

Use of Vacuum Lifting Cups

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ICD continuously tests and evaluates products that might come into contact with, or be installed in close proximity to, OPACI-COAT-300[®]. These tests are designed to reveal whether or not adverse reactions may occur with the coating or components tested.

ICD has made the following recommendation regarding the use of vacuum lifting cups in contact with OPACI-COAT-300®: **DO NOT USE** VACUUM LIFTING CUPS ON THE COATING SIDE of glass products coated with OPACI-COAT-300®. When necessary to use cups, attach them to the glass side.

The use of vacuum lifting cups in direct contact with OPACI-COAT-300[®] can result in staining the silicone coating. The staining reaction may be caused by plasticizers designed to keep the cups soft or it may be caused by oils or other contaminants present on the surfaces of the cups themselves. The staining is especially obvious in the mid to light range of colors.

Please call ICD Technical Services, at (360) 546-2286, regarding any questions about the information provided in this bulletin.