25 Year Limited Galvalume® Warranty

Union Corrugating Company warrants that its hot-dipped aluminum-zinc alloy-coated Galvalume® and Galvalume Plus® sheet steel with a coating weight of AZ50 sold for use as unpainted steel building panels erected within the continental United States, Alaska, Hawaii, Canada or the Caribbean, and exposed to normal atmospheric conditions, WILL NOT rupture, fail structurally, or perforate due to corrosion within a period of 20 years and 6 months after shipment from our mill. For a coating weight of AZ55, this period is extended to 25 years and 6 months.

This warranty DOES NOT APPLY to sheets exposed at any time to corrosive or aggressive atmospheric conditions, including, BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

1. areas subject to salt water marine atmospheres or to constant spraying of either salt or fresh water.
2. areas subject to fallout or exposure to corrosive chemicals, fumes, ash, cement dust, animal waste or its decomposition by-products, carbon black, or fallout from copper, lead, nickel or silver mining or refining operations.
3. areas subject to water run-off from lead or copper flashings or piping or areas in contact with lead or copper.
4. conditions/circumstances where corrosive fumes or condensates are generated or released inside the building.

This warranty DOES NOT APPLY in the event of:

1. bends less than 2T inside bend diameter for sheet thicknesses 0.030” and thinner, and less than 4T for sheet thicknesses greater than 0.030”.
2. roof sections of the roof flatter than 1/4:12 slope.
3. mechanical, chemical, or other damage sustained during shipment, storage, forming, fabrication, or during or after erection.
4. forming which incorporates severe reverse bending or which subjects the metallic coating to alternate compression and tension.
5. failure to provide free drainage of water, including, but not limited to, internal condensation, from overlaps and from all other surfaces of the sheets or panels.
6. failure to remove debris from overlaps and from all other free surfaces of the sheets or panels.
7. damage caused to the metallic coating by improper forming (including, but not limited to, roll forming, press braking or embossing) or scouring or cleaning procedures.
8. deterioration of the panels caused by contact with green or wet or pressure-treated lumber, or wet storage stain caused by water damage or condensation.
9. presence of damp insulation, soil, vegetation or other corrosive materials in contact with or in close proximity to the sheets or panels.
10. deterioration to the panels caused by directly or indirectly by panel contact with fasteners or by overdriving the fasteners so as to damage the panel. Selection of suitable long-lasting fasteners to be used with Galvalume® and Galvalume Plus® panels rests solely with the Buyer. Fasteners are to be electrically insulated from the panel surface (e.g., with elastomeric grommets) to prevent dissimilar metal contact.
11. failures caused by acts of God, falling objects, external forces, explosions, fires, riots, civil commotions, acts of war or radiation.

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

1. This warranty shall be interpreted and enforced in accordance with the laws of the state of Maryland, USA, without regard to principles regarding conflicts of law, the courts of which State shall have exclusive jurisdiction and venue over the enforcement of this warranty. There is excluded from this warranty the application of the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods.
2. This warranty is contingent on the proper maintenance of the building, which maintenance is to be provided by the building owner.
3. Seller’s liability for breach of this warranty and/or for the failure of material to conform, whether due to Seller’s negligent acts or omissions or otherwise, shall be limited exclusively to the cost of either repairing nonconforming panels, or at Seller’s sole option, of furnishing (FOB Seller’s plant) sufficient sheet product to enable Buyer to fabricate replacement panels for the nonconforming panels.
4. Seller will be responsible for replacement of material only. Seller shall not be liable for the cost of the labor expended by others on any nonconforming material or for any special, indirect or consequential damages to anyone caused by nonconforming material.
5. This warranty also applies to the material repaired or used to replace the nonconforming material, but only for the unexpired portion of the warranty period applicable to the original material.
6. Buyer shall promptly inspect the material and use reasonable care to protect any rejected material until Seller has time to conduct its own inspection and make or direct disposition.
7. In order for Seller to honor any claim on material shipped, Buyer must promptly document the claim with identification of material, date of installation, Seller’s order number, coil number, invoice number and date of shipment and must give Seller a reasonable opportunity to inspect the material claimed to be nonconforming.
8. Except to the extent provided under applicable law, (a) Seller extends this warranty solely to the Buyer; and (b) this warranty is non-transferable and non-assignable.
9. Seller reserves the right to terminate this warranty at any time (except as to orders already accepted) upon the giving of written notice thereof.

Sellar makes no guarantees or warranties, either expressed or implied, beyond the description on the face hereof, and all other warranties, including, without limitation, warranties of fitness for particular purpose and merchantability, are hereby excluded; and Seller shall have no other liability with respect to any other guarantees or warranties.

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