

PACO TEXTURES MEMO

TO: Svend Stubb

FROM: Doug Merrill

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SUBJECT: STATUS OF CURRENT PACO PRODUCTS

The following is the current status of Paco products related to asbestos and other development requested:

READY MIX JOINT COMPOUND

San Carlos - 4001 All Purpose w/asbestos
4051C All Purpose Heavy Viscosity w/asbestos
4051S All Purpose w/asbestos
4051D All Purpose non-asbestos - will replace sales of 4001, 4051C and 4051S, after their respective raw material are used up.
4101D Topping non-asbestos

12/7 J.B. 301. 3 people agreed to
App 2000 M. 11-11-77
Hurst - *Discontinue*
4025 Taping Compound for Denver w/asbestos
4051A All Purpose w/asbestos *w/put stone*
4051B All Purpose w/asbestos *w/ w-86 Georgia white*
4051N All Purpose non-asbestos - Available since February 1977 but lacks in workability crack resistance and contains a large amount of starch which can cause problems under some conditions
4051D All Purpose non-asbestos - Should replace 4025, 4051A, 4051B and 4051N
4101A Topping w/asbestos *For Hurst*
4101C Topping w/asbestos *For Denver*
4101D Topping non-asbestos - Will replace 4101A and 4101C

Broken Arrow 4001C All Purpose w/asbestos
4001P All Purpose non-asbestos - Basically the same as 4051N formula at Hurst. Poor workability
4051D All Purpose non-asbestos - Can replace 4001C and 4001P
4101J Topping w/asbestos
4101D Topping non-asbestos - Can replace 4101J

DRY POWDER JOINT COMPOUND

San Carlos - 5512 All Purpose w/asbestos - Current lab project to reformulate, non-asbestos
5515 All Purpose w/asbestos - To be eliminated
5525 Taping w/asbestos - John Brown's testing lab formula # 27 non-asbestos
5535 Finishing w/asbestos - Current lab project to reformulate without asbestos

Hurst 5511A All Purpose w/asbestos
5515B All Purpose non-asbestos - Test product to replace 5511A

47 025

5589, 5590, and 5591 Quik Set w/asbestos
Currently testing with an asbestos
replacement. Only problem seems to
be that it needs to be mixed heavy.

Test OK as 11/29

Broken Arrow 5511A All Purpose w/asbestos - To Be replaced
pending results at Hurst or at San Carlos

WALL TEXTURE

San Carlos 5565C Wall Texture non-asbestos - New formula
for better paint application

Hurst 5563 Texture Paint w/asbestos - Not able to
duplicate quality without asbestos
5565 Splatter Texture w/asbestos - 90 bags
of 5565A batch number H2719A available w/ 1/2 lb.
for testing. Information given to
B. Harrison on 11-11-77
5580V Spray Texture/Sand Finish w/asbestos
Could be replaced by San Carlos 5565C
M A made as per 5580

Broken Arrow 5565B Wall Texture non-asbestos - Not sold
regularly, same as formula replaced
at San Carlos by 5565C
5565 Splatter Texture w/asbestos - Change
pending results of field test on 5565A
batch # H2719A
5565 Knockdown Splatter Texture w/asbestos
Could be replaced by San Carlos 5565C

CEILING TEXTURE

San Carlos 6373G Ceiling Texture non-asbestos
6374K Ceiling Texture non-asbestos
6373L Ceiling Texture w/asbestos for out of
state only can be discontinued and
replaced by 6373G

Hurst V-100A Ceiling Texture w/asbestos - Recommenda-
tion sent to you on November 7, 1977
V-100G Ceiling Texture non-asbestos - Same
basic formula as San Carlos 6373G but
is more costly than V-100A

MISCELLANEOUS

San Carlos 4301 Paco Crete w/asbestos - Only make one
or two batches per year. No work has
been done to eliminate asbestos

Hurst Block Filler w/asbestos - Only one batch
made this year. Would be difficult
to eliminate asbestos

47 027

Radiant Heat Fill w/asbestos - Only four
batches made this year.

Try 15' Dr SWP R. w-60 & w-68

SUMMARY

The asbestos free ready mix formula ("D") appears to be able to take the place of current products with asbestos. Lab work is under way to develop a dry All Purpose (5512) and a dry Finishing (5535) for California. We are testing a dry Taping (5525) for California and an all purpose for Texas and Oklahoma. Texas has a test batch of Splatter Texture available and can also make the same formula as San Carlos with minor adjustment.

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DWM/jlb

cc: Bill Harrison