#### **SECTION 10100**

## VISUAL DISPLAY BOARDS

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Porcelain enamel markerboards.
  - 2. Natural-cork tackboards.

## 1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of visual display board indicated.
- B. Shop Drawings: For each type of visual display board required.
  - 1. Include dimensioned elevations. Show location of joints between individual panels where unit dimensions exceed maximum panel length.
  - 2. Show anchors, grounds, reinforcement, accessories, layout, and installation details.
- C. Samples for Selection: Manufacturer's color charts showing the full range of colors and textures available.

#### D. LEED Submittal:

- 1. Credit MR 2.1 and 2.2: Comply with Division 1 Section "Construction Waste Management."
- 2. Product Data for Credit MR 4.1 and Credit MR 4.2: For products having recycled content, documentation indicating percentages by weight of postconsumer and preconsumer recycled content.
  - a. Include statement indicating costs for each product having recycled content.
- 3. Credit MR 5.1: Product Data indicating location of material manufacturer for regionally manufactured materials.
  - a. Include statement indicating cost and distance from manufacturer to Project for each regionally manufactured material.
- 4. Credit EQ 4.1: Manufacturers' product data for interior sealants, including printed statement of VOC content and material safety data sheets.

#### 1.3 WARRANTY

- A. General Warranty: The special porcelain enamel markerboard warranty specified in this Article shall not deprive the Owner of other rights the Owner may have under other provisions of the Contract Documents and shall be in addition to, and run concurrent with, other warranties made by the Contractor under requirements of the Contract Documents.
- B. Porcelain Enamel Markerboard Warranty: Submit a written warranty executed by manufacturer agreeing to replace porcelain enamel markerboards that do not retain their original writing and erasing qualities, become slick and shiny, or exhibit crazing, cracking, or flaking within the

specified warranty period, provided the manufacturer's written instructions for handling, installation, protection, and maintenance have been followed.

1. Warranty Period: 50 years from date of Substantial Completion.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Available Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Claridge Products and Equipment, Inc.
  - 2. Ghent Manufacturing, Inc.
  - 3. Greensteel, Inc.
  - 4. Nelson Adams Company.

# 2.2 MATERIALS

- A. Porcelain Enamel Markerboards: Balanced, high-pressure-laminated, porcelain enamel markerboards of 3-ply construction consisting of face sheet, core material, and backing.
  - 1. Face Sheet: Porcelain-enamel-clad, ASTM A 463/A 463M, Type 1, stretcher-leveled aluminized steel, with 0.0236-inch (0.60-mm) uncoated thickness; with porcelain-enamel coating fused to steel at approximately 1000 deg F (538 deg C).
    - a. Gloss Finish: Low gloss; dry-erase markers wipe clean with dry cloth or standard eraser. Suitable for use as projection screen.
  - 2. Core: 3/8-inch- (9.5-mm-) thick, particleboard core material complying with requirements of ANSI A208.1, Grade 1-M-1.
  - 3. Backing Sheet: 0.015-inch- (0.38-mm-) thick, aluminum-sheet backing.
  - 4. Laminating Adhesive: Manufacturer's standard, moisture-resistant, thermoplastic-type adhesive.
  - 5. Custom Lining: Where indicated, provide four sets of music staff lines plus two treble notes and two bass clef notes.
- B. Natural-Cork Tackboards: Single-layer, 1/4-inch- (6.4-mm-) thick, seamless, compressed fine-grain, bulletin board quality, natural-cork sheet; face sanded for natural finish; complying with MS MIL-C-15116, Type II.
  - 1. Backing: Factory laminate cork face sheet under pressure to 1/4-inch- (6.4-mm-) thick fiberboard backing.
  - 2. Available Product: Claridge Tan Nucork Bulletin Board or approved substitute.

# 2.3 FABRICATION

- A. Porcelain Enamel Markerboards: Laminate facing sheet and backing sheet to core material under pressure with manufacturer's recommended flexible, waterproof adhesive.
  - 1. Provide manufacturer's standard vertical joint system between abutting sections of markerboards.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine wall surfaces, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements and other conditions affecting installation of visual display boards.
  - 1. Surfaces to receive markerboards shall be free of dirt, scaling paint, and projections or depressions that would affect smooth, finished surfaces of markerboards.
  - 2. Do not proceed with installation until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Deliver factory-built visual display boards completely assembled in one piece without joints, where possible. If dimensions exceed panel size, provide 2 or more pieces of equal length as acceptable to Architect. When overall dimensions require delivery in separate units, prefit components at the factory, disassemble for delivery, and make final joints at the site. Use splines at joints to maintain surface alignment.
- B. Install units in locations and at mounting heights indicated and according to manufacturer's written instructions. Keep perimeter lines straight, plumb, and level. Provide grounds, clips, backing materials, adhesives, brackets, anchors, trim, and accessories necessary for complete installation.
- C. Coordinate units with grounds, trim, and accessories. Join parts with a neat, precision fit.

## 3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Verify that accessories required for each unit have been properly installed and that operating units function properly.
- B. Clean units according to manufacturer's written instructions.

END OF SECTION