### STEP BY STEP

# Guide for ColorCote re-roofing

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#### Find a roofer

Visit **colorcote.co.nz** for a list of distributors, who will be happy to recommend a reputable roofing company in your area.



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#### Ask questions

Work with your roofer to get the roof you want. If your old roof failed prematurely, do you know how to stop it happening again? Consult an architect or designer if necessary or contact us at colorcote.co.nz



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### Design

Does the design of the roofing or cladding enhance the overall design of the house? Will the design be easy to build and maintain? Do you need building consent?



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#### Problem areas

Can you 'design out' any sheltered areas or other features that allow the build-up of salts and other contaminants? What about keeping penetrations like satellite dishes and aerials to a minimum? Is there anything else that can affect the long term performance of the roofing and cladding?



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#### Colour

How does the roof colour work with the overall house colour scheme? Consider 'stamping your personality' vs re-sale. Will the colour scheme jar with the environment? Check for any local authority restrictions on colour use.



# 6 The right roof

Choose the right ColorCote pre-painted metal system to suit the environment. What are the climatic conditions? How far from the ocean or harbour? Prevailing winds? Harsh winters or summers? Any seismic or geothermal activity nearby? Industrial sites or airports?

Visit colorcote.co.nz/warranty for our recommendation.



# 7 Roof profiles

Are there any big spans, curves or bends? What roofing or cladding profile is suitable for this design? Do you need to check with your architect/ designer or the roof manufacturer?



## 8 Warranty

Check with your roof manufacturer or ColorCote that your project meets pre-approved ColorCote warranty conditions.



### 9 Recycle

Once the paperwork is approved, your new roof is ordered and delivered to site. The old roof is removed (if the existing roof is metal it can be recycled; don't let it be carted off to the landfill).



### Insulation

While the roof is off you can get new insulation put in. It is quicker and easier for the installer, so it should be cheaper too. Make repairs to the timber roof structure and have new purlins installed if necessary.



### 11 Your new roof

The new roof is installed to good trade practice standards.

