

# SECTION 23 07 13 Field Applied Grease Duct Insulation Zero Clearance, 2 Hour Rated

# PART 1 GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

A. Duct insulation to achieve zero clearance to combustibles and a 2-hour fire resistance rated duct enclosure on commercial kitchen grease duct exhaust systems

#### 1.2 REFERENCES

- A. The following published specifications, standards, or tests that apply to zero clearance two layer fire rated systems of grease duct insulation:
  - 1. NFPA 96
  - 2. International Code Council Evaluation Service (ICC-ES)
  - 3. 1997 ICBO Uniform Mechanical Code (ICBO UMC)
  - 4. 1997 Uniform Building Code (UBC)
  - 5. International Mechanical Code (IMC) all editions
  - 6. Uniform Mechanical Code (IAPMO UMC) all editions
  - 7. National Building Code of Canada all editions
  - 8. ASTM E2336 Standard Test Methods for Fire Resistance Rated Grease Duct Enclosures
  - 9. CAN/ULC-S144 Standard Method of Fire Resistance Test Grease Duct Assemblies
  - 10. ASTM E84 Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials
  - 11. ASTM E119 Standard Test Methods for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials
  - 12. ASTM E136 Standard Test Method for Combustibility
  - 13. ASTM E518 Standard Test for Durability
  - 14. ASTM E814 Standard Test Method for Fire Tests of Penetration Firestop Systems

**NOTE:** The Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ) has final responsibility for approving equipment, materials, procedures, and performance requirements for their respective jurisdiction.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit under provisions of Section 01 30 00 Administrative Requirements.
- B. Product Data: Manufacturer's data sheets on each product to be used, including:
  - 1. Preparation instructions and recommendations
  - 2. Storage and handling requirements and recommendations
  - 3. Installation methods
- C. Submit certification and installation documentation showing system performance and Code compliance

# 1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver materials in original unopened packages, clearly marked with manufacturer's name, product designation, manufacturer's lot numbers and appropriate third party classification listings
- B. Store in a covered dry environment
- C. Store and dispose of solvent-based materials, and materials used with solvent-based materials, in accordance with requirements of local authorities having jurisdiction

### 1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Maintain environmental conditions (temperature, humidity, and ventilation) within limits recommended by manufacturer for optimum results. Do not install products under environmental conditions outside manufacturer's absolute limits

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Acceptable Manufacturer: Alkegen I LLC located at: 600 Riverwalk Pkwy. Suite 120; Tonawanda, NY 14150; Tel: 716-768-6298; Fax: 716-768-6400; Email: request info (info.fp@alkegen.com); Web: <a href="https://alkegen.com/industries-we-serve/construction-advanced-materials/#fire-protection-solutions">https://alkegen.com/industries-we-serve/construction-advanced-materials/#fire-protection-solutions</a>
- B. Requests for substitutions will be considered in accordance with provisions of Section 01 60 00 Product Requirements

# 2.2 DUCT INSULATION FOR ZERO CLEARANCE APPLIED FIREPROOFING FOR FIRE-RATED GREASE DUCTS

- A. Product: FyreWrap<sup>®</sup> Elite<sup>®</sup> 1.5 Duct Insulation by Unifrax I LLC, Tonawanda, NY:
  - 1. Nominal 1.5 inch (38 mm) thick foil encapsulated blanket material at 6 PCF to provide 2-hour fire resistive enclosure assembly per ASTM E2336
  - 2. A lightweight, flexible, inorganic, non-asbestos, bio-soluble, high temperature, foil encapsulated blanket wrap
  - 3. Flexible, fully encapsulated blanket material, two-layer system to provide 2-hour fire resistive enclosure assembly per ASTM E2336 and CAN/ULC-S144
  - 4. Blanket insulation shall maintain a 2300 degree F (1260 degree C) operating temperature
  - 5. Blanket fiber materials shall be tested per EU regulatory requirements, Directive 97/69/EC for bio-solubility, and verified by an independent laboratory
  - 6. Provide field fabricated or prefabricated fire rated access doors (for cleanout as required) to maintain 2-hour rating and required clearance
  - 7. Provide firestop sealants, tape, insulation pins, clips, banding and other components as per manufacturer's instructions to provide fully functioning zero clearance to combustibles grease duct system
- B. Performance: Lightweight, non-asbestos, bio-soluble, high temperature, inorganic, foil encapsulated insulation blanket. The blanket material shall be capable of performing at 2300 degree F (1260 degree C) exceeding the internal and external fire test temperature for grease ducts. The duct wrap system shall be a tested and listed system evaluated for reduced clearances to combustibles as an alternative to a grease duct, with a two-hour fire rated shaft enclosure. Testing shall be conducted at a nationally recognized testing laboratory.

- 1. Performance Requirements:
  - a. Two-layer system of 1-1/2 inch (38 mm) 6 pcf (96 kg/m3) material
  - b. Zero clearance to combustibles across the entire surface of the blanket material per internal fire tests of ASTM E2336
  - c. 2-hour fire resistive enclosure assembly per ASTM E119
  - d. CAN/ULC-S144: Stability-2hr, Integrity-2hr, Insulation-2hr
  - e. Firestop tested per ASTM E814, 2 Hour F and T Ratings
  - f. Meets 25/50 flame and smoke ratings per ASTM E 84

#### 2.3 BLANKET INSULATION

- A. Product: FyreWrap Elite Blanket by Unifrax LLC, Tonawanda, NY:
  - 1. Thickness: 1/2 inch, 1 inch, 1.5 inches, 2.0 inches (13 mm, 25 mm, 38 mm, 51 mm)
  - 2. Density: 4, 6, 8,10 PCF (64 kilogram/cubic meter, 96 kilogram/cubic meter, 128 kilogram/cubic meter, 160 kilogram/cubic meter)
  - 3. Width: 24 inches, 48 inches (610 mm, 1219 mm)
  - 4. Length: 12.5 feet, 25 feet (3.8 m, 7.6 m)
- B. Performance: A calcium, magnesium, silicate chemistry to provide thermal insulation at continuous operating temperatures up to 2300 degree F (1260 degree C)
  - 1. Performance Requirements:
    - a. ASTM E84, UL 723, ULC S102.2 UL File No. R14514 Flame Spread/Smoke Developed Rating: Unfaced Blanket Zero/Zero Encapsulated < 25/< 50
    - b. ASTM E136 Combustibility Test: Passes
    - c. ASTM C518 Durability Test: Passes: R-Value = 4.8 per inch at 75 degree F.
    - d. ASTM C518 Thermal Resistance: R-Value of Elite 1.5 inches (38 mm) = 7.2

#### PART 3 EXECUTION

# 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Inspect and verify that all surfaces are smooth, dry, clean and free from dust, debris, or other loose materials. Surfaces shall be dry before the application of insulation materials
- B. Clean surfaces thoroughly prior to installation
- C. Prepare surfaces using the methods recommended by the manufacturer for achieving the best result for the substrate under the project conditions

#### 3.2 INSTALLATION

A. Install duct wrap system in accordance with manufacturer's installation instructions

#### 3.3 MAINTENANCE

- A. Cut banding or insulation washers on damaged blanket areas and remove
- B. Cut and remove damaged blanket
- C. Cut new blanket piece with exact dimensions as that removed and install on ductwork in same configuration as previously used in compliance with required material overlaps and attachment methods
- D. Ensure same minimum overlap is created
- E. Replace permanent attachment