



**Westbrook Concrete Block**  
**Westbrook, CT**  
**Executive Summary**  
 Project No. 2012-02 PTP

Five types of CMUs with white staining were submitted to AMT Laboratories by PROSOCO, Inc. with a request to determine the most appropriate new construction cleaner. Additionally, color and sheen enhancement, water repellent, and graffiti resistant products suitable for CMUs were evaluated.

The laboratory report (2012-01 PTP Westbrook Concrete Block) provides information about the PROSOCO® products tested and descriptions of the test methods. The report includes test results as well as conclusions and recommendations. Recommendations are also provided in the chart below.

**Recommendations:**

| Sample                   | New Construction Cleaning  | Color and Sheen Enhancement  | Water Repellency  | Graffiti Resistance  |
|--------------------------|--|--|---|--|
| Ground Face "335" CMU    | Sure Klean® Custom Masonry Cleaner (1:4) or (1:6)<br>OR<br>Enviro Klean® Safety Klean (1:2) or (1:3) | Sure Klean® Weather Seal Blok-Guard® & Graffiti Control Ultra (Recommended if moderate color enhancement is desired)<br>OR<br>Sure Klean® Weather Seal Blok-Guard® & Graffiti Control II (Recommended if slight color enhancement is desired)<br>OR<br>Sure Klean® Weather Seal Siloxane WB Concentrate (1:9) (Recommended if no color enhancement is desired) | Sure Klean® Weather Seal Blok-Guard® & Graffiti Control Ultra<br>OR<br>Sure Klean® Weather Seal Blok-Guard® & Graffiti Control II<br>OR<br>Sure Klean® Weather Seal Siloxane WB Concentrate (1:9) | <u><b>Graffiti Repellents</b></u><br><sup>1</sup> Sure Klean® Weather Seal Blok-Guard® & Graffiti Control Ultra<br>OR<br><sup>2</sup> Sure Klean® Weather Seal Blok-Guard® & Graffiti Control II<br><br><u><b>Graffiti Removers</b></u><br>Enviro Klean® SafStrip® 8<br>OR<br>Defacer Eraser® Graffiti Remover |
| Smooth Moulded "608" CMU |  |  |   |  |
| Split Face "111" CMU     |  |  |   |  |
| Split Face "162" CMU     |  |  |   |  |
| Split Face "308" CMU     |  |  |   |  |

NOTE: "1" indicates the most effective product and "2" indicates the second most effective product.

Apply all products in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendation provided on container labels and product data sheets. On-site testing should be conducted to determine the most appropriate product and procedures for a particular project. See product literature for additional application and product information.