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To: Valspar Automotive Customers

**Re: Suggested Clear Coat Application**

Valspar does not recommend or warranty the blending of clear coats. Over reduction or solvent blending of a clear coat will become visible over time due to UV exposure on the blended edge. The edge may also fade or peel over time due to the minimal film thickness of the blended edge.

Valspar recommends applying clear coat to the entire panel. Many of today's late model cars do not have a distinct edge or break line on the quarter panel, in these cases, Valspar recommends applying the clear coat to the roof and the opposite quarter panel.

Sincerely,

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