#### BLINDS

#### Part 1 General

## 1.1 **REFERENCES**

- .1 American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)
  - .1 ASTM D 1784-99, Specification for Rigid Poly(Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Compounds and Chlorinated Poly(Vinyl Chloride) (CPVC) Compounds.
- .2 Environmental Choice Program (ECP)
  - .1 ECP-66-94, Office Furniture.

## **1.2 DESIGN REQUIREMENTS**

- .1 Design vertical louver blinds to following requirements:
  - .1 Be designed in a manner that allows wear susceptible parts to be replaceable by either the user or the manufacturer.
  - .2 A guarantee of at least five-years of available replacement parts following discontinue of the products manufacture.
  - .3 Be accompanied by instructions for replacing or repairing worn parts, including inventory numbers for parts and procedures for ordering replacement parts.
  - .4 A program that allows for the refurbishing or return of used vertical louvre blinds.
  - .5 Be designed in a manner that permits effective disassembly of components in order to permit recycling of materials for which recycling markets exist.
  - .6 Include stamps on all major plastic components indicating composition code to facilitate recycling efforts.

## 1.3 SHOP DRAWINGS

- .1 Submit shop drawings in accordance with Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Indicate dimensions in relation to window jambs, operator details, head and sill anchorage details, hardware and accessories details.

## 1.4 SAMPLES

- .1 Submit samples in accordance with Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Submit one representative working sample of each type horizontal louver.
- .3 Submit duplicate samples of manufacturer's standard colours for selection by Consultant.
- .4 After approval samples will be returned for incorporation into the Work.

## **1.5 LEED REQUIREMENTS**

.1 See Section 01 35 21 - LEED Requirements.

- .2 LEED Submittals: Submit LEED supporting documentation in accordance with Section 01 35 21 LEED Requirements.
- .3 Waste Management and Disposal: Dispose of packaging and waste materials in appropriate on-site bins for recycling and disposal in accordance with Section 01 74 21 -Construction/Demolition Waste Management and Disposal.
- .4 Indoor Environmental Quality Credit EQ 4 Low Emitting Materials.
  - .1 LEED Indoor Environmental Quality Credit EQ 4.1 Low-Emitting Materials: Adhesives and Sealants.
    - .1 Low VOC complying with SCAQMD Rule #1168, Latest edition.
  - .2 LEED Indoor Environmental Quality Credit EQ 4.2 Low-Emitting Materials: Paints and Coatings.
    - .1 Architectural paints, coatings and primers applied to interior walls and ceilings to Green Seal Standard GS-11, latest edition.

# Part 2 Products

- .1 Chain operated roller shade system.
  - .1 Roller system: Urban Edge 200.
  - .2 Fabric: Suncreen 601, 1%.
  - .3 Approved equivalent in accordance with B6 Substitutes.

## Part 3 Execution

## 3.1 INSTALLATION

- .1 Include centre brackets where necessary to prevent deflection of headrail.
- .2 Adjust to provide for operation without binding.
- .3 Use non corrosive metal fasteners for installation, concealed in final assembly.

## 3.2 SCHEDULE

- .1 Office, room M04. (Exterior windows.)
- .2 Boardroom, room M05. (Exterior windows.)
- .3 Mini Gym, room M06. (Interior windows only.)

**END OF SECTION**