AZ-50 / G-100 20-Year Limited Warranty

AB Martin. ("Seller") hereby provides this LIMITED WARRANTY to Buyer. AB Martin. warrants that, subject to the following provisions, Seller's hot-dipped aluminum-zinc alloy-coated GALVALUME AZ50 and zinc-coated Galvanized G-100 and heavier sheet steel, sold for use as prepainted steel building, roofing and siding panels, if erected within the Continental United States, WILL NOT rupture, fail structurally, or perforate within a period of 20 years and 6 months after shipment from our manufacturing facility due to exposure to normal atmospheric conditions.

# EXCLUDED ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS

This limited warranty DOES NOT APPLY to sheet exposed at any time to corrosive or aggressive atmospheric conditions, including but not limited to:

- 1. Areas subject to saltwater marine atmospheres or to constant spraying of either salt or fresh water.
- 2. Areas subject to fallout or exposure to corrosive chemicals, fumes, ash, cement dust, or animal waste.
- 3. Areas subject to water runoff from lead or copper flashings or areas on metallic contact with lead or copper.
- 4. Conditions/circumstances where corrosive fumes or condensates are generated or released inside the building

## OTHER EXCLUDED SITUATIONS

- This limited warranty DOES NOT APPLY in the event of.
- A. Bends less than 2T for sheet thickness 0.030- and thinner and less than 4T for sheet thickness 0.031" and thicker.
- B. Slopes of the roof or sections of the roof flatter than 1/4:12.
- C. Mechanical, chemical, or other damage sustained during shipment, storage, forming fabrication, or during or after erection.
- D. Forming which incorporates severe reverse bending or which subjects coating to alternate compression and tension.
- E. Failure to provide free drainage of water, including internal condensation, from overlaps and all other surfaces of the sheets or panels.
- F. Failure to remove debris from overlaps and all other surfaces of the sheets or panels.
- G. Damage caused to the metallic coating by improper roll forming, scouring or cleaning procedures.
- H. Deterioration of the panels caused by contact with green or wet lumber or wet storage stains caused by water damage or condensation.
- I. Presence of damp insulation or other corrosive materials on contact with or in close proximity to the panel.
- J. This warranty does not apply in the event of deterioration of the panels caused directly or indirectly by panel contact with fasteners. Selection of suitable long-lasting fasteners to be used with GALVALUME-sheet roofing and siding panels rests solely with the Buyer.

## **BUYERS OBLIGATIONS**

1. Buyer shall inspect material received from Seller prior to Installation so as to mitigate expense involved in repairing, repainting or replacing defective sheets.

2. Any claim on account of a defect in the product or for any other cause whatsoever shall be deemed WAIVED by Buyer unless written notice thereof is given to Seller within 30 days after discovery of the defect and within the applicable guarantee period. Seller shall be given reasonable opportunity to investigate all claims, and no products shall be returned to Seller without Seller's inspection and approval and receipt by Buyer of written shipping instructions from Seller.

3. To be effective, Buyer's notice shall include such records as may enable Seller to establish the AB Martin order number, AB Martin invoice number, date of shipment by AB Martin, and the date of installation in the form of siding or roofing panels of the claimed defective sheet. These records must be duly authenticated, be made in the ordinary course of business, and be contemporaneous with the events noted therein. Buyer shall also present such evidence that establishes that any claimed defect was due to a breach of the guarantee stated herein.

## **EXCLUSIVE REMEDY:**

If any of Sellers products fails to perform as warranted, the company will, at its option, repaint or replace the defective panels or refund the Buyer the price paid for the material. AB Martin's total liability is expressly limited to the purchase price of the defective material. Except as provided herein, AB Martin shall not be liable for any losses, damage or expenses, whether direct, incidental or consequential, caused by or resulting from the use of defective or non-conforming products.

## **EXCLUSIVE OF WARRANTIES:**

THE EXPRESS WARRANTIES AND REMEDIES STATED HEREIN ARE THE EXCLUSIVE WARRANTIES AND REMEDIES APPLICABLE TO THE PRODUCTS. ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE ARE EXPRESSLY EXCLUDED.

## TRANSFERS, ASSIGNMENTS, AND REPRESENTATIONS

This warranty is extended to Buyer as the original purchaser from Seller and is nontransferable and nonassignable. Oral statements made by Seller's representatives and written descriptions of the products appearing elsewhere than on the face hereof are not warranties and shall not be relied upon by Buyer.

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