

## **Part 1 General**

### **1.1 RELATED SECTIONS**

- .1 Section 08 11 00 – Metal Doors and Frames.
- .2 Section 09 65 00 – Resilient Flooring.

### **1.2 REFERENCES**

- .1 American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM).
  - .1 ASTM C1518-04(2009), Standard Specification for Precured Elastomeric Silicone Joint Sealants.
  - .2 ASTM C1520-02(2010), Standard Guide for Paintability of Latex Sealants.

### **1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- .1 Regulatory Requirements.
  - .1 Comply with requirements of Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) regarding use, handling, storage, and disposal of hazardous materials; and regarding labeling and provision of material safety data sheets acceptable to Labour Canada.

### **1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING**

- .1 Deliver all material to site in manufacturer's original unopened packaging with labels clearly identifying product name and manufacturer.
- .2 Store materials in a dry, enclosed area protected from exposure to moisture, construction activity, and direct sunlight in strict accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- .3 Handle all products with appropriate precautions and care as stated manufacturer's instructions.
- .4 Cleaning and Waste Management in accordance with Section 01 74 00.

## **Part 2 Products**

### **2.1 MANUFACTURERS**

- .1 Acceptable Products.
  - .1 Interior Silicone Sealant.
    - .1 Bostik Chem-Calk 600.
    - .2 Dow Corning 786.
    - .3 GE 1700.
    - .4 Sonneborn Sonolastic Omniplus.

- .2 Interior Latex Acrylic Sealant.
  - .1 GE Acryseal.
  - .2 PRC 2000.
  - .3 Sternson Acry Flex.
  - .4 Sonneborn Sonolac.
  - .5 Tremco Tremflex 834.
- .2 Substitutions: not permitted.
- .3 Supply similar products from single manufacturer.

## **2.2 MATERIALS**

- .1 Joint Sealants: as recommended by sealant manufacturer for use with their product on applicable substrates.
  - .1 Silicone Sealant: to ASTM C1518 at all locations unless otherwise indicated.
  - .2 Interior Latex Acrylic Sealant: to ASTM C1520 for interior joints in surfaces to be painted.

## **Part 3 Execution**

### **3.1 PREPARATION OF JOINT SURFACES**

- .1 Examine joint sizes and conditions to establish correct depth to width relationship for installation of joint filler materials and sealants.
- .2 Ascertain that sealers and coatings applied to sealant substrates are compatible with sealant used and that full bond between sealant and substrate is attained.

### **3.2 APPLICATION**

- .1 Sealant.
  - .1 Apply sealants to manufacturer's printed instructions.
  - .2 Mask edges of joint where irregular surface or sensitive joint border exists to provide neat joint.
  - .3 Apply sealant in continuous beads.
  - .4 Apply sealant using gun with proper size nozzle.
  - .5 Use sufficient pressure to fill voids and joints solid. Superficial pointing with skin bead is not acceptable.
  - .6 Form surface of sealant with full bead, smooth, free from ridges, wrinkles, sags, air pockets, embedded impurities.
  - .7 Tool exposed surfaces before skinning begins to give slightly concave shape.
  - .8 Remove excess compound promptly as work progresses and upon completion

- .2 Curing.
  - .1 Cure sealants in accordance with sealant manufacturer's instructions.
  - .2 Do not cover up sealants until proper curing has taken place.

### **3.3 CLEANING**

- .1 Clean adjacent surfaces immediately and leave work neat and clean.
- .2 Remove excess and droppings, using recommended cleaners as work progresses.

### **3.4 PROTECTION**

- .1 Protect installed work from damage during construction.

END OF SECTION