

INTEGRATED ANTIMICROBIAL PROTECTION

Certificate of Antibacterial Analysis

CERTIFICATE NO.BC002/2019DATE RECEIVED14.12.2018CUSTOMERCONTOUR HEATING PRODUCTSDATE ANALYSED08.01.2019

MANUFACTURER PARAMOUNT POWDERS DATE REPORTED 14.01.2019

UNITS OF RESULTS Colony Forming Units/CM²

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Method of Analysis: Determination of Antibacterial Activity using ISO 22196: 2011

| Sample | Test Organism | Contact Time | | Reduction (Initial) | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------|---------------------|---------|
| | | 0 hrs | 24 hrs | Log ₁₀ | % |
| POWDER COATING WITH B85003 AT 0.3% | MRSA | 3.52E+04 | ≤100 | ≥2.55 | ≥99.72% |
| POWDER COATING WITH B85003 AT 0.3% | E.coli | 4.60E+04 | ≤100 | ≥2.66 | ≥99.78% |

The above data describe the difference in the population sizes of the test organisms, relative to the initial (0 hours) population, following contact with the surface of the samples detailed in this CoA for 24 hours at 35°C under a RH of >95%. These conditions are those specified by the ISO 22196: 2011 method of analysis.

Comment: The sample <u>POWDER COATING WITH B85003 AT 0.3%</u> has achieved the BioCote minimum antibacterial performance requirement of 95% "Reduction against the Initial for *E. coli* and MRSA" according to ISO 22196: 2011 analysis.

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