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SIKA SARNAFIL SPECIFIED FOR HULL BSF SCHOOL

When JM Architects was commissioned to create a new, single building to house two schools in Hull as part of the Building Schools for the Future (BSF) scheme, it didn't hesitate to specify Sika Sarnafil single ply roofing to complete the job.

Winifred Holtby secondary school and Tweendykes special needs school were recently united in one BREEAM Very Good-certified building designed and constructed with sustainability in mind.

And it's thanks to its strong environmental performance that 7,860sq m of Sika Sarnafil membrane G410-15ELF in Lead Grey was chosen to top the modern, modular building. Led by main contractor Morgan Sindall, Rotherham-based specialist roofing and cladding contractor Roofdec installed the Sika Sarnafil roofing system across the sports hall, swimming pool and concrete deck areas. The team also completed all the vertical cladding to provide an envelope solution to protect the school from the elements.

Commenting on the specification of the system, Andy Morgan from JM Architects says: "Sika Sarnafil is a product we know and trust, and we find it is flexible enough in its application to get over most detailing problems."

Better still, the Sika Sarnafil single ply used not only benefits from an independently assessed BBA-certified life expectancy, which states a life in 'excess of' 40 years in its opinion, but also an industry-leading 15-year product guarantee.

For further information on Sika Sarnafil's products and services, call 01603 709360, email sarnafilroofing@uk.sika.com or visit www.sarnafil.co.uk.

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Established in 1980 as an early pioneer in the use of single ply membranes in the UK roofing market, Sika Sarnafil is now the recognised market-leading brand in the supply of single ply systems for new and refurbishment projects for buildings of all sizes and functions. Offering a complete roofing solution, the Sika Sarnafil system is backed by comprehensive and tailored service options ranging from design and specification support, to installation through Sika Sarnafil-trained contractors and site inspections complete with industry-leading guarantees.

Sika Sarnafil is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Sika Group, a global company based in Switzerland specialising in the manufacture and supply of chemical-based products for construction and industry. Celebrating its centenary in 2010, Sika is a recognised world-leader in its field and is committed to providing unrivalled innovation in product development, the highest standards of manufacturing, sustainable development and renowned technical advice and in-situ guidance. As a result, Sika has subsidiaries in more than 70 countries and generates annual sales of approximately CHF 4.556 billion.

Sika Limited, the UK subsidiary of the worldwide Sika Group, was established in 1927 and produces and markets a wide range of state-of-the-art systems. This includes the UK's two major single ply roofing brands – Sika Sarnafil and Sika-Trocal. However, the two brands – Sika Sarnafil, based in Norwich, and Sika-Trocal, in Welwyn Garden City – continue to operate separately.

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Image caption: This new school building in Hull is topped with 7,860sq m of Sika Sarnafil membrane.

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