



Circular letter 15/2011

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To: suppliers of approved systems

Zurich, 27 June 2011
AC2/JSH/BP

2011 renewals (exposure period 2012/2013)

We would like to inform/remind you that, for every approval granted before 1 March 2011, the following colours must be submitted for exposure in Florida starting in April 2012:

RAL 5007 (Brillant blue) Delta E = 4
RAL 7035 (Light grey) Delta E = 2
RAL 8001 (Ocher brown) Delta E = 4
(2 out of these 3 colours)

plus RAL 9007 (Grey aluminium) **Delta E = 2**
if you have any approved metallic powders.

Please note that if the required colours are not part of your standard production, samples need to be produced especially for the tests. **Similar colours will no longer be accepted.**

We also remind you that if a powder manufacturer fails to submit the required colours to the laboratory on time (i.e. before 31 December 2011) for any reason and if no panels are sent to Florida as a consequence, two of the colours and one metallic colour will be banned, as specified by QUALICOAT.

If you do not intend to renew an approval, please inform your national association and the QUALICOAT Secretariat by e-mail or fax before 30 November 2011. The system will then be transferred to the list of cancelled approvals with the remark "*cancelled upon supplier's request*".

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you require any further information or explanations.

Yours faithfully,

QUALICOAT

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