

CARLISLE'S AUTHORIZED APPLICATORS MARKETING ANNOUNCEMENT

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OTC Regulation Update
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TO: Carlisle Authorized Applicators

Increased regulations in the Northeast to reduce emissions of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) resulting from the application of adhesives, sealants, and primers have required Carlisle to continue development of low-VOC substitutes.

The language within the regulations varies by state but essentially indicates that any person who sells, offers for sale, supplies or uses an adhesive, sealant or primer that does not meet the VOC content limits set forth will be in violation of the regulations. Carlisle will not be able to sell or ship noncompliant products to these states during the regulated period. The following states have implemented the policy for 2012 as follows:

Effective Dates	
State	2012
CT, DC, DE, MD, ME, NJ, NY, PA, RI	January 1 st – December 31 st
MA, NH, VT (pending approval)	No dates established at this time
VA (Counties served by the Northern Regional Office of VA DEQ)	January 1 st – December 31 st

DC & PA have an exemption that products manufactured prior to December 31, 2011 can be used in 2012

Carlisle is pleased to offer the availability of the following products as low-VOC alternatives to standard bonding adhesive and primer.

Product Code	Description
303090	Low-VOC Bonding Adhesive, 5-gal can
309126	Low-VOC PVC Bonding Adhesive, 5-gal can
316522	Low-VOC EPDM Primer, (6) One-gal cans
317064	Low-VOC TPO Primer, (6) One-gal cans

If you have any further questions, please contact your local representative or distributor.

Sincerely,



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