

Parties:

Drexel Metals, Inc. extends the following limited warranty to:

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*Drexel Metals Contractor*

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*Address*

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*Project Owner*

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*Project Name*

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*Address*

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*Invoice #*

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# Galvalume<sup>®</sup> Acrylic/ Chromate Treated 25-Year Drexlume Warranty

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(From date of installation)



That Drexel Metals Inc.'s hot dipped aluminum-zinc alloy coated known as DREXLUME™ sheet steel sold for use as steel roofing, siding panels, gutters and downspouts, if erected within the United States, WILL NOT as a result of corrosion from exposure to normal atmospheric conditions, rupture, fail structurally, or perforate within a period of 25 years and 6 months after shipment from Drexel Metals Inc.. This warranty applies to all categories of product with coating classes AZ50 ASTM A792-96 or heavier.

This warranty DOES NOT APPLY to sheets exposed at any time to corrosive or aggressive atmospheric conditions, including but not limited to:

- Areas subject to salt water marine atmospheres or to repeated spraying of either salt or fresh water.
- Areas subject to fallout or exposure to corrosive chemicals, fumes, ash, cement dust, or animal waste.
- Areas subject to water run-off from lead or copper flashings or areas in metallic contact with lead or copper.
- Areas sheltered from periodic washing by natural rainfall such as the underside of eaves and soffits.
- Conditions and circumstances where corrosive fumes or condensates are generated or released inside the building.

This warranty DOES NOT APPLY in the event of:

1. Bending or forming where the bend is tighter than 2T for sheet thickness up to 0.30" (0.75mm) and tighter than 4T for sheet thickness 0.031" (0.76mm) and thicker.
2. This slope of the roof or sections of the roof being flatter than 1/4:12.
3. Mechanical, chemical, or other damage sustained during shipments, storage, forming, fabrication, or during or after erection.
4. Forming which involves severe bending or which subjects the coating to alternate compression and tension.

5. Failure to provide free drainage of water, including internal condensation, from overlaps and all other surfaces of the sheets or panels.
6. Failure to remove debris from overlaps and all other surfaces of the sheets or panels.
7. Damage to the metallic coating caused by contact with green or wet lumber.
8. Deterioration of sheets or panels caused by contact with green or wet lumber.
9. Wet storage stain caused by water damage or from condensation.
10. Presence of damp insulation or other corrosive materials in contact with or close proximity to sheets or panels.
11. Deterioration of sheets or panels caused directly or indirectly by contact with fasteners. The selection of suitable long-lasting fasteners to be used with GALVALUME® roofing, siding, gutter and downspouts rests solely with the Buyer.

This warranty shall be subject to the stipulations, limitations and conditions hereinafter set forth:

1. Drexel Metals Inc.'s liability for breach of this warranty shall be limited exclusively to the cost of either repairing non-conforming sheets, panels, gutters and downspouts, at Drexel Metals Inc.'s sole option of furnishing FOB Buyer's plant sufficient sheet product to enable Buyer to fabricate replacements for the nonconforming panels, gutters and downspouts.
2. Drexel Metals Inc. shall not in any event be liable for the cost of labor expended by others on any nonconforming sheets or for any special, indirect or consequential damages to anyone by reason of the fact that such sheets shall have been nonconforming.
3. Claims must be promptly reported in writing to Drexel Metals Inc. and Drexel Metals Inc. shall be given a reasonable opportunity to inspect the sheets, panels, gutter and downspouts claimed to be nonconforming adequate identification of the material involved in the claim, including the date of installation, order number, coil number, invoice number and date of shipment must be established by the Buyer.
4. Buyer shall exercise diligence in the inspection of material as received from Drexel Metals Inc. so as to mitigate repair or replacement.
5. Drexel Metals Inc. reserves the right to terminate this warranty at any time (except as to orders

already accepted) upon the giving of written notice thereof.

This is our complete warranty. The laws of the State of Kentucky, USA, hereunder shall govern the rights and obligations of the parties. Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this contract shall be determined by arbitration in accordance with the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association. The place of arbitration shall be Louisville, KY USA. The language of the arbitration shall be English. Drexel Metals Inc. makes no guarantees, either expressed or implied beyond the fact hereof; including, with limitation, warranties of fitness and merchantability and shall have no other liability with respect thereto.

#### Guidelines for DREXLUME™ Warranty

In order for our warranty to be effective in environments with a salt atmosphere or relative to bodies of salt water the following criteria must be adhered to:

1. Application in proximity to a coastline, with surf, the distance from the coast must be at a minimum of 2,800 feet.
2. Application in proximity to a large Bay the distance must be at a minimum of 1,200 feet.
3. Application in proximity to Marshes and Canals the distance must be at a minimum of 600 feet.

All other exclusions listed in our warranty must be recognized. Areas of the roof or soffit unexposed to natural fresh water rainfall must be washed and cleaned with fresh water and a mild detergent yearly. This at the discretion of the owner.

Drexel Metals Inc.



Brian Partyka  
Partner

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Date