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LIFETIME LIMITED WARRANTY For Certain Residential and Agricultural Uses

The warrantor, herein after referring to Chemical Specialties, Inc., extends this Limited Warranty to "Original Consumer-Purchasers" of Preserve® and Preserve® Plus® pressure-treated wood products in the United States and Canada. Original Consumer-Purchasers are defined herein to mean the owners of record of the residential property first using it for residential purposes immediately following installation of the warranted wood. This warranty is good from the date of purchase for as long as you own your property on which your new Preserve or Preserve Plus residential structures are built. This warranty is not transferable.

THIS WARRANTY COVERS:

Preserve and Preserve Plus pressure-treated wood products, when used in conjunction with a residential structure, are warranted for the lifetime of the original Consumer-Purchaser against damage by fungal decay or termite infestation that makes the wood structurally unfit for the application for which it was used. Preserve Plus is additionally warranted to perform better than CCA-treated or untreated wood of the same species exposed to comparable use conditions in the ASTM D4446 swellometer test. Each piece of Preserve wood covered by this warranty shall have been pressure treated with ACQ® preservative, and each piece of Preserve Plus wood shall have been pressure treated with ACQ preservative and a specially formulated water repellent additive, and either must bear the logo of an inspection agency that is sanctioned by the American Lumber Standards Committee. It must also have a Preserve or Preserve Plus Lifetime Limited Warranty end tag attached to one end of each piece of wood or shall be stamped with the Preserve or Preserve Plus quality stamp.

The warrantor, within 60 days of validation of claim under this warranty, will arrange to exchange the damaged Preserve or Preserve Plus pressure-treated wood for new wood of the same type. Original Consumer-Purchaser must present, to the warrantor, the original invoice show-

ing date and specified amount of Preserve or Preserve Plus pressure-treated wood purchased and end tags to equal the amount of wood claimed to be damaged. When making any warranty claim, you may be required to send photographs and sections of damaged wood. In addition, the warrantor reserves the right to have a representative inspect and test all wood claimed to be damaged. Failure to use this product in accordance with instructions or restrictions printed on the end tag voids this warranty.

THIS WARRANTY DOES NOT COVER AND THE WARRANTOR SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR:

1. This warranty does not cover building poles or building timbers in structural applications, commercial vineyard stakes, lattice, peeler core landscape timbers or specialty items that have been milled after treatment.
2. Preserve or Preserve Plus pressure-treated wood used in foundation systems, used in salt water immersion applications, (except residential Freshwater decks) used for any non-residential applications, or damage resulting from any cause other than fungal decay or termites.
3. Damages caused by natural change in physical appearance of wood beyond the control of the product.
4. Costs associated with the delivery, installation, removal or reinstallation of Preserve or Preserve Plus pressure-treated wood products.
5. Any incidental or consequential damages claimed to be a result of failure of Preserve or Preserve Plus pressure-treated wood.

For western species of wood, this warranty is void unless all cuts and bore holes are coated during construction in accordance with American-Wood Preserver's Association Standard

M4 using a copper naphthenate preservative solution containing a minimum of 1% metallic copper.

The obligation of the warrantor under this warranty is limited to replacement of lumber in accordance with the terms of this warranty. There are no warranties offered by the warrantor other than those described herein. Nothing in this warranty shall affect customary duration, or create additional implied warranties.

Some state and local laws vary with regard to duration of implied warranties and limitations of incidental or consequential damages contained in such implied warranties. In any event the warrantor will comply with the laws of the state in which a limited warranty is validated.

Your Preserve or Preserve Plus pressure-treated wood are not maintenance-free products. Over time, foot traffic, weathering and the sun's ultra-violet rays will affect the water repellency and the wood's surface in general. To help maximize surface protection and to keep your wood looking better longer, we recommend that a surface applied water repellent be applied every two years.

HOW TO MAKE CLAIMS

To make a claim under this warranty, send your claim along with the original invoice showing date and list of Preserve or Preserve Plus pressure-treated wood products purchased with an equivalent number of end tags or photo of the quality-control stamp (if so stamped) to verify the purchase to:

Chemical Specialties, Inc.
200 East Woodlawn Road, Suite 350
Charlotte, North Carolina 28217
Attention: Consumer Affairs