

INSTYTUT TECHNOLOGII DREWNA - POZNAN CERTIFICATION CENTRE OF WOOD INDUSTRY PRODUCTS

CERTIFICATE № 275/2012 - TPC-19

Under executive order of California Air Resources Board* № W-10-019** issued on the base of regulations contained in section § 93120 Title 17 California Code of Regulations

Instytut Technologii Drewna

ul. Winiarska 1, 60-654 Poznań

and Company

Kronospan Mielec Sp. z o.o.

ul. Wojska Polskiego 3, 39-300 Mielec

entered into Contract № 102/CCWPD/2012 for continuous supervision of the production of wood-based panels in the scope of formaldehyde emission.

Instytut carried out an independent external control encompassing operation of the Company's quality control system, operation of the Company's laboratory for product quality control, and correctness of tests for formaldehyde emission from/content in the produced wood-based panels conducted in the internal control of the factory production.

Based on the obtained results (Test report no.102/FC/2012) Institute states that the product under supervision, i.e.

MDF Board

compliant with PN-EN 622-5 standard

of thickness range of 6 mm ≤ A ≤ 12 mm

product name: dry-formed, unfaced board of MDF type, E-LE, glued with the use of UF glue

fulfills the requirements of CARB in the scope of formaldehyde emission envisaged for **Phase 2** set forth in document § 93120.2 (Table 1) provided that the provisions of the effective Contract № 102/CCWPD/2012 are observed.

This Certificate is valid throughout the whole period of continuous supervision conducted by Instytut Technologii Drewna in the mode of quarterly external controls at the Company.

Rights and obligations of the Certificate owner are defined in Contract № 102/CCWPD/2012 of 16.01.2012

Head of CCWPD

MSc. (Eng.) Zygmunt Stawicki

Director of the Institute

Asst. Prof. Władysław Strykowski, PhD

Poznań, on this 30th day of March 2012

The Certificate may be used solely upon the consent of its owner, i.e. Kronospan Mielec Sp. z o.o. ul. Wojska Polskiego 3, 39-300 Mielec

* detailed information on CARB air protection program can be found at: http://www.arb.ca.gov/toxics/compwood/certifiers.htm

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