This product guide specification can be used to specify MortarHalt’s Weep Vents, composed of nonwoven material using 100% recycled polyester fibers and water based resins for installation in mortar joints of exterior masonry walls. This product specification can be inserted into SECTION 04800 - MASONRY ASSEMBLIES or other similar masonry specification sections. The various paragraphs of this guide section will need to be inserted in the appropriate locations in either Part 1, 2, or 3. This guide might also be used as a separate section or combined with other guides to develop SECTION 04090 - MASONRY ACCESSORIES. *****

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY
A. Section includes: Weep vents embedded in mortar joints of masonry walls.

1.2 SUBMITTALS
A. Provide in accordance with Section 01330 - Submittal Procedures: 1. Product data and installation instructions.

2. [2 by 2] [51 by 51 mm] minimum sample of weep vent in selected color.

PARTS 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

A. MortarHalt™ Innovations; by South Atlantic Masonry Products; 4162 S. Creek Rd., Chattanooga, TN 37406. 877-721-3355 : www.mortarhalt.com : info@mortarhalt.com

B. Manufacturers of equivalent products submitted and approved in accordance with Section 01630 - Product Substitutions Procedures.

2.2 PRODUCTS

A. Weep vents:

1. Type: MortarHalt Weep Vents are nonwoven material for embedding in masonry wall mortar joints; MortarHalt’s Weep Vents are manufactured by MortarHalt Innovations.

2. Material: Nonwoven material design using 100% recycled polyester fibers (PET) and water based resins (70% overall recycled content).

3. Size: [[3/8 by 2-1/2 by 3-3/8] [3/8 by 3-1/2 by 3-1/2] inches.] [[10 by 64 by 89] [10 by 89 by 89] mm].

4. Color: [Selected by Architect from manufacturer’s full range][Match mortar color.]
PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

A. Install weep vents as part of masonry wall construction and in accordance with manufacturer’s installation instructions. Coordinate with installation of through wall flashings.

B. Locate weep vents at [wall bases, above door and window openings, above bond beams, and other through wall flashings.] [At locations detailed on Drawings.] Space at [_____] [inches] [mm] maximum.

C. Embed weep vents in vertical mortar head joints. Tool joints to prevent obstruction of weep spouts.

END OF SECTION