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Technical Statement: FirePro® CB50 Coated Batt Interchangeability Programme

Overview As part of the rollout of the new FirePro® firestopping range, ROCKWOOL has partnered with UL, to validate the interchangeability of the new products. This programme confirms that the **FirePro CB50** may be used as a direct substitute for the outgoing **50 mm Ablative Coated Batt**.

UL Verification & Performance Based on extensive comparative testing, UL has verified that the CB50 offers improved fire performance relative to the legacy product. Consequently, the UL assessment confirms that:

- **CB50** can be used as a **direct replacement** for the Ablative Coated Batt in existing firestopping systems.
- This substitution results in **no change** to the original fire resistance performance rating.
- This applies specifically to the CB50 and does not imply interchangeability for other FirePro products.

Legacy Product Compatibility The interchange ensures that CB50 remains compatible with legacy ROCKWOOL products typically used in conjunction with coated batts, including:

- Pipe Wrap CE
- High Expansion Intumescent Sealant
- Pipe Collar CE
- SoftSeal System
- Acoustic Intumescent Sealant

Critical Note: Unidirectional Interchangeability Please be advised that this interchangeability applies strictly in **one direction only**:

ACCEPTED: CB50 (New) may replace **Ablative Coated Batt** (Old).

NOT PERMITTED: Ablative Coated Batt (Old) may **NOT** replace **CB50** (New).

Because the CB50 offers superior performance, systems designed specifically for the CB50 cannot rely on the lower-performing Ablative Coated Batt.