

SECTION 096513 RESILIENT BASE AND ACCESSORIES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Work of this Section, as shown or specified, shall be in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

1.2 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. The Work of this Section includes all labor, materials, equipment, and services necessary to complete the resilient accessories as shown on the drawings and/or specified herein, including, but not limited to, the following:
 - 1. Rubber base.
 - 2. Accessories.

1.3 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Gypsum Drywall - Section 092900.
- B. Resilient Sheet Flooring - Section 096516.
- C. Resilient Tile Flooring - Section 096519.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Qualifications of Installers: Use only personnel who are thoroughly trained and experienced in the skills required and completely familiar with the requirements established for this work.

1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Manufacturer's Data: For information only, submit manufacturer's technical information and installation instructions for type of resilient base.
- B. Samples: Submit six (6) inch long samples of base.

1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver materials to the project site in the manufacturer's original unopened containers, clearly marked to indicate pattern, gauge, lot number and sequence of materials.
- B. Carefully handle all materials and store in original containers at not less than seventy (70) degrees F. for at least forty-eight (48) hours before start of installation.

1.7 JOB CONDITIONS

- A. Continuously heat spaces to receive base to a temperature of seventy (70) degrees F. for at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to installation, whenever project conditions are such that heating is required. Maintain seventy (70) degrees F. temperature continuously during and after installation as recommended by the manufacturer, but for not less than forty-eight (48) hours.

Maintain a temperature of not less than fifty-five (55) degrees F. in areas where work is completed.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 RUBBER BASE

- A. Provide "Pinnacle" wall base as manufactured by Roppe Corp., or comparable product by Johnsonite, Allstate, or approved equal. Provide 4" high by 1/8" thick rubber, Type TS (vulcanized thermoset), Group 1 (solid), straight base with pre-formed internal and external corner pieces, color as scheduled on the drawings. Base shall conform to performance requirements of ASTM F 1861.

2.2 ACCESSORIES

- A. Adhesives: Waterproof, stabilized type, as recommended by the manufacturer for the type of service indicated.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSPECTION

- A. Examine the areas and conditions where resilient base and accessories are to be installed and correct any conditions detrimental to the proper and timely completion of the work. Do not proceed with the work until unsatisfactory conditions are corrected to permit proper installation of the work.

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. In all spaces where base is indicated, install bases tight to walls, partitions, columns, built-in cabinets, etc., without gaps at top or bulges at bottom, with tight joints and flush edges, with molded corner pieces at internal and external corners. Provide end stops adjacent to flush type door frames and where base does not terminate against an adjacent surface. Keep base in full contact with walls until adhesive sets.

3.3 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. Remove any excess adhesive or other surface blemishes from base using neutral type cleaners as recommended by the manufacturer.

END OF SECTION 096513