



CHEMCO

Pioneering Services & Solutions:
Making the World's Sustainable Wood Products Better

CHEMCO-Chubb Insurance Preferred Vendor Program

Description:

CHEMCO is excited to take part in the Chubb Insurance Preferred Vendor program and updated construction guidelines for policyholders. Chubb policyholders can still have the beauty of a wood roof, but with the added benefit of Class A rated fire resistance.

Founded in 1981, CHEMCO has become one of the leading fire retardant treatment companies for wood products in the world. Located on a 40-acre site in Ferndale, Washington, CHEMCO continues to work closely with cedar shake and shingle, lumber and siding manufacturers, to develop fire retardant solutions for the global marketplace.

CHEMCO uses a vacuum pressure application process that removes moisture and air from wood cells and replaces it with an environmentally friendly fire retardant. The treated cedar shakes are then thermally cured in a kiln to lock the fire retardant into the wood cells. This process of locking the fire retardant into the cellular structure of the wood, renders the wood suitable for Class A rated applications, with no need for future re-treatment.

Details:

For those policyholders that wish to install a wood roof, a Chemco-treated, Class A Wood Roof Assembly will be required. To achieve a Class A Wood Roof Assembly, a Class B rated cedar shake is required in combination with a specific underlayment, which is applied directly under the cedar shakes, and over top of the roof sheathing.

Class A Wood Roof Assembly Technical Requirements:

To achieve a Class A Wood Roof Assembly, CHEMCO treated wood shakes labeled "Class B" may be installed over 1/4 inch (6mm) thick Dens-Deck Roof Board, manufactured by Georgia-Pacific Corporation. The Dens-Deck board is fastened either to 1 inch (25mm) by 4 inch (102mm) spaced sheathing or 1/2 inch (13mm) plywood with exterior glue which shall be installed in accordance with the applicable code.

Dens-Deck Roof board may be substituted with a minimum seventy-two (72) pound mineral surface fiberglass cap sheet complying with ASTM D3909, fastened to either 1 inch (25mm) by 4 inch (102mm) spaced sheathing or 1/2 inch (13 mm) plywood

with exterior glue. Dens-Deck Roof Board and mineral surfaced fiberglass cap sheet must bear the label of a quality control agency accredited by ICBO ES.

Available Products:

Homeowners will be asked to submit their list of materials to their insurance agent to show proof of a Class A Wood Roof assembly.

Approved brands for CHEMCO Class B rated cedar shakes are:

1. **FTX**
2. **Chemco**
3. **FST**
4. **Cedar Plus**
5. **Durashake**

Manufacturers of approved underlayment material

1. **Georgia-Pacific Dens-Deck®**
2. **Certainteed**
3. **Malarkey**
4. **Fields**

Rebate and Warranty Program:

Warranty forms accompany all purchases of CHEMCO-treated roofing. Once warranty information has been submitted by the homeowner and a warranty number has been issued, homeowners may fill out a CHEMCO Rebate Request Form. CHEMCO will offer 5% of the treating cost back to the homeowner in the form of a rebate check.



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Mail-In Rebate Redemption Form

Congratulations on your new CHEMCO fire resistant wood roof purchase. Use this rebate form for the Chubb Insurance Masterpiece® Protection Network. Please submit only one form per item purchase. If you have any questions related to CHEMCO mail-in rebates, please contact David Plenkovich at 360-366-3500.

TO RECEIVE YOUR CHEMCO MAIL-IN REBATE:

1. Be a current Chubb Insurance policyholder
2. Purchase a qualifying CHEMCO-treated wood roof
3. Complete this form. You must sign the agreement below.
4. Mail this completed form to the address listed below. Rebate checks are ordinarily processed within 8-10 weeks.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip Code** _____

Telephone Number _____

Warranty Identification Number _____

Chubb Policy Number _____

Signature & Date _____

Printed Name _____

Mail to:
Chemco, Inc.
Attention: David Plenkovich
P.O. Box 875
Ferndale, WA 98248
Ref: Chubb Insurance Rebate Offer