

## **Pabco HO-25 Roofing**

Pabco is a well known manufacturer of roofing products who, up until 1996, produced a roofing product called HO-25. The product was a 25 year warranted three tab composition roofing material which upon close examination can be seen to have a second layer laminated over the base sheet to provide a textured appearance.

During inspections virtually all of these roofs demonstrate some curling and superficial surface cracking. In some cases this is quite severe. Pabco maintains that the cracking is limited to the laminated areas only, it does not affect the base shingle and therefore does not affect the warranty. Historically (by my experience as a contractor) Pabco would not evaluate these roofs unless there was a leak involved.

Many inspectors will call out this roofing material, recommending further evaluation by a licensed roofer as well as follow up with Pabco for warranty and maintenance information.

**Pabco can be reached at 1-800-426-9762.**

