

## **Metal Substrate Preparation**

## Total Coat & Tekton Waterborne Coatings(TC/HD,TC/UC,TC/RPC,TK64,TK68)

## Instruction:

All metals surfaces either bare, painted, or primed should be free of dirt, dust, rust, grease, release agents, and/or transfer oils etc.

To properly prep **always**, even when substrate looks and feels clean, follow the following steps:

- Mist entire substrate with citrus based degreaser.
- 2. Let cleaner soak in for 10 min and scrub with clean brush.
- 3. Rinse properly to remove contaminants and cleaner residue.
- 4. Dry substrate with clean microfiber towel.
- 5. For Hot/cold rolled steel proceed to #9.
- 6. For Aluminum and Galvanized: sand substrate with coarse sand paper.
- 7. Wipe surface with clean isopropyl alcohol.
- 8. Let the alcohol flash off for 10 min.
- 9. Apply first layer of coating, either by roller or spray gun.

  Apply the 2<sup>nd</sup> coat any time after the first one has dried to the touch.

  Pay attention not to contaminate the coating between applications.