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## **Protecto Sill Drainage System™ (PSDS) Offers Maximum Protection from Moisture Intrusion**

*Unique window drainage system prevents black mold and moisture damage*

Denver, CO — Protecto Wrap Company, a leading manufacturer of complete waterproofing and weatherproofing solutions, is proud to introduce their new patent pending Protecto Sill Drainage System™ (PSDS). This innovative window sill drainage system combines an advanced wicking material with a peel-and-stick butyl adhesive and a positive-sloped, closed-cell foam back dam. This cutting-edge design ensures any water or condensation found inside the window rough opening will be directed to the outside weather plane of the structure. According to CEO and Owner, John Hopkins, “This revolutionary new patent-pending product is the only peel-and-stick waterproofing flexible pan system to exceed architectural testing levels of ASTM Air Infiltration E283-99 and Water Penetration E331, E547 of Exterior Windows.”

The basis of Protecto Sill Drainage System’s functionality is its mold-resistant wicking material. This material is applied to the top of Protecto Wrap’s Waterproofing Membrane for the purpose of absorption and transfer of moisture to the outside of the window opening. Its closed-cell foam design also boasts a ½” back dam to promote additional drainage and protection. The combination of these features allows the window cavity to remain dry and free of mold at all times. When using the complete Protecto Sill Drainage System, Protecto Wrap Company offers a 15-Year limited warranty.

In addition to the elimination of costly contractor callbacks due to window leaks, builders and window manufacturers will be pleased to experience the reduced liability offered by the Protecto Sill Drainage System. As evidenced by facts presented at the Rocky Mountain Builders Conference, prevention of moisture infiltration in the home has never been more important. According to speaker Don Neff, President of La Jolla Pacific, Ltd., approximately 70% of construction defect litigation can be attributed to damage caused by water intrusion.

Easy to install, Protecto Sill Drainage System accommodates 2x4” or 2x6” construction for vinyl or aluminum windows. For maximum convenience, this new product is also able to be custom fitted and works well on new or retrofit window installations.

*Protecto Wrap Company has been manufacturing waterproofing membranes since 1952 and has built a sound reputation for producing the highest quality materials available on the market today. Their peel and stick waterproofing systems are used to waterproof and weatherproof residential and commercial buildings from the footing of the foundation to the peak of the roof. Their extensive line of products include rubberized asphalt, butyl and pressure sensitive adhesives on all their flashing and waterproofing membranes. Visit their new website at [www.protectowrap.com](http://www.protectowrap.com).*

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