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**Conditions**

1. Tuff-N-Dri with Warm-N-Dry Insulation is approved in accordance with ICBO ER-5746 Evaluation Report. If the Evaluation Report does not remain current, this approval expires.

2. A copy of this approval and the ER Evaluation Report must be maintained with the approved construction drawings on-site for the inspectors review.

3. Tuff-N-Dri is not a replacement or substitution for foundation drain tile.

4. Tuff-N-Dri can only be applied when the ambient temperature is above 20 deg. F.

5. Applied Tuff-N-Dri shall not be exposed to direct sunlight for more than 15 days.

6. When the backfill material contains angular stone or sharp objects, protection boards shall be provided over Tuff-N-Dri.

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TUFF-N-DRI® EXTERIOR FOUNDATION WATERPROOFING MEMBRANES

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1.0 SUBJECT

TUFF-N-DRI® Exterior Foundation Waterproofing Membrane.

2.0 DESCRIPTION

2.1 TUFF-N-DRI®

Koch Waterproofing Solutions’ TUFF-N-DRI® waterproofing membrane is a spray-applied foundation waterproofing material composed of polymer-modified asphalt in a water carrier that cures to a monotonic, elastomeric membrane.

TUFF-N-DRI® is installed to a minimum wet film thickness of 63 mils (1.6 mm)/40 mils (1 mm) dry on the exterior of below-grade concrete or masonry foundation walls. The material is available in 55-gallon (208.2 L) drums, and has a density of 8.2 pounds per gallon (1.15 g/L). Storage must be at temperatures above 50°F (10°C). Shelf life is a maximum of 12 months.

2.2 WARM-N-DR® Insulation Protection Drainage Board

WARA-N-DR® Insulation Protection Drainage Board is designed to protect the TUFF-N-DRI® membrane from damage due to backfill placement, and to provide a drainage pathway for groundwater. WARM-N-DR® Insulation Protection Drainage Board is a dense fiberglass board, available in 1/16-inch (19.1 mm), 1/8-inch (30.1 mm), and 1/4-inch (60 mm) thicknesses. Sizes include 4 feet by 4 feet (1219 mm by 1219 mm) and 4 feet by 6 feet (1219 mm by 2438 mm).

2.3 Installation:

2.3.1 TUFF-N-DRI®: TUFF-N-DRI® is applied only by a Koch Waterproofing Solutions-authorized waterproofing contractor, to ensure proper installation. The installation must conform to the manufacturer’s instructions, revised April 1, 1996, and this report. A prover material is not required prior to application of the material, and immediate backfill pressure, after application, is not necessary.

Before application, the walls are prepared for waterproofing in accordance with the 1997 Uniform Building Code (UBC). Substrates must be clean, smooth, rigid, and free of dust, mud, loose mortar, wire, and any other substances that might prevent proper pavement and curing. Wall ties must be removed from the concrete wall and must be sealed with a bituminous material or other approved material or method. Mortar joints must be flush. Cracks, voids, and holes must be patched with a nonshrinking grout or an elastic, nonshrinking grout preferred for large defects.

TUFF-N-DRI® waterproofing materials shall be applied only when the air temperature is above 20°F (-6°C) and when heated to beapen 110°F (43°C) and 130°F (54°C). The time needed for the coating to cure, prior to backfilling, is 16 to 24 hours; lower air temperatures require a longer curing time. Application rate of the material is dependent upon the foundation wall surface. For cast-in-place or precast concrete and poured concrete masonry units, the rate is 25 sq. ft./gal. (0.6 m²/L) and for concrete masonry units, the rate is 30 sq. ft./gal. (0.75 m²/L). TUFF-N-DRI® may be applied to concrete foundations as soon as the forms are removed, and to concrete masonry unit foundations when the mortar has cured.

Concrete and masonry must not be frozen during the application of TUFF-N-DRI® membrane. After application, exposure of the TUFF-N-DRI® membrane to sunlight is limited to 15 days.

2.3.2 WARM-N-DR® Insulation Protection Drainage Board: Wara-N-DR® boards are adhered to the TUFF-N-DRI® membrane either as the membrane begins to cure or with supplemental adhesives after the membrane has cured. Curing of the membrane 5-6 hours when color changes from brown to black. This color change is approximately 2 to 7 minutes at 70°F (21°C) ambient temperature; lower air temperatures will extend the curing period. After the base of the foundation wall, the WARM-N-DR® board must be placed in contact with the drainage system of the foundation. When applying the boards before the membrane has cured, the boards must be pressed into place, and then permitted to cure, mechanical fasteners are permitted to be used to ensure board alignment until after the TUFF-N-DRI® is cured. When attaching the WARM-N-DR® boards after the membrane has cured, supplemental adhesives are permitted to be used to ensure board alignment. The foundation wall may be backfilled in 16 to 24 hours.

2.4 Identification:

Each container and package shall be identified with a label indicating the Koch Waterproofing Solutions name and address, the product name, and the evaluation report number (ICBO ES ER-5746).

3.0 EVIDENCE SUBMITTED


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4.0 FINDINGS

4.1 Application is by a Koch Waterproofing Solutions selected waterproofing contractor.

4.2 Installation conforms to the manufacturer's instructions, revised April 1, 1996, and this report. A copy of the instructions must be on the job site at all times.

4.3 Protection boards are provided over the TUFF-N-DRI membrane when the backfill material contains angular stone or sharp objects.

4.4 Following application, the material is not exposed to sunlight for more than 15 days.

4.5 Where the groundwater table creates hydrostatic pressure conditions, WARM-n-DRI Insulation Protection Drainage Board is connected to a drainage system or foundation is required over the membrane. The drainage system must meet the minimum requirements outlined in either the TUFF-N-DRI application instructions or the code, whichever is more restrictive.

This report is subject to re-examination in two years.