

## **DOOR AND WALL PROTECTION SYSTEMS**

Operation & Maintenance Manual

### **GENERAL**

Prospec Specialties Inc. offers a versatile range of durable and attractive 'Door and Wall Protection Systems' in a variety of color options and can be finished to blend beautifully into the surroundings. We recommend the use of this manual, to understand manufacturer's instructions, prior to all cleaning and maintenance related work.

## **INITIAL PROTECTION**

The installer must ensure covering the exposed surfaces of the material, during and after installation, in order to protect the finishes from any potential damage during construction. Some systems may come with a factory provided covering which must be left on until project completion.

### **POST INSTALLATION**

Once installed, the installer must make sure to immediately remove excess adhesive, as per the adhesive manufacturer's recommendation. Following this, all vinyl covers, exposed aluminum retainers and stainless-steel covers must be cleaned, using a soft clean cloth, to be free of dust and layout marks.

# PROJECT COMPLETION

All protective coverings can be removed from the surfaces of installed DWP systems upon project completion. The installer must use a clean cloth along with a water-based cleaner to remove any remaining marks or dirt from the surfaces.

# **INSPECTION & ROUTINE MAINTENANCE**

Stains must be taken care of at the earliest to eliminate any possible reaction between the staining agent and the wall covering.

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### VINYL PROFILES

- Use a general-purpose cleaner, such as Fantastik® Antibacterial All Purpose Cleaner, and follow all instructions and precautions as outlined on the cleaner.
- Spray the cleaner directly on the surface and rub with a clean, lint-free cloth.
- Next, wipe the surface with a water dampened cloth.
- Dry the surface with a clean cloth.
- For removal of tough stains, use a nonmarking, non-abrasive scrubbing sponge. Test the sponge on an inconspicuous area prior to using on the visible portion of the cover in order to ensure that the sponge will not affect the surface appearance of the vinyl cover.
- **DO NOT** use powdered or abrasive cleaners.
- DO NOT use any cleaners containing bleach or harsh solvents on PROSPEC vinyl covers.
- DO NOT use Scotch-Brite (or similar) pads or steel wool on PROSPEC vinyl covers.

### STAINLESS STEEL

- Clean with non-abrasive cleaners or neutral based detergents.
- Dust and light soil can be removed using a mixture of mild soap and water, wiped clean with a soft cloth.
- Ammonia and alcohol-based cleaners (Windex® for example) may also be used to clean the surface of stainless steel.
- Always use a lint-free, non-abrasive cloth.
- We recommend polishing with a quality metal cleaner (Maas® Polishing Crème for example) to maintain the luster and brilliance of stainless-steel components.

For further assistance, please contact your Prospec Sales representative.