



**CHAMPION METAL**  
a Taylor Metal Company

# ArmorTech™ REGISTERED WARRANTY

40 Year Limited Warranty

Subject to the conditions and exclusions set forth in this warranty, **CHAMPION METAL, A Taylor Metal Company** (hereinafter referred to as Champion) provides the following express limited warranty with regard to ArmorTech™ coated steel products of its manufacturer for use as an exterior roofing or sidewall building product (hereinafter referred to as Product).

**Registration:** Within 45 days after installation of the Product has been completed, the Original Property Owner(s) must complete a Warranty Registration Card in full and mail it to Champion. Upon receipt, Champion will forward, by mail, to the Owner(s) the Registered Warranty complete with registration number. The owner(s) should keep this Registered Warranty in a safe place for future reference. Failure to notify Champion of the registration shall relieve Champion of all obligations hereunder. In addition, the warranty does not and will not take effect until the project has been paid in full.

**Performance:** Although it is recognized by all parties to the Warranty that all coatings, including ArmorTech™, will fade and change in appearance to some degree over a period of time in outdoor installations, and that such changes may not be uniform between surfaces not equally exposed, Champion warrants for a period of 40 years from the date of installation that when exposed to normal atmospheric conditions and conditions of ordinary wear the Product will not:

**For a period of 40 Years:**

A. Peel, check, flake or crack (except for slight crazing or cracking may occur with normal roll-forming or brake bending and which is accepted as standard);

**For a period of 30 Years:**

- B. Chalk in excess of a numerical rating of 8 measured using the procedures of ASTM D-4214-89 (Method D-659) nor;
- C. Fade or change color more than 5 E units (Hunter Color Difference), as measured using the procedure of ASTM D-2244-85, comparing an unexposed retain panel to the exposed panel after removal of dirt and chalk.

**Champion's liability under this Warranty is limited as follows:** If Champion determines the Product to be defective according to the terms of this Warranty, Champion shall, at its sole option, repair or refinish the defective Product, replace the defective Product from current stock or refund the original purchase price of the defective Product. In no event shall Champion's liability exceed the original material costs of the product.

Champion shall not be liable for any expenses connected with the labor for the replacement of the defective Product or any incidental or consequential damages. The warranty for any repaired or replaced Product shall be for the remainder of the warranty period applicable to the original Product. Delivery charges, installation costs and taxes are not covered by this warranty.

**Conditions and Exclusions:** This warranty is subject to the following Exclusions, Limitations and Conditions:

- a. The warranty covers only Product erected in the continental United States, Alaska and Hawaii which are exposed to normal weather and atmospheric conditions.
- b. This warranty shall not apply to product located within 1,000 feet or fewer from a salt-water, salt spray or marine environment. Site specific warranties are available upon request.

**For locations located from 0-999 feet of a mild or severe marine environment use Aluminum Alumiguard™ (see website for warranty).**

- c. This warranty shall not apply to Product that has been painted or whose surface has been altered in any way without written authorization from Champion. Repair attempts or damage caused by such acts prior to Champion's inspection or written authorization shall void any and all protection under this warranty.

- d. The Product must be installed to prevent standing water and condensation. When used as roofing panels, the Product must be installed with minimum pitch of 1/4".
- e. The product must be washed annually with either a fresh water rinse or a 5% solution of fresh water and mild detergent to prevent the accumulation of concentrated deposits. Fresh water rinses must be documented. Product may be pressure washed, however, settings must not exceed 1,000 PSI and 4 GPM. Any use of abrasive materials or chemical cleaners of any sort will void any and all coverage under this warranty.
- f. The warranty shall not cover failures or damage which arise out of any of the following:
  - 1. The formation of rust on cut panel edges, commonly referred to as cut end or cut edge corrosion/exposure.
  - 2. Direct or effective exposure to corrosive chemicals, fumes or materials including, but not limited to dissimilar metals, treated lumber, creosote or ash.
  - 3. Failure to routinely remove any debris accumulations from the Product including, but not limited to, pine needles, leaves or other accumulations of foreign substances.
  - 4. Use of any patina enhancing/modifying agents, chemical protectors/sealants of any kind, or any materials placed on the Product other than those stated above in "e" above.
  - 5. Occurrences beyond TMP's control such as acts of God, falling or wind blown objects, explosions, fires, vandalism, civil disturbances, external forces, improper handling, improper installation, modification or misuse of the product.
  - 6. Condensation or other contamination or damage attributed to improper shipping, packaging and handling.
  - 7. Deterioration to the product caused directly or indirectly by contact with fasteners.
- g. In no event is Champion liable for any incidental or consequential damages, including but not limited to: personal injury, property damage or lost income.
- h. Champion reserves the right to discontinue or change any design or color of the Product. If, for any reason, Product of the type originally installed are no longer available from Champion at the time the defect is discovered, Champion, in fulfillment of its warranty obligation hereunder, shall have the right to substitute another Product determined by Champion, in its sole discretion, to be of comparable quality and price.

**Transfer:** This warranty is extended to the buyer as the original purchaser from seller and is non-transferable and non-assignable to any other person or entity.

**Claims Procedure:** Any claim must be presented in writing to Champion within the warranty period and within 45 days of time after the defect is discovered. The claim must describe the claimed defect, the date the defect was discovered, and include pictures that clearly show the defect. The claim must reference the Warranty Registration Number and the original date of installation, and shall include the Owner(s) name, address and phone number. Champion shall be given a reasonable opportunity to inspect the Product in question. Notice shall be sent by registered mail to:  
ATTN: Warranty Claims, Champion Metal, A Taylor Metal Company, 5927 234TH St. SE, Woodinville, WA 98072.

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**THIS WARRANTY IS IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, WHICH EXTEND BEYOND THE DESCRIPTION AS STATED HEREIN, INCLUDING ANY WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS OF PURPOSE. CHAMPION SHALL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY INDIRECT OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OR FOR ANY KIND OF LOSS WHATSOEVER. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCE SHALL CHAMPION'S LIABILITY UNDER THIS WARRANTY EXTEND BEYOND THE PRODUCT'S ORIGINAL MATERIAL COSTS.**

Original Property Owner(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Issued by **CHAMPION METAL, A Taylor Metal Company**

Installation Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Purchaser: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Purchase Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Invoice #: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_