

November 29, 2012

**CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

U.S. Department of Labor  
Employee Benefits Security Administration  
Top Hat Plan Exemption  
200 Constitution Avenue, NW, N-1513  
Washington, DC 20210

Re: Top Hat Plan Exemption

Dear Sir or Madam:

We are hereby submitting the following information with respect to the following plans pursuant to Department of Labor Regulation § 2520.104-23:

A. Saint-Gobain Corporation Plans:

Saint-Gobain U.S. Stock Savings Plan  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Jim Law SERP  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Long Term Savings Plan  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Directors Retirement Plan  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Executive Retirement Plan  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Section 415 Pension Benefit Restoration Plan  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Supplemental Pension Benefit Plan for Robert P. Statile  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Supplemental Pension Benefit Plan for Vinnie Carothers  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Supplemental Pension Benefit Plan for Andrew C. Duncan  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Supplemental Deferred Compensation and Pension Benefit Plan for M. Shawn Puccio  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Supplemental Pension Benefit Plan for Michael C. Tracy  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Supplemental Pension Benefit Plan for John T Crowe  
Saint-Gobain Corporation Section 401(a)(17) and Deferred Compensation Pension Restoration Plan

B. Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics Corporation Plans:

Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics Corporation Deferred Compensation Plan  
Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics Corporation Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan

C. Saint-Gobain Containers, Inc. Plans:

Saint-Gobain Containers, Inc. Long Term Savings Plan

D. Saint-Gobain Advanced Ceramics Corporation Plan:

Saint-Gobain Advanced Ceramics Corporation Supplemental Retirement Accumulation Plan

A. Saint-Gobain Corporation Plans:

1. *Name of Employer:* Saint-Gobain Corporation

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2. **Address of Employer:**

750 E. Swedesford Road  
P.O. Box 860  
Valley Forge, PA 19482-0105

3. **Employer Identification Number:** 23-2615166

4. **Declaration:** The Plans are maintained primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management and highly compensated employees.

5. **Number of Plans of Deferred Compensation:** Other than the Plans listed above, Saint-Gobain Corporation does not maintain any other plan primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management and highly compensated employees.

6. **Number of Participants in the Plan:** The number of participants in the Plans are as follows:

U.S. Stock Savings Plan.....	932
Jim Law SERP .....	1
Long Term Savings Plan.....	217
Directors Retirement Plan.....	15
Executive Retirement Plan.....	22
Section 415 Pension Benefit Restoration Plan.....	782
Supplemental Pension Benefit Plan for Robert P. Statile .....	1
Supplemental Pension Benefit Plan for Vinnie Carothers .....	1
Supplemental Pension Benefit Plan for Andrew C. Duncan.....	1
Deferred Compensation and Pension Benefit Plan for M. Shawn Puccio .....	1
Pension Benefit Plan for Michael C. Tracy.....	1
Pension Benefit Plan for John T Crowe.....	1
Section 401(a)(17) and Deferred Compensation Pension Benefit Restoration Plan.....	782

B. Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics Corporation Plans:

1. **Name of Employer:** Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics Corporation

2. **Address of Employer:**

1199 South Chillicothe Road  
Aurora, OH 44202

3. **Employer Identification Number:** 95-1947155

4. **Declaration:** The Plans are maintained primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management and highly compensated employees.

5. **Number of Plans of Deferred Compensation:** Other than the Plans listed above, Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics Corporation does not maintain any other plan primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management and highly compensated employees.

6. **Number of Participants in the Plan:** The number of participants in the Plans are as follows:

Deferred Compensation Plan .....	2
Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan .....	3

C. Saint-Gobain Containers, Inc. Plans:

1. **Name of Employer:** Saint-Gobain Containers, Inc.

2. **Address of Employer:**

1509 South Macedonia Avenue  
P.O. Box 4200  
Muncie, IN 47307-4200

3. **Employer Identification Number:** 35-1958205

4. **Declaration:** The Plan is maintained primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management and highly compensated employees.

5. **Number of Plans of Deferred Compensation:** Other than the Plan listed above, Saint-Gobain Containers, Inc. does not maintain any other plan primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management and highly compensated employees.

6. **Number of Participants in the Plan:** There are 41 participants in the Plan.

C. Saint-Gobain Advanced Ceramics Corporation Plan:

1. **Name of Employer:** Saint-Gobain Advanced Ceramics Corporation

2. **Address of Employer:**

168 Creekside Drive  
Amherst, NY 14228

3. **Employer Identification Number:** 34-1812670

4. **Declaration:** The Plan is maintained primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management and highly compensated employees.

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5. ***Number of Plans of Deferred Compensation:*** Other than the Plan listed above, Saint-Gobain Advanced Ceramics Corporation does not maintain any other plan primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management and highly compensated employees.
6. ***Number of Participants in the Plan:*** There are 7 participants in the Plan.

We will provide copies of the Plan documents to the Department of Labor upon request.

Respectfully submitted,

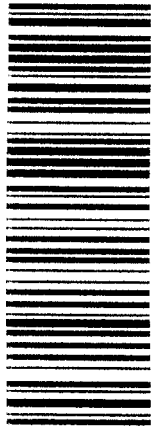


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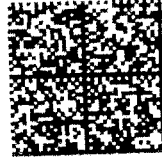
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