



Subject: LEED Information

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WHAT WE ARE DOING...

Over the past year, we have successfully tested many of our products with Air Quality Sciences for VOC emissions. We are pleased to report that all tested products have passed the strict guidelines established for emissions and our products meet EPA, OSHA, WHO, State of Washington, and GreenGuard™ emission requirements.

WHY WE ARE DOING IT...

Now that our products have been tested and passed, we are sharing the results with you so that you may use this information in your sales and specification efforts.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW...

Attached are letters detailing how Formica® Brand Laminate, Formica® Solid Surface and Formica® Ligna meet LEED Certification. Also attached, are copies of the results for all the products tested. You may notice that Formica DecoMetal® is not included in these documents. We plan to test DecoMetal in 2004. The results will be shared once they are final.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO...

Use this information when you encounter inquiries about Formica product emissions and LEED certification. If you are unsure of how or when to use this information please contact me at ext. 3133 or John Foged, Corporate Director of Environmental, Health & Safety, at ext. 3474.

This is the first step in providing you with information on LEED. In 2004, we will work on providing you with more material about environmental issues in our industry. In the meantime, to learn more about LEED, visit www.usgbc.org.

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