

## **ABOUT THE PRODUCT:**

AirCare VG (Matt/Sheen) is an anti-formaldehyde interior emulsion that helps to create a safer and more hygienic indoor environment. It is enriched with silver ion technology which is ideal for people who are allergic to formaldehyde and paint odor. The product comes with a 5 year warranty subject to terms and conditions set forth below.

#### **REGISTRATION:**

To avail the benefits of this warranty it is essential to register the warranty with us by calling 1800 425 3636.

The warranty shall be issued if a minimum of 60 L of material is purchased. A unique warranty registration number will be issued by the operator for future reference.

The warranty period will commence from the date of purchase as evident from the invoice of the last purchase of the product. Hence it is mandatory that warranty be registered within 15 days from purchase of the product.

For sites where total purchase of Aircare VG (Matt/Sheen) Emulsion exceeds 150 L, the warranty is subject to a satisfactory pre-inspection of the surface to be painted by the company representative. After completion of painting another inspection will be done by the company representative and the warranty shall be issued if the inspection is found to be satisfactory.

## **WARRANTY COVER:**

Throughout this warranty, a claim on paint failure can be made only if any one of the following occurs, subject to terms and conditions laid down in this warranty

- (a) Film integrity, flaking, peeling off of Aircare VG (Matt / Sheen) Emulsion by one coat of paint coming off another or the paint coming off from the wall.
- (b) Cracks developed in film due to non-formation of paint film

#### **CONDITIONS & LIMITATIONS:**

The warranty shall apply

- (a) When Aircare VG (Matt/Sheen) Emulsion product has been applied on the recommended surface.
- (b) The entire painting system is as recommended by the company.
- (c) Proper surface preparation is carried out as per company's recommendation (Please refer to the Technical Data Sheet for the recommended system).
- (d) Dr. Bond Efflorescence Resistant Primer applied as undercoat.
- (f) Coverage for interiors is 9.29 10.21 Sq m/L/2 Coats.



## **EXCLUSIONS:**

This warranty shall not cover defects caused directly or indirectly by any one or more of the following factors and the company's decision on the cause of the defect shall be final and binding.

- (a) Due to improper storage or handling of the product.
- (b) Due to substandard and/or defective workmanship in the execution of work.
- (c) Deterioration of paint film including but not limited to staining, efflorescence, fungal/algal growth caused from constant dampness around and within the walls from air conditioning units, high moisture retention caused from water seepage, source of water leakage like plant pots, intermittent dripping of water due to proximity of vegetation, capillary rise of ground level water or defects of similar nature.
- (d) Defects caused from insufficient paint film thickness that does not cover the substrate adequately.
- (e) Poor or improper surface preparation or paint application procedure that may cause contamination, that may stop the surface from drying.
- (f) Growth of algae or fungus on surfaces other than those that were painted with Aircare VG.
- (g) Surface deposition of fungus/algae, dirt or contaminant that can be removed through periodic cleaning. Fungus and algae growth that can be washed off is classified as a foreign layer deposited on paint film.
- (h) Trace difference in color or texture of new materials being supplied for repair work against previous material.
- (i) Claims of indirect, incidental or consequential damages resulting from breach of this warranty are specifically excluded
- (j) Failure to follow the instructions of the company on preparation of surface before application of the product and failure to undertake maintenance of the surface as prescribed by the company.
- (k) Factors out of the company's control.
- (I) Paint failures due to structural defects, excessive bird dropping, spitting, and staining due to plant pots.
- (m) Natural calamities such as earthquakes, cyclones, abnormal rain or flood etc.
- (n) Failure or defects in structure or in previous coat.
- (o) Vandalism or heavy impact on the paint film with objects like furniture with sharp edges.
- (p) Abuse or negligence by customers.
- (q) Normal wear and tear.

#### **CLAIM PROCEDURE:**

- (a) Any claims under this warranty should be intimated to the company (in the manner prescribed below) not later than one week from the day when the defect giving rise to the claim is first discovered.
- (b) Intimation of claims should be made by any of the following means:
  - a. calling toll free number: 1800 425 3636;
  - b. sending an email to: tu@nipponpaint.co.in
- (c) On receipt of intimation of a claim, the company will arrange for its representative to visit your site and evaluate the nature of the complaint. Should the findings of the inspection conclude that the claim falls within the scope of this warranty, the company shall provide the limited benefits as detailed in the section below.
- (d) The original invoice issued at the time of purchase of the product and warranty card must be produced to avail the benefits under this warranty.

#### **COMPANY'S LIMITED LIABILITY:**

The company's liability is limited to material or material and labor cost for the affected area only and any other related, incidental or consequential cost shall be borne by the customer.

Subject to the terms of this warranty, in the event of paint failure due to manufacturing defects that occur during the relevant warranty period, the company will provide the following:

(a) The company will offer, either the required quantity of equivalent or comparable product at no charge, or the price of the required quantity of the product (at the market rate prevailing on the date when the claim is lodged) as is necessary to repair the affected area only. The company will determine the extent of the affected area and the quantity of product that will be sufficient to repair specific areas affected by the defect. The company's decision on all of the above matters (which shall be made in its sole discretion) shall be final and binding.

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- (b) The company will pay the labour costs required to repair specific areas affected by the defect. The company will estimate the labour cost required to repair the affected area based on the existing market rate in the location of the site. The labour cost may be determined on the basis of a per sq. ft. rate or on a daily wages basis. The company's determination of appropriate labour costs and the basis for the costing shall be final and binding.
- (c) Benefits under this warranty will be made available only if (i) Warranty is registered (ii) The said benefits are accepted as full and final settlement of all claims against the company and (iii) The customers agrees to keep the facts and all matters concerning the defects, claim and the benefits provided under this warranty confidential at all time.

The company's liability will reduce over warranty period according to following scale

- (i) In the first 12 months after commencement date 100% replacement cost.
- (ii) From months 13 to 24 after commencement date 80% replacement cost.
- (iii) From 25 to 36 months after commencement date 60% replacement cost.
- (iv) From 37 to 48 months after commencement date 50% replacement cost.
- (v) From 49 to 60 months after commencement date 20% replacement cost.

Replacement cost shall be the cost of material or material and labor, required to set right the affected area.

Where any claim arise during the warranty period, the period will not start afresh after settlement of the claim.

#### **JURISDICTION:**

All disputes arising from, related to or in connection with this warranty will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of appropriate courts in Chennai, to the exclusion of any other court that may have jurisdiction in such matters.

## **CUSTOMER AND WARRANTY DETAILS** 201 Customer Name: . . Contact Number: Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Warranty Number: Base: Shade Code / Name: Quantity: Dealer Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Warranty Cover: \_\_\_\_\_ Warranty Period: \_\_\_\_ **Quality Assurance** Nippon Paint (India) Private Limited Signature & Seal. I hereby declare that I have read and understood the terms, conditions and liabilities pertaining to this warranty. Customer Signature: Customer Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_

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