

# **Translucent Stone Panels**

SECTION 07420 - NATURAL STONE REINFORCED PANELS (EXTERIOR) SECTION 09452 - NATURAL STONE REINFORCED PANELS (INTERIOR)

This section is based on the products of StonePly
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## PART 1 GENERAL

### 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

A. StonePly Translucent Panels

## 1.2 WORK INCLUDED

A. Furnish all materials, labor, tools, equipment engineering, and services to install composite stone panels of natural stone bonded to Translucent backing.

# 1.3 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 08630 Metal-Framed Skylights.
- B. Section 07900 Joint Sealers.
- C. Section 08800 Glazing

### 1.4 REFERENCES

- A. ASTM Z 97.1 American National Standard for Glazing Materials Used in Buildings -- Safety Performance Specifications and Methods of Test.
- B. G. ASTM F 1233 Standard Test Method for Security Glazing Materials and Systems.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer Qualifications: The stone panel manufacturer shall have at minimum a 3 year demonstrated capability to produce panels of the quality and scope required.
- B. Installer Qualifications: Regularly engaged and experienced in the installation of composite natural stone veneer panels.

## 1.6 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit under provisions of Section 01300.
- B. Product Data: Manufacturer's data sheets on each product to be used, including:
  - 1. Physical properties including data on material weight, light transmission and thermal expansion.

- 2. Preparation instructions and recommendations
- 3. Storage and handling requirements and recommendations.
- 4. Installation methods and procedures, including edge engagement guidelines.
- C. Verification Samples: Submit samples for each finish product specified, two samples, minimum size 2 inches by 3inches, representing actual product.

## 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver StonePly Translucent panels on enclosed boxes and pallets.
- B. Store products in manufacturer's unopened packaging until ready for installation.
- C. Store in dry, well-ventilated and covered areas at temperatures below 90 degrees F.
- D. Handle sheets carefully to prevent damage; do not drop, slide, or drag.

## 1.8 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Maintain environmental conditions (temperature, humidity, and ventilation) within limits recommended by manufacturer for optimum results. Do not install products under environmental conditions outside manufacturer's absolute limits.

#### 1.9 WARRANTY

A. Provide StonePly Translucent Panels manufacturer's written warranty covering breakage.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Provide products manufactured by StonePly Inc 4400 Oneal Street, Greenville, TX 75401 Tel (903) 454-0904 Fax (903) 454-3642 <a href="mailto:info@stoneply.com">info@stoneply.com</a> <a href="mailto:www.stoneply.com">www.stoneply.com</a>
- B. Substitutions are not allowed.

#### 2.2 MATERIALS

- A. The stone shall match the sample:
  - 1. Stone Finish shall be: (select one) [polished] [honed] [to match the approved sample]
- B. StonePly Panels General: Comply with properties as follows:
  - Panel Thickness: \_\_\_\_\_.
     Backing Material: (Select One) [Glass] [Polycarbonate] [As indicated on drawings].
  - Stone Selection: \_\_\_\_\_.
     Dimensional Tolerance: Plus or minus 1/8" (3.2mm) in all directions. Plus or minus 1/8" (3.2mm) diagonally.

# 2.3 ACCESSORIES

A. Joint sealants (as specified in section 07920) shall be pre tested for compatibility with the natural stone panel facing selected.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Inspect pallets upon delivery for evidence of damage.
- B. Inspect and verify that openings are correct size and conform to recommendations of the StonePly Translucent Stone Panel manufacturer.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare surfaces using the methods recommended by the manufacturer for achieving the best result for the substrate under the project conditions.
- B. Immediately prior to installation, expose glazing edges of stone panel by peeling back factory-applied protective masking to a dimension sufficient for edge engagement.

#### 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Install StonePly translucent in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations for edge engagement and expansion allowance.
- B. Employ only sealants and glazing accessories that have been approved by manufacturer of StonePly translucent panels.
- C. Remove protective masking immediately after all installation operations are completed.

#### 3.4 PROTECTION

- A. Protect installed products until completion of project.
- B. Affix polyethylene film or other approved covering to framing members, as required to protect StonePly translucent stone panels from other construction operations.
- C. Repair or replace damaged products before Substantial Completion.
- D. Clean all dirt, marks, & sealant from stone panels using methods appropriate for the type of stone and per manufacturer's recommendation.

## 3.5 SCHEDULE

\* This paragraph to be provided by the architect. \*

**END OF SECTION**