INSTALLATION

RESILIENT INSTALLATION GUIDELINES FOR SPC PRODUCTS

1. GENERAL INFORMATION:

All Shaw floors are sold and installed by others and the following must be followed for a satisfactory installation.

- Installation of resilient floors: An installation can be expected to exceed the floor covering's stated limitations if any of the following conditions are present at the time of installation, or if they develop during the life of the floor.
- Do not install your Shaw floor covering over any floor that has a history of flooding or where a potential exists for flooding. Do not install your Shaw floor covering over any floor that has a history of excessive moisture or where a potential exists for excessive moisture.
- Before installation, the flooring must be stored in the room where it will be installed for a minimum of 48 hours at temperatures between 65°F and 85°F (18°C and 30°C).
- Some expansion is required in walls for proper expansion. Do not cover walls with wallpaper or other coverings. Leave 1/4" (6mm) minimum clearance at all walls and fixed objects.
- Limited warranty offers do not cover moisture-related issues such as mold or flooring cupping.
  - If subfloor exceeds the maximum moisture limits listed in the flooring's warranty, the use of a moisture barrier may be required. Refer to the subfloor recommendations in the flooring's warranty.
- For concrete slab subfloors, it is recommended that a moisture test be performed.
- Inspect all planks for damage before installation. If you or the installer installs planks, it will be considered acceptance of their use and any visible defects that could have been identified during installation will not be covered by warranty.
- Installation Site Conditions: Shaw floors are not recommended for installation in bathrooms, laundry rooms, or other areas where excessive moisture is present