



RedBOND COMPOSITE PANEL WARRANTY

RedBOND, as the manufacturing company, warrants first-hand buyers that for a period of **5 years** the **RedBOND** Composite Panel is **defect-free and will keep its original qualities**. **RedBOND** warrants that during the Warranty Period and in absence of ponding or standing water:

Panels will not peel, check or crack except for such slight crazing or cracking as may occur on normal roll-formed edges or break bends at the time of roll forming or other transformation operation which is accepted in industry as standard, as a direct result of manufacturing defects.

Panels will not fade or change of color in excess of 8 ΔE units, when measured according to ASTM D-2244 on exposed paint surfaces which have been cleaned of external deposits and chalk. Notwithstanding the foregoing, **RedBOND** makes no warranty against fading or color change for any Panels that are installed 46° or more from the vertical.

Panels will not experience a loss of gloss that exceeds 30% when measured on vertical exposed surfaces that have been cleaned of external deposits and chalk and compared to the corresponding values measured on unexposed original coated surfaces. The gloss shall be measured at an angle of 60° and in accordance with standard procedures as defined by ASTM D523.

Warranty coverage is subject to the terms, conditions and limitations set forth below:

- This Warranty will be authorized by a competent member of Company **RedBOND**, is extended only to the buyer and is not assignable or transferable.
- This Warranty Period shall apply worldwide, except where the Panel is installed within 10° North or South of the equator, in which case the Warranty Period shall be one-half (1/2) of the above stated period.
- The Warranty Period starts from the date of the Panel shipment.
- Any complaint about a supposedly defective panel must be communicated without delay and in good faith to **RedBOND** within the Warranty Period so that an inspection can be made "on site" by our quality department. The buyer is obligated to inspect the goods on delivery. Any concerns about damages, defects or any other matters relating to delivery notes must be communicated within the Warranty Period from arrival goods.
- The buyer shall maintain adequate records to establish identification of the Panel such as pallet number, delivery note number, date of shipment, etc. The buyer shall demonstrate that the failure of the Panel was due to a breach of the Warranty stated herein.
- This Warranty covers only the particular defects described in this certificate and only if they arise during normal use and service. It does not cover defects attributable to causes or occurrences beyond **RedBOND**'s control and unrelated to the manufacturing process, including:
 - Exposure to corrosive atmosphere (such as those contaminated with salt-spray, acid rain, harmful chemicals or vapors), mildew, intermittent or continual submersion in water or any other liquid or solid material, use of the Panel within one mile of any body of salt water without a systematic fresh water rinse maintenance program so as to prevent the accumulation of concentrated salt deposits.
 - Outdoor installation, Panels used for façade cladding, color changes that result from unequal exposure to sunlight, prolonged exposure to temperatures below 50°C or above 90°C.
 - Faulty or improper installation, improper handling by erectors, unreasonable use, misuse, physical abuse, accidental damage, building settlement or structural failures (including walls and foundations), use of incompatible accessories, use of faulty raw materials, windborne objects, deliberate damage, mechanical damage or any other physical damage, vandalism, riots, acts of war.
 - Flood, earthquake, hail, hurricanes, tornados, fire, lighting, explosions, ice or windstorms, or other acts of God.
 - Use of harmful cleaning compounds, contact with adhesives substances, glues, cement, concrete, mortar, gum, dissolvent agents, exposure to abrasive substances.
 - Damage to the coating that occurs prior to the final use of the Panel, including without limitation, contamination (moisture, condensation,...) occurring during shipment of the Panel to the job site or during storage at the job site.
- If after inspection of the Panel, **RedBOND** determines that the claimed defect is covered by this Warranty, **RedBOND** as its sole option, shall refinish, repair or replace the defective Panel without charge to the buyer. **RedBOND** will not assume the costs of any transformation process made on the panel.
- All Warranty work will be performed by **RedBOND** or by a company, dealer, applicator, or distributor selected by **RedBOND**. Since there may be a color variance between the replacement or refinished Panel and the originally Panel due to normal weathering of this, this condition shall not be indicative of a defect.
- **RedBOND** reserves the right to discontinue or modify its Panel lines and coating colors. If the original Panel or coating color is no longer available, **RedBOND** will, at its option, either substitute a Panel or coating color of comparable quality or refund no more than the purchase price of the defective Panel.
- The Warranty Period applicable to any refinished, repaired or replaced Panels shall be for the remaining un-expired portion of the original Warranty Period.
- This Warranty may not be modified or change except by a written document signed by an authorized representative of Company **RedBOND**.

