PREPARATION AND APPLICATION GUIDELINES

- 1. The roof should be power washed maintaining a minimum of 2000 PSI of working pressure. This should remove dirt, dust, waste products, i.e. grease, animal fats, solvents, loose roofing products and any air borne pollutants.
- All fasteners should be re-tightened or replaced as necessary. Stripped fasteners must be replace with larger fasteners. All fasteners must include a neoprene washer.
- 3. Rusted through panels or sections must be replaced.
- 4. Heavily rusted areas must be wired brushed and coated with a rust inhibitive primer.
- 5. The entire roof surface must receive a coat of Karnak #505P Primer at the rate of .5 gallon per 100 square feet. Allow Karnak #505P Primer to dry thoroughly (approx. 2 to 4 hours) prior to application of sealant or coatings.
- 6. All fasteners must receive a dollop (swirl coat) of Karnak #505 Seam Sealer.
- 7. All horizontal seams must be treated with two coats of Karnak #505 Seam Sealer with #5548 Resat-Mat embedded in between.
 - If vertical seams are tight, they should receive an application of Karnak #505 Seam Sealer. If seams are open, follow the procedure for treating horizontal seams.
- 8. All protrusions should be flashed with Karnak #505 Seam Sealer and #5548 Resat-Mat, following good roofing practices and roofing industry standards.
- 9. Finally, apply Karnak #505 Elasto-Brite M Base Coat at the rate of 1 1.5 gallons per 100 square feet and Karnak #505 Elasto-Brite M Finish Coat at the rate of 1 1.5 gallons per 100 square feet. Allow base coat to dry a minimum of 24 hours before applying the finish coat.
- 10. Field measurements are essential because actual square footage of corrugated roofs are more than conventional flat roofs. There could be as much as a 20% difference in the total square footage.

NOTE: Do not apply over asphaltic or aluminum coated surfaces.

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