

December 13, 2000

Dear Mr. Ed Larson;

Having been a satisfied customer of Perma-Chink Systems Inc. for over five years, I would like to thank Perma-Chink for their excellent products, LifeLine and ProGuard. They really work as stated!

My house was built in the summer of 1995 with rough sawed natural cedar siding. It was first coated with one coat of light natural LifeLine and two coats of ProGuard in the fall of 1995. As you can see by the photos on the diskette, that after five years of south exposure, the wood looks pretty good. I recoated it in the fall of 2000 with one coat of light natural LifeLine and one coat of ProGuard. As you can see from the pictures, five years of south exposure didn't do much to change the nice warm color of the wood and finish. The recoating brought back the sheen to the surface of the wood. Good for another 5 years.

One of our neighbors has Perma-Chink products on their house. My wife saw their house and said that is the look that she wanted. Soft color without the shine of some finishes. We have gotten many comments about how nice the siding looks. The finish doesn't hide the wood texture but enhances the appearance. A great product that looks great and yet protects the wood from the forces of nature in Minnesota.

Thanks again for the great products.

Sincerely;

Richard A. Helms