



Re: Response to Request for LEED Information

Dear Valued 3M Customer,

This letter is in response to your request for LEED information on certain 3M products. Life Cycle Management (LCM) is an integral part of 3M's product development process. Instead of focusing only on the manufacturing process to control environmental, health, safety and energy effects, LCM places a focus on products throughout their entire life cycle, from raw material acquisition through manufacturing, customer use, and disposal. In 2001, 3M adopted a Life Cycle Management Policy requiring all business units to conduct LCM reviews for all new products and for existing products on a prioritized basis.

Using LCM, 3M has developed several products that can help our customers reduce their greenhouse gas emissions as well as meet other environmental challenges. In 2007, 3M launched the Environmental Solutions Catalog, which lists many of these products. The Catalog can be downloaded at www.3M.com/EnvSolutions.

3M's Commitment to Sustainable Development

3M embraces the principles of sustainable development: stewardship to the environment, contributions to society and the creation of economic value and worth. Our efforts toward sustainable development are discussed in depth in 3M's online Sustainability Report, and in that report's executive summary, both of which can be viewed at www.mmm.com/sustainability. In addition, the Dow Jones Sustainability Index has recognized 3M as a leader in its industry sector.

3M's Contribution to LEED Building Certification

3M™ Scotchcal™ Dusted and Frosted Crystal special effect films (Series 7725SE and 5525SE) allow the creation of distinctive designs and light effects on glass. They are affordable and provide an etched or sand blasted image. The films can be applied to glass, acrylic or polycarbonate.

Through their use on exterior windows, they can reduce glare and assist in the effective use of day lighting and therefore save energy by decreasing the need for lighting- and improving the indoor environmental quality. Use of this product helps contribute to LEED® NC v2.2- EQ Credit 8.1 and 8.2: through daylight redirection or glare control devices.

The 3M™ DI-NOC™ Architectural Finishes include more than 500 patterns designed to offer unlimited creativity and architectural freedom. Now you can create a multitude of visual experiences with the added assurance of 3M's time-proven experience. 3M™ DI-NOC™ Architectural Finishes are self adhesive flexible laminate films which are ideal for resurfacing and refurbishing hard smooth surfaces.

The product is easy and quick to use and gives amazing results, transforming existing surfaces. It can be used to cover flat panels, doors, furniture, retail units and its ability to mould around complex shapes means it can be used for curved and rounded profiles as well.

3M™ DI-NOC™ Architectural Finishes can contribute to LEED™ Sustainability credits by reducing items sent to the landfill through the maintaining and reusing the existing stock of walls,

doors and frames, built in case goods, furniture, etc. through its innovative architectural finishes. With its variety of textures and patterns, these substrates and more, can be refreshed to a totally new look and feel. Use of this product helps contribute to LEED® CI v2.0- MR credit 1.2, 1.3 (Building Reuse); CI v2.0- MR credit 3.1, 3.2, 3.3 (Resource Reuse); and LEED® NC v2.2-MR 1.3, 3.1, 3.2.