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ASTM COMMITTEE C-11 ON CEILINGS AND WALLS
WEBER'S INN
ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN
JUNE 23, 1977

The Main Committee of C-11 on Ceilings and Walls was called to order at 8:30 a.m., on June 23, 1977 in Weber's Inn, Ann Arbor, Michigan by Chairman R. A. Kuntze. Those in attendance were:

<u>MEMBERS (M)</u>	<u>ALTERNATES (A)</u>	<u>GUESTS (G)</u>	<u>REPRESENTING</u>
H. B. Carlsen	(M)		Gypsum Association
J. E. Gillespie	(M)		Dontar Construction Materials, Ltd.
G. W. Green	(M)		Georgia-Pacific Corporation
K. A. Grise	(M)		Arizona Lath & Plaster Informa- tion Center
R. N. Gulick	(M)		Drywall Industry Trust Fund
A. L. Hampton	(M)		United States Gypsum Co.
C. E. Kallem	(M)		Drywall Associates
R. A. Kuntze	(M)		Ontario Research Foundation
K. C. Pearson	(G)		ASTM Staff
E. J. Salamon	(M)		The Flintkote Company
H. J. Schneiter	(M)		Jim Walter Research Corp.
J. D. Shull	(M)		National Gypsum Company
V. M. Spaulding	(M)		Naval Facilities Engineering Command
G. Spyropoulos	(M)		Veterans' Administration
P. F. Woodrow	(M)		Westroc Industries, Ltd.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

On motion made, seconded and carried, the minutes of the January 1977 meeting in San Diego, California were approved as distributed.

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On motion made, seconded and carried, the report of subcommittee C-11.01 was approved.

Subcommittee C-11.02 on Specifications and Test Methods for Accessories and Related Products - Chairman J. E. Gillespie presented the report of the subcommittee which was essentially as detailed in the attached subcommittee report. Main committee actions with respect to the subcommittee report were as follows:

A motion was made, seconded and carried that revision to Standard C 645 be placed on concurrent main and subcommittee letter ballot.

A motion was made, seconded and carried that revision to Standard C 646 be placed on concurrent main and subcommittee letter ballot.

A motion was made, seconded and carried that drafts of new standards for type W and type G screws be placed on concurrent main and subcommittee letter ballot.

A motion was made and seconded that Mr. P. Sereda's negative on Item 2, ballot C-11.01 (77-1) concerning Section 6.1.2 be declared non-persuasive in the absence of any scientific supporting data or reported similar experience by other C-11 members. The motion carried 13 affirmative, 0 negative, 0 abstaining.

A motion was made, seconded and carried that a proposed Standard Specification for Exterior Surface Applied Bonding Agents is to be placed on main committee letter ballot for approval.

A motion was made, seconded and carried to place Standards C 474 and C 557 on concurrent main and subcommittee ballot for reaffirmation following Editorial Subcommittee review.

Mr. Gillespie reported ASTM Committee F-16 on Fasteners is drafting a nail specification that will include nails for gypsum lath and wallboard. He requested a C-11 member be appointed to establish liaison with F-16 to monitor this activity. Chairman Kuntze will propose a candidate before the next meeting.

Mr. Hampton had recommended the hazard warning to be placed in Standard C 475 be deleted. This resulted in a motion in the subcommittee to delete the proposed note, but substitute another note: "This product does not contain asbestos." Chairman Gillespie requested the Executive Subcommittee study this issue.

Chairman Gillespie suggested a new subcommittee be established as an "Environmental Subcommittee" to review all C-11 standards for any necessary disclaimers or precautions relating to hazardous materials. Dr. Kuntze said he would consider the subject along with the request made by Mr. Hampton to delete the warning in C 475.

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A motion was made and seconded, that Mr. A. Isberner's negative to change ambient temperature requirements from 40 F. to 50 F. is non-persuasive because of a lack of technical evidence to support the change. The motion carried 13 affirmative, 0 negative, 0 abstaining.

A motion was made and seconded, that Mr. P. Sereda's negative objection to the definition of admixture and additive is non-persuasive since the definitions of these terms are different. His negative on gypsum lath was declared non-persuasive because gypsum products are used on protected soffits. The motion carried 13 affirmative, 0 negative and 0 abstaining.

A motion was made, seconded and carried to revise Table 2 of Standard C 754 and place the standard on concurrent main and sub-committee letter ballot for approval.

Mr. Shull requested the Executive Subcommittee approve placing on C-11.02 and C-11.03 agendas the development of standards for water-based spray textures. The recommendation was approved by Chairman Kuntze.

On motion made, seconded and carried, the C-11.03 Subcommittee report was approved.

Subcommittee C-11.90 and Executive Chairman, R. A. Kuntze, presented the report of the Executive Subcommittee which met June 22, 1977 with four of its seven members present. The following items were discussed:

1. Membership - Membership applications from Mr. Ken Grise of Arizona Lath and Plaster Information Center was approved. C-11 now has 57 voters consisting of 27 Producers, 17 Users, and 13 General Interest members.

2. Subcommittee Changes - Mr. J. E. Gillespie requested he be relieved of the chairmanship of Subcommittee C-11.02 because he was reducing his several responsibilities in view of reaching retirement from his organization. The Executive Committee approved the appointment of Mr. A. L. Hampton to succeed Mr. Gillespie at a mutually agreeable time between them.

3. Proposed ASTM Standard C 840 - The development of an appropriate specification for applying water based spray applied texture finishes to gypsum board was assigned to Subcommittee C-11.03.

4. Hazard Warning, ASTM C 475 - With regard to Mr. Hampton's recommendation to delete the footnote in C 475 dealing with hazardous materials in joint compounds, the subcommittee decided to retain the footnote for the time being. However, the Chairman will obtain legal advice from ASTM with respect to the admissibility of statements such as "shall not contain asbestos." ASTM's response will be reported at the next meeting.

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