

BOOMS STONE EARNS MIA NATURAL STONE COMMERCIAL B CONTRACTOR ACCREDITATION



BOOMS STONE COMPANY HAS EARNED THE COVETED DESIGNATION OF MARBLE INSTITUTE OF AMERICA (MIA) ACCREDITED NATURAL STONE COMMERCIAL B CONTRACTOR, AND MAY NOW USE THE OFFICIAL ACCREDITATION LOGO. COMMERCIAL B COMPANIES ARE FIRMS THAT HANDLE SMALLER SCALE COMMERCIAL STONE INSTALLATIONS SUCH AS HOTEL LOBBIES, BANK LOBBIES, AND LOW-RISE INTERIOR/EXTERIOR CLADDING.

To become an Accredited Natural Stone Commercial B Contractor by the MIA, a company must have successfully completed three phases of application.

Phase one was the completion of a lengthy application that required the applicant company to provide various documents and references which ensure that the company is in compliance with the 10 standards of accreditation as laid out by the MIA Accreditation Commission. Phase two required the company's qualifying agent (the designated company representative responsible for filing and maintaining accreditation records for the applicant company) to pass a 200 question multiple choice test. The exam tested the applicant's knowledge and application of material usage, installation, fabrication, restoration, care and maintenance, administration, legal/contracts, and jobsite and shop safety.

The third phase was a comprehensive site visit, which included a facility review, document review, and one or more installation site visits.

Currently, only 3 Natural Stone Commercial B Contractors in the world have achieved accreditation.



Garen Distelhorst, the Accreditation Manager at the MIA said, "Booms Stone Company is now able to proudly display the accreditation logo, which symbolizes that they are among the finest in the natural stone industry with respect to craftsmanship, safety, and business practices."

The Marble Institute of America is the world's leading information resource and advocate for the natural dimension stone

industry. MIA members include marble, granite, limestone, sandstone, and other natural stone producers and quarriers, fabricators, installers, distributors, and contractors around the world. The purpose of MIA's accreditation program is to provide excellence in the natural stone industry and recognize companies demonstrating compliance with quality standards, so that the public benefits from consistent, competent, and safe fabrication, installation and maintenance of natural stone.

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