



MASTERFORMAT INDEX

RECOMMENDATION:

Insofar as practical, MASTERFORMAT for construction specifications should be used by architects and contractors.

COMMENTS:

- A. MASTERFORMAT supercedes The Uniform Construction Index which replaced the AIA filing system.
- B. It is of considerable value in categorizing specifications.
- C. It provides an excellent check system for architects and contracts as a guard against omission in estimating and bidding.
- D. MASTERFORMAT is available from:

The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20006

or

The Associated General Contractors of America, Inc.
333 John Carlyle Street, Suite 200
Alexandria, VA 22314



This recommendation, while not mandatory, is the diligent work of a committee which is drawn from a cross section of the construction industry represented by architects and general contractors. The committee presents this recommendation with the expectation that it will be adhered to voluntarily.