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From: POLYGLASS Technical & Warranty Services
To: POLYGLASS Distribution, Customers & Applicators
Date: 09/29/04
Re: Vertical Application of Self-Adhesive Products

Effective the date of this memo, Polyglass USA mandates the use of water-based primers for all vertical application of self-adhesive membranes and Polystick family of products. Alternately it is acceptable to use an EPDM bonding adhesive, “*Yellow Glue*”, for this application. Polyglass USA recommends water based primers manufactured by Karnak Corporation and Sovereign Chemicals Company for this application. Refer to the respective manufacturer’s specifications for application details and installation guidelines.

After application of the bonding adhesive, allow the adhesive to dry *just past tack*, before installation of any Polyglass self-adhesive products.

This change in application will ensure a stronger adhesion of the membrane to vertical surfaces/substrates, than currently achieved using ASTM D-41 Asphalt Primer.

Polyglass still requires termination on vertical applications of twelve (12) inches and higher. On high parapet walls, membrane shall not be applied greater than two (2) feet.