



Ceiling Tile Recycling Program Specification

- A. Materials Acceptable for Recycling:
 - 1. All brands of dry, pulpable mineral fiber ceiling panels or tiles. All metal splines must be removed from tiles (12"x12").
- B. Materials Acceptable for Recycling Case-by Case:
 - 1. All brands of dry fiberglass panels (Facing must be easily removable.)
 - 2. All vinyl or scrim-faced mineral fiber panels.
- C. Materials Not Acceptable for Recycling:
 - 1. Asbestos containing ceiling tiles, Ceiling tiles installed below friable asbestos or contaminated with any other hazardous material.
 - 2. Wet, moldy or weathered ceiling tiles.
 - 3. Ceiling tiles or pallets/boxes/bales which contain visible debris (garbage, construction waste).
 - 4. Ceiling tiles not packaged according to Specifications.
 - 5. Any gypsum ceiling or board.
 - 6. Ceiling panels with paint not applied by manufacturer.
 - 7. Foil-backed ceiling panels.
- D. Ceiling material being reclaimed may not come into contact with asbestos containing material, hazardous waste materials or special waste.

If the area where ceilings are being removed is or has gone through abatement procedures, verification that ceilings did not come in contact with asbestos containing material is required.

- E. ONLY ONE TYPE OF CEILING TILE, WITH THE SAME MATERIAL MAKEUP AND COLOR/PATTERN MAY BE PLACED ON EACH PALLET.
- F. Ceiling material being reclaimed must be kept dry and free from debris.
- G. Packing and loading procedure:
 - a. Approved ceiling materials will be palletized in a manner allowing both secure shipment by trailer and the ability of our employees to safely inspect and unload the trailers' contents. For this reason, all approved ceiling materials sent to us must be neatly stacked as follows:
 - 48" x 40" standard pallets stacked with ceiling materials to 4 feet tall each and then stacked on top of each other in the trailer. This method is preferred but proper loading equipment must be available at the job site.
 - b. Customer must neatly stack ceiling panels on 48" x 40" wooden pallets and secure them with metal bands or stretch wrap for stable shipment. Any variation from pallet size must be pre-approved by us.

- c. Pallets must be kept dry. Wet material is not acceptable and will be returned or disposed of at customer's expense.
- d. Pallets must be labeled with Customer Name, Jobsite Location and Date.
- e. Pallets must be secured within trailers to prevent shifting in transit. Carriers will provide load stabilizers.
- f. Conigliaro Industries can arrange pickup of full loads of material at your job location at an additional cost or customer may deliver to our facility in Framingham, MA. Full trailers of approved material are defined as 44,000 square feet as follows:

Forty-four 48" x 40" pallets stacked with ceiling material to 4 feet tall each and then stacked on top of each other in the trailer. This method is preferred and proper loading equipment must be available at the job site.

- g. It is customer's responsibility to ensure that trailers of approved ceiling materials are loaded correctly.
- h. The customer retains ownership of approved ceiling materials until it is received and accepted at our facility

ALL MATERIAL NOT MEETING THIS SPECIFICATION WILL BE RETURNED TO CUSTOMER AT CUSTOMER'S EXPENSE OR DISPOSED OF AT CUSTOMER'S EXPENSE. CURRENT DISPOSAL RATE IS \$450 PER TON.

Questions about this specification may be addressed by contacting us at (888) CONIG – 25.



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