing of the defective portion shall be done in accordance with standard industry practice to provide a uniform appearance with the remainder of the installation. Any refund provided in lieu of refinish or replacement will only be paid out upon receipt from OWNER or its customer of a full and final written release of CMG and DURA COAT from any further liability for the affected portion of the field claim. This Warranty will continue to apply to any affected portion that is repainted or replaced under this Limited Warranty, but only for the unexpired portion of the Limited Warranty period applicable to the original coated affected portion.

SECTION C: LIMITED WARRANTY EXCLUSIONS

CMG cannot and does not control the circumstances of application of COATING. Therefore, this Limited Warranty only applies when COATING is applied as part of a complete DURA COAT system. A complete DURA COAT system means a DURA COAT topcoat applied onto properly cleaned and pretreated metal (aluminum, Galfan®, Galvalume®, galvanized steel, ZAM®, Zincalume®) which has been primed with an approved DURA COAT primer on both sides of the metal sheet, and which has been coated with an approved DURA COAT backer coating on the reverse side, all per specifications on the DURA COAT product Data Sheet. CMG does not warrant the use of DURA COAT topcoats with non-DURA COAT coatings or when mixing of different products (e.g., different product codes, different formulations, different qualities, etc.) on the same project when installed in a manner where weathering differences are visually noticeable. Limited Warranty Benefits are only available for complete DURA COAT coatings systems.

We are not responsible and provide no Limited Warranty Benefits for any damage or condition resulting from any of the following circumstances or any other circumstances beyond our control:

- A Acts of God, falling objects, explosions, fire, external forces, or other such similar or dissimilar circumstances beyond CMG's control;
- B. Harmful fumes or foreign substances in the atmosphere, or salt spray;
- C. Defects in the substrate metal or in its fabrication, or embossing;
- D. Any substrate corrosion or loss of adhesion as a result of contact with or run off from dissimilar metals (copper, lead, stainless steel, etc.), green/pressure- treated lumber, incompatible fasteners and/or wet insulation, substrate fabrication, or embossing processes;
- E. Paint adhesion loss and/or staining as a result of excessive sealant or failure to remove steel debris/iron particles that come in contact with the painted surface;
- F. Failure to properly clean and remove organic debris, including but not limited to tree leaves, tree limbs, pine needles, dirt, fungus, moss;
- 6. COATING which has been damaged due to moisture entrapment in coils and/or bundles during transit or storage, or which has been stored or installed in such a way that allows standing water on the coating;
- H. Failures or damage resulting from substrate exposure or corrosion at cut/bare edges or failure of the metal substrate;
- I. Significant differences in insulation below the coated metal surface;

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SECTION C: LIMITED WARRANTY EXCLUSIONS - Continued

- J. Development of any other condition between the coating and the substrate which causes the coating to degrade or delaminate, including any failure or deficiency in the cleaning process or pretreatment;
- K. COATING coated material that has been stored/installed in such a way that allows contact with concrete, animals or animal waste, soil, vegetation, or other corrosive materials;
- L. Mishandling of COATING or of any substrate coated with it, including abuse, alteration, modification, perforation, touch-up paint application, improper use, or storage;
- M. Attachment or adhesion of materials or items such as snow guards and solar panels to the coating;
- N. Use of any bleach-based cleaners;
- O. Any condition which occurs in any chemically aggressive environment containing salts, or other chemicals, whether naturally occurring or caused by man, are stored/installed in an environment that includes, but not limited to, a high degree of humidity, sand, dirt, ash, or grease;
- P. Exposure of excess humidity, condensation, frost, mold, mildew, or fungus on product surfaces;
- Q. Where mixing of lots (i.e., different line runs, different batches of COATING) occur on the same building plane (i.e., same door, wall, or roof).

SECTION D: CUSTOMER'S OBLIGATIONS

To receive Warranty Benefits under this Limited Warranty, CUSTOMER must:

- A. Advise CMG in writing of any claimed violation of this Limited Warranty within thirty (30) days of receiving notice thereof; and
- B. Promptly afford CMG the opportunity to inspect the installation/defective metal parts; and
- C. Provide documentation to CMG as CMG deems necessary to confirm OWNER's complaint, including original owner's proof of purchase, original invoice number, color, gauge, and any other records sufficient for CMG to identify the batch number and application date of the COATING and coating system involved. OWNER must maintain this information for a period of no less than two (2) years beyond the longest period of coverage for COATING and said records shall be available to CMG upon request.
- D. This warranty is valid only after receipt of full payment for all warrantable material.

SECTION E: EXCLUSION OF OTHER WARRANTIES / LIMITATION OF LIABILITIES

Except for this Limited Warranty, CMG MAKES NO WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, ORAL OR WRITTEN, AND DISCLAIMS ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES INCLUDING WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, OR OTHER WARRANTY OF QUALITY, OR FREEDOM FROM PATENT INFRINGEMENT. Except as provided in this Limited Warranty, CMG has no other liability with respect to the COATING system, whether based on contract, negligence, strict liability in tort, or otherwise. CMG WILL NOT BE LIABLE FOR SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, such as, but not limited to, damage or loss of other property or equipment, loss of profits or revenue, cost of capital, cost of purchase or replacement of other goods, or claims of customers of OWNER for business or service interruptions.

WARRANTY TABLE

	Film Integrity	Color Fade ASTM D 2244				Chalk ASTM D4214 Method A		
COATING	Years	Years	Vertical Surface ΔE Hunter Units	Non-Vertical Surface ΔE Hunter Units	Years	Vertical Surface ΔE Hunter Units	Non-Vertical Surface ΔE Hunter Units	
XT-40S®	40	30	5	5	30	8	8	

SECTION F: OTHER TERMS

This is our complete warranty. It is issued only to OWNER and is not assignable to any other party. This Limited Warranty automatically expires upon any change or transfer of ownership of the property on which the metal coated with COATING is originally installed. The rights and obligations of the parties hereunder shall be governed by Wisconsin law.