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### 1.0 GENERAL

## .1 Requirements Include

.1 Architectural woodwork.

## .2 General Requirements

- .1 Specify Custom Grade architectural woodwork in accordance with AWMAC manual.
- .2 Provide BCIT with a full list of finishes and hardware used on the project.
- .3 Materials not identified in these standards must be identified and approved by Owner and be approved by the Authority Having Jurisdiction.

#### .3 BCIT Sustainability Requirements

.1 Sustainability Goals - Mandatory Compliance: comply with allowable VOC levels for all adhesives, sealants, Paints and other coatings as outlined in Division 01.

## 2.0 ADMINISTRATIVE AND SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

#### .1 BCIT Submittals and Notifications

- .1 Product Data:
  - .1 Data for hardware accessories.
  - .2 Include information on laminate thicknesses.
- .2 Maintenance Manual:
  - .1 Specify inclusion of materials and finishes used for architectural woodwork.
  - .2 Specify inclusion of type and source of cabinet hardware and specialty items used under architectural woodwork and name and telephone number of closest distributor for replacement hardware.
  - .3 Specify inclusion of maintenance procedures and schedules.
  - .4 Specify submission of manufacturer's care and maintenance data for solid surfaces.

# 3.0 QUALITY ASSURANCE

# .1 Requirements

- .1 Perform work in accordance with NAAWS Manual for Custom Grade.
- .2 Manufacture and install to current AWMAC/NAAWS standards.
- .3 Guarantee /Bonding:

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- .1 Include AWMAC/NAAWS requirements for inspection if AWMAC GIS is chosen.
- .2 Include either:
  - .1 Two year AWMAC Guarantee Certificate to cover replacement, rework and/or refinishing of deficient Work due to faulty workmanship or defective materials supplied and/or installed by woodwork contractor during AWMAC period following date of issuance; or
  - .2 Maintenance Bond: Provide a two-year maintenance bond to the full value of woodwork contract.

# .2 Guarantee / Warranty

- .1 Upon completion of the Work, the Contractor shall furnish the Owner with a two (2) year AWMAC Guarantee Certificate to include replacing and refinishing due to defects and faulty workmanship.
- .2 The Guarantee shall cover replacing and/or refinishing to make good any defects in Architectural Woodwork due to faulty workmanship or defective materials supplied by this section of the specifications, which appear during a two (2) year period following the date of Substantial Performance of the Work.

# 4.0 PRODUCTS

## .1 Manufacturers

- .1 Subject to compliance with specifications the following manufacturers are acceptable for the products indicated:
  - .1 MDF/Particle Board: Sierra Pine, www.sierrapine.com or approved alternative.
  - .2 Alternatives considered for approval.

### .2 Stainless Steel Materials

- .1 Stainless Steel Sheet: ASTM A240 / A 240M, Type 304 or 316 (UNS 30400 or 30316), stretcher leveled, with the following mill finish:
  - .1 Finish: No. 4.

## .3 Solid Surfacing Materials

- .1 Solid Surfacing Material:
  - .1 Solid cast, filled polymer, nonporous, with through body colors meeting ANSI Z124.3 or ANSI Z124.6.
  - .2 Capable of being sanded or polished to a depth of 0.01 inch (0 .25 mm).
  - .3 Coated, laminated or of composite construction not acceptable.
  - .4 Acceptable Product: Corian by Dupont, or approved alternative.

Consultants are to provide complete specifications, and review these Technical Standards documents to include BCIT requirements within the specifications as applicable to the project.

## .4 Hardware

- .1 General: To BHMA A156.9. Finish: Brushed stainless steel unless indicated otherwise.
- .2 Drawer and Door Pulls:
  - .1 Rod 'D' shaped, stainless steel, 100mm.
  - .2 Approved alternate.
- .3 Drawer Slides: Side mounted, galvanized steel construction, ball bearings separating tracks, full extension.
- .4 Hinges: Fully concealed, knuckle hinge, opening 180 degrees.
- .5 Cam Locks: As approved by BCIT.
- .6 Drawer Locks: As approved by BCIT.
- .7 Shelf Standards and Rests:
  - .1 Formed steel channels, channels to be counter sunk, surface mounted not acceptable. Space slots for rests at 25 mm (1 in.) centers.
  - .2 Finish: Millwork manufacturer's standard.
  - .3 Provide adequate clips to fit into channels for shelving indicated. Where number of shelves is not indicated provide 3 shelves for each upper cabinet and two shelves for each lower cabinet.

## .5 Casework – General

- .1 Cases: Veneer core plywood (no particle board or MDF permitted).
- .2 Doors and drawer fronts: Veneered MDF.
- .3 Millwork designed for clear finish, rotary cut birch or maple, with 19 mm (3/4 inch) solid edging.
- .4 Provide purpose made acid resistant solid surfacing veneer countertops in all labs.

## .6 Casework – Plastic Laminate

- .1 Cabinet Construction:
  - .1 Style: Flush overlay.
  - .2 Cores: MDF.
  - .3 Door & Drawer Fronts: Vertical Grade plastic laminate at vertical surfaces. Horizontal Grade plastic laminate at horizontal surfaces. Fire rated at locations indicated.

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- .4 Door & Drawer Edges: Vertical Grade plastic laminate at vertical surfaces. Horizontal Grade plastic laminate at horizontal surfaces. Fire rated at locations indicated.
- .5 Semi-exposed Surfaces:
  - .1 Surfaces (other than drawer bodies): High pressure laminate, fire rated where indicated.
  - .2 Drawer Sides and Backs: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.
  - .3 Drawer Bottoms: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.
  - .4 Shelf Edges: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.

# .7 Casework – Public Realm

- .1 Cabinet Construction:
  - .1 Style: Flush overlay.
  - .2 Cores: MDF.
  - .3 Door and Drawer Fronts and Backs: Select White Birch, rotary cut or as approved by Owner.
  - .4 Door and Drawer Edges: 6 mm thick solid birch edge banding.
  - .5 Semi-exposed Surfaces:
    - .1 Surfaces (other than drawer bodies): High pressure laminate, fire rated where indicated.
    - .2 Drawer Sides and Backs: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.
    - .3 Drawer Bottoms: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.
    - .4 Shelf Edges: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.

## .8 Casework – Wet Laboratories

- .1 Cabinet Construction:
  - .1 Style: Flush overlay.
  - .2 Core: Plywood.
  - .3 Door and Drawer Fronts: Commercial grade 1.5 mm thick plastic laminate.
  - .4 Door and Drawer Edges: Rubber T. to full width of edge.
  - .5 Semi-exposed Surfaces:
    - .1 Surfaces (other than drawer bodies): High pressure laminate, fire rated where indicated.

- .2 Drawer Sides and Backs: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.
- .3 Drawer Bottoms: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.
- .4 Shelf Edges: Edge banded thermo-fused Melamine.

### .9 Countertops

- .1 General: Countertops containing sinks shall be constructed with cores of exterior grade plywood. Countertops not containing sinks may be constructed with MDF cores.
- .2 Edging: Provide 6 mm thick solid surface edging for countertops in public realm. Acceptable products: Corian by Dupont or approved alternative.

#### .10 Countertops – Wet Laboratories

- .1 Countertops in Wet Labs:
  - .1 Core: Exterior grade plywood.
  - .2 Face: Solid Surface material, acid resistant where indicated.
  - .3 Edging: Solid Surface material to match face.

### .11 Finishing

- .1 Shop-finish products to greatest extent possible.
- .2 For wood materials requiring ULC fire rating or preservatives for concealed wood blocking, shop apply finish by brush.
  - .1 Provide ULC approved identification on fire retardant treated material.
  - .2 Deliver fire retardant treated materials cut to required sizes. Minimize field cutting.
    - \*\*\* END OF ARCHITECTURAL WOODWORK SECTION \*\*\*