

ONE-YEAR WOOD COLUMN WARRANTY

Somerset Door and Column Company (SDC) warrants its wood columns will be free of manufacturing defects, joint separation and rotting for a period of one (1) year after purchase when used with aluminum or fiberglass plinths, providing columns are: (a) protected on the jobsite and not exposed to extreme weather conditions prior to installation; (b) coated with asphaltum on the interior of the shaft at least three (3) feet up from the bottom; (c) installed, sealed, painted and ventilated* in accordance with SDC installations instructions. Should replacement be necessary under this warranty, the sole remedy shall be limited to furnishing new shafts, caps, bases and/or plinths to replace any defective component. Field assembled joints, on re-assembly of split columns, are not warranted. In additions, SDC does not warranty merchantability nor does it warrant that the products covered herein are expressly suited for any particular purpose. There are no other warranties, either implied or expressed, other than that which is contained in this document. This warranty only covers columns produced after February 29, 2000.

*See next page for ventilation instructions. This warranty must be completed and returned to the manufacturer for warranty to be in effect.



SOMERSET
DOOR & COLUMN
COMPANY

174 Sagamore Street | Somerset, PA 15501

Representing Somerset Door & Column Co.

Warranty No.

Date

Site Inspection

I _____
Name

of _____
Firm Name

_____ *Firm Address*

have inspected the job site at

_____ *Street Address* _____ *City* _____ *State* _____ *Zip*

and found these columns to be properly installed and ventilated.

Signature

Printed Name _____ *Date*

Ventilation Instructions

Proper ventilation (air flow) is the most important factor in the life of a wood column. We have learned through many years of experience that venting should be done at the top of the column through the center of the cap and flashing into a recessed beam of soffit (see detail). Using louvers or venting directly into the beam or soffit is not adequate for proper air flow. When leveling plinths, be careful to retain sufficient space for ventilation.

VENTILATION MUST BE PROVIDED AT THE TIME OF INSTALLATION BY THE CONTRACTOR. SOMERSET DOOR & COLUMN CO. (SDC) WILL ONLY WARRANT COLUMNS THAT HAVE BEEN PROPERLY INSTALLED WITH A RECESSED BEAM AND WITH OPEN PLINTH VENTS AS SHOWN.

In addition to these ventilation instructions, good workmanship and adherence to SDC installation guidelines will be required for this warranty to be effective.

