



# Limited Lifetime Paint Warranty

## 45 Year

Metal Roofing Supply & Manufacturing, Incorporated (hereafter MRS) extends this warranty to panels, effective from the date of shipment and sold as a warranted or Number One (#1) panel as indicated on the customer's original invoice. It applies only to goods used on wood frame buildings and on architectural, commercial, pre-engineered or residential metal buildings, which are installed in the United States. This warranty shall extend to the Purchaser of the material and is non-assignable and/or non-transferable. Should the Purchaser become insolvent, bankrupt, make an assignment for the benefits of its creditors, or for any reason discontinue its normal or regular business practices, this warranty shall forthwith become null and void and of no legal effect. The Purchaser must present the original MRS sales receipt for warranty consideration; a contractor's or installer's receipt rendered to his or her customer for materials, labor, or service is insufficient for any warranty claim.

### TERMS

Although it is recognized by MRS that most coatings will fade and change in appearance to some degree over a period of time in outdoor installations, and that such changes may not be uniform between surfaces not equally exposed, MRS warrants that the goods covered by this warranty will resist natural weathering to the extent that they will conform to the performance standards listed below during a period of the lifetime of the roof for film integrity and a period of 45 years after shipment for both chalking and color change, provided that all conditions of this warranty are first met. Provisions 1 through 3 below apply to materials installed north of the 15-degree parallel of latitude in the northern hemisphere. Only Provision 1 applies to buildings south of this latitude.

**Provision 1.** For 45 years, the topcoat will not peel, flake or otherwise lose adhesion to an extent that is apparent on ordinary outdoor visual observation. NOTE: Slight cracking may occur on roll-formed edges or break bends at the time of forming and is considered standard—such cracking shall not constitute a basis for complaint under this limited warranty, and

**Provision 2.** For 45 years, vertical installations of the topcoat will not change color more than 7 NBS Units, and non-vertical installations will not change more than 9 NBS Units following field installation. Color

measurements are to be made per ASTM D 2244 and only on clean surfaces after removing surface deposits and chalk ASTM D 3964: and

**Provision 3.** For 45 years, vertical installations of the topcoat will not chalk more than a number 6 rating, and non-vertical installations will not chalk more than a number 4 rating, when measured per ASTM 04214, Method A.

## **EXCEPTIONS**

*This is an anti-weathering limited warranty and does not apply to other causes of degradation, including:*

1. The topcoat which has suffered scratching or abrasion or impact by a hard object; has been abused, altered, modified, used in a manner not originally intended or stored contrary to instructions of MRS or in accordance with good Industry practice; is damaged due to moisture entrapment in bundles during transit or storage; is stored or installed in a way which allows standing water on the coating or in any chemically aggressive environment containing fumes, ash, cement dust, carbon black, salts or other chemicals, whether naturally occurring or caused by man; is stored or installed in a way which allows contact with animals and/or animal waste or its decomposition products; is stored or installed in an area, or in such a way, that damage can occur due to poor air circulation; is stored or installed in areas (subject to fallout from copper, lead, nickel, or silver milling or refining operations; has suffered any damage caused by acts of God, radiation, falling objects, explosion, fire, riots, civil commotion, acts of war or other external forces.
2. The topcoat which suffers from improper fabrication, cut-edge exposure, corrosion of the substrate, or the development of any other condition between the coating and the substrate which causes that coating to degrade or delaminate; including any failure or deficiency in the cleaning process or pre-treatment.
3. The topcoat which is installed within 1,000 meters of a salt water or other marine environment.
4. This warranty will not extend to or cover damages to the material due to improper shipping, handling, installation, storing, painting, erecting of the panels on the job site and/or any act of negligence of the customer or any third party after the panels leave the possession of MRS. Claims arising from the following conditions will also not be warranted: a) Steel shavings from sawing sparks that come into contact with the paint surface. b) Damage to the paint surface due to the use of an abrasive saw blade. c) Panels used on or near animal confinement. d) Damage due to the use of wet, green, or treated lumber. e) Use of fasteners not recommended by MRS, which may be deemed inferior.

## **REMEDY**

If the product fails to perform as warranted, the company which supplied MRS with the coil from which the product was manufactured will repaint or replace the defective panels at its sole discretion, and MRS shall bear no liability. If said company chooses to replace the defective material,

the liability is expressly limited to the purchase price of the defective material and labor costs will not be given due consideration. Should the product be replaced or removed from the structure by the warrantee at any time before conclusion of the warranty claim investigation, any warranty claim will be voided.

MRS will not be held responsible for any losses, damages, or expenses caused by or resulting from the use of defective material or labor. MRS reserves the right to terminate or modify this warranty except with respect to orders previously accepted.

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