

## **BOOZER LAMINATED BEAM COMPANY, INC. ("BOOZER")**

### INSTALLATION AND STORAGE REQUIREMENTS AND USE MEASURES APPLICABLE TO ALL BOOZER PRODUCTS.

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Specific use, storage and installation requirements and instructions applicable to all Boozer products, including but not limited to Boozer Glued Laminated Timber Beams, Treated Beams, Columns, Joists, and Headers (the "Product") may be found at <http://boozerbeam.com/products/>. The following precautions should be taken both when handling any BoozerBeam™ Product and in determining where to use and dispose of the Product. These requirements and instructions are provided as part of and incorporated by reference into Boozer's Limited Warranty.

- The Product should not be exposed to the elements (sun, rain, snow, water, moisture, excessive heat, excessive cold, etc.), other than very short periods prior to installation.
- The Product should not be used in direct water or marine applications, below grade, or in applications in which the Product is in direct contact with the soil. Columns may be installed on concrete if a installed onto a metal plate that separates the columns from the concrete.
- The Product should not be used where it will be in frequent or prolonged contact with bare skin, unless an effective sealer has been applied.
- The Product is not suitable for food garden uses.
- All shipping containers, plastic, or other wrapping applied during shipment should be removed from the Product prior to installation.
- Do not use the Product for cutting-boards or countertops.
- For all interior applications, the purchaser is responsible for ensuring that the installation of a treated product complies with all applicable indoor air quality standards (IAQs) as prescribed by the federal or applicable state or local regulatory authority.
- Dispose of the Product by ordinary trash collection or burial. Treated wood should not be burned in open fires or in stoves, fireplaces, or residential boilers because toxic chemicals may be produced as part of the smoke and ashes. Treated wood from commercial or industrial use (e.g., construction sites) may be burned only in commercial or industrial incinerators or boilers in accordance with state and federal regulations.
- Avoid frequent or prolonged inhalation of sawdust from the Product. When sawing and machining treated wood, wear a dust mask. Whenever possible, these operations should

be performed outdoors to avoid indoor accumulations of airborne sawdust from treated wood.

- When power sawing and machining, wear goggles to protect eyes from flying particles.
- After working with the Product, and before eating, drinking, and use of tobacco products, wash all exposed skin areas thoroughly and completely.
- If oily preservatives or Product sawdust accumulate on clothes, launder before reuse of the clothes. Work clothes exposed to the Product or its sawdust or preservatives should be washed separately from other clothing.
- While in storage, the Product should be kept dry and under cover and not be exposed to standing water or marine conditions.
- It is the purchaser and intended user of the Product's sole responsibility to install the Product correctly and to select the proper-sized Product for its/his/her intended use.
- When storing a Product for any extended amount of time, the Product should be stored on its down-side, with gravity acting on the Product as it would in its eventual installation.
- All Products should be installed with the standard, as-designed orientation (e.g., for Beams, with the narrow side down). For Products with a specific or designated orientation instruction (which should appear on the Product), that instruction should be strictly followed.