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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

As independent expert for surface treatment systems I can state that (galvanised) steel surfaces, needing re-treatment during their life cycle, significantly benefit from the Rust Anode® system as this system, besides easy surface preparation and application, will ensure a real galvanic protection to the substrate. The lifetime of the treatment goes years beyond the one provided by classical zinc rich coating systems.

I am involved with testing of surface treatment systems as from 1982 starting as Head of the Belgian Defence Laboratories, ensuring product testing for all types of Military equipment. As a member of the F 16 Corrosion Prevention Advisory board and other committees for technical evaluation of coating performances, I witnessed the industrial application of high performance coating systems, amongst other on the Belgian Navy Marine Ships.

As qualified lead assessor (British Standards Institute) for ISO 9001, ISO 14001 and OHSAS 18001 Management systems I address Quality, Environmental and Occupational Health and Safety matters in the chemical and coating manufacturing industries.

As technical expert for the Belgian and Dutch ISO 17025 accreditation bodies (BELAC & RvA) I am involved in the assessment of ISO 17025 accredited Laboratories that are testing surface treatment coating systems.

I can recommend the Rust Anode® system and I am available to provide additional information on request.



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**Bio-protect own the Rust-anode technology®**

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PAINTS ARE DEVELOPED FOR DIFFERENT SURFACES AS STEEL, WOOD, ALUMINIUM, COPPER, POLYESTER, GLASFIBRES ETC...

- WE HAVE PAINTS FOR: THE HULL, SUPERSTRUCTURE, ENGINE – ROOMS AND HOLDS.
- ANTI-SLIP PAINTS FOR EXTERIOR DECKS.
- PAINTS FOR INTERIOR DECKS AND BILGES.
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**warships are authentically protected with the Rust-anode technology®**

**These coatings systems are used for protection against corrosion,  
and for military tactics**

## NORMAL PAINT – SYSTEM:

- \* RUST-ANODE TECHNOLOGY
- \* TEXACONE 2 K PRIMER ALFA
- \* TEXACONE 2 K FINISH ALFA

**MEET THE MILITARY REQUIREMENTS OF THE SPECIFICATIONS A.O. :**

**BELGIUM BICP4525  
GERMANY TL 8010-001 / 002  
UNITED KINGDOM MVEE 666  
UNITED STATES MIL – PRF – 23377 C AND MIL – C – 46168**

**CRAFT BE-S2-5411: Improved Corrosion testing  
methodes for marine protective coatings.  
(RTD-performers:QinetiQ (DERA)-UK, TNO-NL,  
DetNorske Veritas-No)**