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#### Overview

The bare metal cab weldment is washed in an alkaline cleaner and phosphated to degrease and etch the surface. A primer is applied to ensure proper adhesion and corrosion protection. The top coat is a polyurethane paint for durability, scratch resistance, and gloss.

## **Pretreatment and Surface Prep**

- 1. Cab and parts are ground and D/A sanded. Exposed edges are to be deburred.
- 2. Cab and parts are blown off.
- 3. Clean and treat metal, minimum 4 step process alkaline degrease, phosphate, and seal rinse.

Step 1: EnChem SteelPrep 400

Step 2: Soft water rinse (if automated washer is used)

Step 3: EnChem SteelPrep 300

Step 4 : Soft water rinse or EnChem UltraPrep 4000 (2% concentration)

4. Body filler, if required, is applied and worked per manufacturer's recommendations.

# **Prime**

- 1. Cab and parts are blown off if body filler was applied.
- 2. Cab and parts are moved into the paint booth, blown off, and tacked before paint application.
- 3. Application of DuPont Colar Epoxy primer per manufacturer's recommendations. (Ref. Technical Data Sheet) DuPont P/N: 825P32760 and FGP32765 activator. 1.5 mil minimum after sanding (if sanding is required.) Exception: Stainless Steel AND Aluminum substrates.

Step 1: MetaLok 235S/236S Step 2: 825P32760/FGP32765

- 4. Bottom flanges of the cab base are to be top coated before being assembled to the deck.
- 5. Cab and parts are moved into an oven and forced dried.
- 6. Cab and parts are assembled, inspected, and sanded for painting (if sanding is required.)
- 7. Cabs are inspected, surface defects are repaired, and assembled to the deck.

# **Top Coat**

- 1. Cab and parts are wiped down with a wax and grease remover and blown dry.
- 2. Cab/Deck is, wiped, tacked, and top coated with polyurethane paint, 1.8-2.0 mil.

Cab/Deck is inspected and shipped to Ottawa.

### Notes:

1. CKD/SKD orders are to have the hood painted separate from the cab.