

**Pionite<sup>®</sup> ThruColor<sup>™</sup> High Pressure Laminate (HPL)** is the color-through laminate that provides continuous color even on the edges of your finished product. Using a patented process, ThruColor<sup>™</sup> HPL gives your design the flexibility to use the edge of your product to enhance its overall appearance. ThruColor<sup>™</sup> HPL is also available in multi-toned or sandwich colors that can provide interesting banding, engraving and groove techniques. For more information, please visit our website www.pionite.com or call 877-726-6526.

# **SECTION 064027**

# **COLOR-THROUGH LAMINATES**

# **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Provide color-through laminates for interior horizontal and vertical surfaces.
- B. Related Sections: Coordinate with work of other sections including the following:
  - 1. Section 062023 Interior Finish Carpentry.
  - 2. Section 064116 Plastic Laminate Faced Architectural Cabinets.
  - 3. Section 064219 Plastic Laminate Faced Wood Paneling.
  - 4. Section 066400 Plastic Paneling.
  - 5. Section 102113 Plastic Laminate Clad Toilet Compartments.
  - 6. Section 105123 Plastic Laminate Clad Lockers.
  - 7. Section 123216 Manufactured Plastic Laminate Faced Casework.
  - 8. Section 123553 Plastic Laminate Clad Laboratory Casework.
  - 9. Section 123623 Plastic Laminate Clad Countertops.

## 1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Submit manufacturer's literature including product characteristics, accessories and limitations.
- B. Selection Samples: Submit samples of colors and finishes if requested by architect.
- C. Verification Samples: Submit samples of materials selected specified to verify color and finish.
- D. Industry Certifications and Standards: Submit copy of documentation indicating compliance.

### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Manufacturer: Minimum of 5-years experience manufacturing similar products.

## 1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

A. Deliver materials and products in unopened factory labeled packages. Store and handle in strict compliance with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations.

### 1.5 WARRANTY

A. Manufacturer's Warranty: Provide manufacturer's standard warranty against defects in manufacturing.

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## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 COLOR-THROUGH LAMINATES

- A. Manufacturer: Panolam Industries International, Inc., 1 Corporate Drive, Suite 725, Shelton, CT 06484. Tel: 877-726-6526, Fax: 203-225-0050. Web: www.panolam.com. Panels shall comply with the following:
  - 1. Sheet Thickness: 0.028 inches (0.711 mm) typical; thickness up to 1 inch (25 mm) available.
  - 2. Sheet Width: As selected from manufacturer's standard widths of 30 inches (762 mm), 36 inches (914 mm), 48 inches (1219 mm), and 60 inches (1524 mm).
  - 3. Sheet Length: As selected from manufacturer's standard lengths of 96 inches (2438 mm), 120 inches (3048 mm) and 144 inches (3658 mm).
  - 4. Adhesive: Clear drying adhesive such as white glue (PVA), clear epoxy or equivalent as recommended by manufacturer.
  - 5. Colors and Patterns: As selected from manufacturer's offering. Check with manufacturer for product availability.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

A. Examine substrates for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install products in strict accordance with manufacturer's instructions and approved submittals.
  - 1. Clean substrate of dirt, dust, waxes, and other bond breaking substances prior to beginning installation.
  - 2. Follow adhesive manufacturer's recommendations for set and application times.
  - 3. Apply pressure to entire panel face with laminate type roller, removing trapped air and ensure proper adhesion between surfaces.

### 3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Replace installations out of plumb and not aligned with adjacent panels and construction.
- B. Clean panel face to remove soiling, stains, dust, and dirt using clean rags, and cleaning agents as instructed by manufacturer.
- C. Leave installation clean, free of residue and debris resulting from work of this section.

### **END OF SECTION**

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