STARVEIL · CURTAIN WALL

Curtain Wall Client Checklist

12 inputs to prepare before fabrication

A curtain wall quote is only as good as the project information behind it. Use this checklist before you ask for a firm price — each item changes the system, the glass, the anchors or the installation sequence.

THE 12 INPUTS

01 Project geometry & survey
Architectural plans, radius/chord for curved bays, panel grid, measured survey or point cloud.

02 Structural interface
Slab edges, cast-in or post-fixed anchors, substrate, edge distance, slab deflection.

03 Performance brief
Design pressure, air/water, U-value/SHGC, acoustic and fire requirements; local code reference.

04 System type
Unitized, stick-built, semi-unitized, point-supported or structural silicone — and who owns the choice.

05 Glass & shading
Make-up, Low-E, cavity, spacer, laminated, spandrel, curvature limit, visual mock-up, spares.

06 Movement & tolerances
Inter-story drift, thermal expansion, seismic, movement joints, acceptable gap.

HOW TO USE THIS CHECKLIST

- Mark each item you already have.
- Send the marked-up checklist with your drawings, schedule, performance brief and site photos.
- We return the RFI list, a takeoff by system and a line-item quote.

07 Mock-up & testing
Location, test sequence (ASTM E283/E330/E547, AAMA 501.2), acceptance criteria, sign-off.

08 Shop drawings / EXE
Grid elevations, head/jamb/sill/mullion sections, anchors, structural and movement calculations.

09 Installation access
Crane or hoist, scaffolding, laydown, storage, power, water, security.

10 Logistics & sequence
Packing by floor/elevation, shipping, customs, temporary seals, interface with other trades.

11 Approvals
Approval authority, review turnaround, RFI closure, client sign-off before fabrication.

12 Handover
O&M manuals, spare parts, warranty, Incoterm and delivery schedule.

RED FLAGS IN A FACADE PACKAGE

- A location plan with tags but no schedule of sizes and quantities.
- “To code” without a design pressure, U-value or test standard.
- A curtain wall elevation with no head, jamb, sill or anchor sections.
- A request for a firm price from an APD set, with no mock-up allowance.
- No installation access plan, laydown area or packing sequence.

WHAT STARVEIL RETURNS

An RFI list, a takeoff by system, and a line-item quote with the glass, anchors, mock-up and testing scope stated.

Send your project brief → starveilwindows.com/contact/

WHAT TO SEND

Architectural drawings · window/curtain wall schedule · performance specification · structural drawings · site photos · target programme.