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INTERDEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

DATE: December 5, 1969

TO: ALL GYPSUM DIVISION REGIONAL MANAGERS

LOCATION:

FROM: T. R. Godfrey

LOCATION: Portland

SUBJECT: 5/8" FIRESTOP TYPE X

PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT

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We now have a letter interpretation from Underwriters Laboratories listing the use of 5/8" Type X Wallboard on all of our 1-hour and 1½-hour rated floor/ceiling assemblies.

This will clear up the confusion as to whether Type X or Type XXX is required. The only assemblies now still requiring 5/8" Type XXX are the 2-hour ratings (UL Designs #217 and #259).

Those floor/ceiling assemblies allowing Type X are: Floor and ceiling Designs UL #1 1-hour, #19 1-hour, #13 1½-hour, and the 2-hour beam constructions, UL #254 and #255. Also, of course, continue to sell Type X on all wall assemblies.

This new listing will cover the use of 46 to 54 inch wide wallboard and 2 foot wide Backer Board. As our sales involving the 2-hour floor/ceiling assemblies are small, 5/8" Type XXX board shortly will be on a special order basis only, so anticipate the requirements.

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CC: Mr. O. E. Burch - Portland
Mr. C. W. Lehnert - Tigard Lab
Mr. E. B. Hollingsworth - Portland
Mr. T. W. Richards - Portland

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I do hope this will be very clearly spelled out in our Firestop literature as well as Smith's catalog. No one can remember all this so we should rely on our literature.

Bill

As our 1970 Smith's etc literature has already been printed & distributed, it will not be possible 1971, so as we move other literature, this information was included in the new Smith's etc letter. Dec. 5. - [Signature]
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