Drywall/Gypsum Film Installation Guide

Preparation:

Surface Preparation:

- Ensure the drywall is finished to Level 5 standards for a smooth and uniform surface, which is essential for optimal results.
- If the surface isn't adequately smooth, repair any imperfections or consult with the client/contractor to have it corrected before proceeding.

Cleaning the Surface:

• Clean the drywall using a mixture of Isopropyl alcohol and water to remove any contaminants, such as dust or oils. Always test the cleaner in a small, inconspicuous area to ensure it doesn't react negatively with the surface.

Priming the Surface:

- Apply <u>Bodaq Primer</u> (diluted 50/50 with water) using a brush or roller. This primer acts as an adhesion promoter, ensuring better bonding between the drywall and the Bodaq film.
- Ensure the primer is spread evenly without bubbles or streaks. Allow it to dry completely before proceeding to the film installation.

Installation:

Cutting the Film:

• Measure and cut the Bodaq film to the required size, leaving a small overlap where seams meet. This overlap is essential to account for natural film shrinkage over time.

Applying the Film:

- Begin applying the film from the top, carefully smoothing it down to avoid air bubbles. Remember that Bodaq films have a high-tack adhesive, creating a strong bond once pressed onto the surface.
- Take caution when repositioning the film, as pulling it off may damage the drywall underneath.

Seam Management:

• Overlap seams for better durability. This ensures that the film remains secure over time.

By following these steps, Bodaq Interior Film will provide a professional, highquality finish on drywall surfaces, enhancing the look of any space with minimal hassle.