

RENEWAL OF QUALICOAT APPROVALS IN 2021

To renew a coating material approval (P-No.), powder manufacturer must submit **two out of the three colours** specified below to a QUALICOAT testing laboratory, **no later than 30 June 2021**. If the system has a metallic extension, RAL 9007 needs to be sent in additionally.

Class 1		Class 1.5		Class 2		Class 3	
Exposure 2022-2023		Exposure 2022-2024		Exposure 2022/2025		Exposure 2022/2032	
→ Florida : deadline February 2022		Florida : deadline February 2022		Florida : deadline February 2022		Florida : deadline February 2022	
Evaluation by Florida WG: July 2023		Evaluation by Florida WG : July 2023/2024		Evaluation by Florida WG : July 2023/24/25		Evaluation by Florida WG : July 2025/29/32	
RAL 7015 Slate grey	3	RAL 7015 Slate grey	3	RAL 9004 Traffic black	5	RAL 7015 Slate grey	4
RAL 7024 Graphite grey	3	RAL 7024 Graphite grey	3	RAL 9005 Jet black	5	RAL 7047 Telegrey 4	3
RAL 9016 Traffic white	2	RAL 9016 Traffic white	2	RAL 9011 Graphite black	5	RAL 8014 Sepia brown	4
RAL 9007 Grey aluminium	2	RAL 9007 Grey aluminium	2	RAL 9007 Grey aluminium	2	RAL 9007 Grey aluminium	4
				Family 9/C (BLACK)			

All ΔE values specified above are final limits after the weathering test (see Appendix A12 of the QUALICOAT Specifications). ΔE values during labor testing see Appendix A8 of the Specifications.

If the required colours are not part of your standard production, samples need to be produced especially for the tests.

Every approval granted before the 1st of March 2021 must be renewed. If a powder manufacturer fails to submit the required colours to the laboratory on time and if no panels are sent to Florida consequently, two of the colours and one metallic colour will be banned in accordance with section 4.2.4 of the QUALICOAT Specifications.

New certificates valid for one year are issued in December of each year based on the Florida test outcomes of the previous exposure year and on the results of the laboratory tests completed during the current year (renewal tests, extension of an approval, retesting of banned colours).

VOLUNTARY WITHDRAWAL OF APPROVALS

If you do not intend to renew an approval, you must inform your General Licensee and the QUALICOAT Secretariat in writing **before 30 November 2020**. At the end of the calendar year, the system will then be transferred to the list of cancelled approvals with the remark "cancelled upon supplier's request".

Please contact us if you require any further information or explanation.