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I. New ARCA Approved SBS Primary Membrane Base Sheet.

On November 22nd, 2017 ARCA Warranty Ltd. approved the addition of an ARCA Approved SBS primary membrane base sheet for use in the ARCA Warranty Certificate program.

IKO Torchflex HD-FF-Base

This primary membrane base sheet is eligible for 5, 10 and 15 year ARCA Warranty Certificates.

Changes will be referenced in the ARCA Roofing Application Standards Manual.

II. New ARCA Approved SBS Base Ply Membrane Flashing.

On November 22nd, 2017 ARCA Warranty Ltd. approved the addition of an ARCA Approved SBS base ply membrane flashing material for use in the ARCA Warranty Certificate program.

IKO Armourbond Flash HD Base

This base ply membrane flashing material is eligible for five (5) and ten (10) year ARCA Warranty Certificates.

Changes will be referenced in the ARCA Roofing Application Standards Manual.

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III. New ARCA Standard for Insulation.

On November 22nd, 2017 ARCA Warranty Ltd. approved an addition to the ARCA Roofing Application Standards Manual requiring the use of only new insulation in new conventional insulated roof assemblies.

BUR 5.1.6

Only new insulation shall be installed in new conventional insulated roofing assemblies.

MB 5.1.6.

Only new insulation shall be installed in new conventional insulated roofing assemblies.

EPDM 5.1.6.

Only new insulation shall be installed in new conventional insulated roofing assemblies.

TP 5.1.8.

Only new insulation shall be installed in new conventional insulated roofing assemblies.

This change will be in effect for jobs bid after February 21, 2018. Changes will be referenced in the ARCA Roofing Application Standards Manual.