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price increases effective July 2008

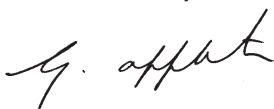
Following price increases in raw materials and energy costs we have been informed of various price increases from a number of suppliers. We regrettably have no alternative but to announce the following price increases and amendments:

Product	Increase	Date of Increase
British Gypsum Gypframe Metal Systems	29%	1st July 2008
Knauf Drywall Metal Systems	29%	1st July 2008
Lafarge Plasterboard Metal Systems	approx 30%	1st July 2008
Speedline Metal Systems	27.5%	1st July 2008
Speedline Raised Access Flooring Systems	12 - 17%	1st July 2008
Metsec Steel Framed Systems	20%	1st July 2008

Raw material prices in the steel market are currently extremely erratic. All manufacturers have indicated that there may be further price increases during the remainder of 2008. We will, of course, keep you advised of these changes as soon as we are notified by the manufacturers.

If you require the new list prices for specific products affected by the changes above, please contact your local CPD branch.

Yours faithfully



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