



December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2009

## Price Increase Announcement

Dear Valued Customer,

Effective with orders shipped on and after **Monday, January 11<sup>th</sup> 2010** the price of **Lafarge North America gypsum products** will increase by the following amounts:

**All Wallboard Products** **15% per MSF**

**All Ready Mixed Joint Compounds** **7% per Unit**

**Special Service Charges**; as previously communicated in our June 1<sup>st</sup>, and July 3<sup>rd</sup> 2009 price increase letters the following '**Special Service Charges**' will apply effective January 11<sup>th</sup> 2010 (see page 2)

As always, we would like to thank you for your continued support of Lafarge.<sup>5</sup> We appreciate your business and look forward to serving you in 2010 and beyond.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Stephen DeMay'.

Stephen DeMay  
Vice President of Sales

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Isabelle Leveugle'.

Isabelle Leveugle  
Vice President of Marketing and Strategy