DIVISION 09 FINISHES

Section 09 72 00 – Vinyl Coated Fabric Wall Coverings

PART 1: GENERAL

1.01 Scope of Standard

- A. This standard provides general guidance concerning the specific preferences of Texas State University for site-applied wall finishes of materials such as cork, leather, paper, vinyl, etc., in thin, flexible sheets requiring a supporting substratum.
- B. Texas State University recognizes that project conditions and requirements vary, thus precluding the absolute adherence to the items identified herein in all cases. However, unless there is adequate written justification, it is expected that these guidelines will govern the design and specifications for Texas State University projects.

1.02 Design Guidelines

- A. Wall Finishes
 - 1. The use of vinyl wall coverings (vwc) is discouraged.
 - 2. When use is absolutely necessary, use vinyl wall coverings with high permeability ratings and limit use to interior partitions only, such as Break Rooms & Coffee Bars.
 - 3. Use in conjunction with proper wall preparation using sizing or latex paint.
 - 4. Wall coverings of burlap, natural grass, paper, or felt is prohibited.
 - 5. Cork and leather are not to be used, and paper may be used only in special locations, such as historic buildings.
 - 6. Wall finishes must be in compliance with the NFPA standard 101 Life Safety Code requirements based on occupancy, reference NFPA standard 101, Sections 6-5 for appropriate classifications.
- B. Type: Standard use shall be vwc with polyolefin coating, type 2.

1.03 General Requirements

A. Asbestos: In no instance will any product containing asbestos be acceptable for use.

PART 2: PRODUCTS (NOT USED)

PART 3: EXECUTION (NOT USED)

END OF SECTION 09 72 00