

SOUTHWIRE CABLECURE® 732 WARRANTY

In the unlikely event of a cable failure of a Proactively Treated Segment during the warranty period for cables treated using Southwire® brand Cablecure® 732 fluid and the SPR process including all new components, or during warranty period for cables treated using Cablecure® 732 fluid and the iUPR process or during these periods, of the failure of a component attached to a Segment that was installed by Southwire, by a Southwire Certified Service Partner, or under the supervision of Southwire that is not caused by external damage outside the control of Southwire, if the Customer is not satisfied with the Service delivery or performance of that cable Subsegment and the Customer makes a warranty claim within 90 days of the failure, the Customer will be provided a single cash refund equal to the Pro Rata Injection–Related Customer Charges for the lesser of the treated cable Subsegment length or 1000 feet. Used components installed are exempt from the warranty. If the Customer does not identify the failed Subsegment or the location of the failure in the segment, the shortest Subsegment shall be assumed. The capitalized terms used in this warranty shall be as defined in the Southwire Warranty Definition of Terms set forth below.

The Warranty Period begins after injection when the Southwire equipment is removed and the Warranty Period continues until the end of the term.

The above remedies are canceled where waived by the Customer (See: Waiver of Southwire Warranty below). The remedies are suspended for a period of 120 days of Continuous Operation, but not extended:

- (1) For the application of any Discouraged Cable Diagnostic Scoping;
- (2) If the cable was not in Continuous Operation at system voltage for 120 days prior to a failure;
- (3) When Abnormal Operational Excursion(s) occur;
- (4) If the cable is not Promptly Energized upon completion of injection.

To make a claim, the Customer shall submit a completed “Failure Claim Form” (each rejuvenated segment in Knomentous has a Failure Claim Form tab) and a Southwire warranty tag (if it is easily available). The warranty tag identifies the Segment number of cable that has failed.

THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY OF THE CUSTOMER FOR WARRANTY CLAIMS WILL BE A CASH REFUND.

THIS WARRANTY IS THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY AND IS IN LIEU OF ANY AND ALL OTHER WARRANTIES OR REMEDIES, WRITTEN OR UNWRITTEN, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AND SOUTHWIRE HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ANY OTHER EXPRESS WARRANTY AND ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, THOSE OF MERCHANTABILITY, NON-INFRINGEMENT, TITLE OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. NO EMPLOYEE OR AGENT OF SOUTHWIRE IS AUTHORIZED TO GRANT ANY WARRANTY THAT IS GREATER OR DIFFERENT THAN THIS WARRANTY.

NOTE: SOUTHWIRE requests that if the cable has experienced a dielectric failure, the Customer supply the failed portion to SOUTHWIRE for complimentary failure analysis. This is only a request and not mandatory to process the claim. SOUTHWIRE uses actual segment performance data to improve future rejuvenation technology.

SOUTHWIRE[®] WARRANTY DEFINITION OF TERMS

Abnormal Operational Excursion(s) includes non-routine maintenance or operations prior to the segment failure such as:

- (1) Conductor currents or neutral current greater than circuit design parameters;
- (2) Operating temperature in excess of the cable design;
- (3) Manual resetting of a recloser, such that it cycles through more than a single cycle of reclosing operations;
- (4) Physical manipulation of the segment including dig-ins; or
- (5) Any other operational practice inconsistent with the cable's original manufacturer's specifications, act of a third party, or act of God (except lightning strikes), which is believed to degrade the reliability of connected circuits.

Continuous Operation is when a cable has been energized at system voltage for at least 90 of the 120 days prior to injection.

Discouraged Cable Diagnostic Scoping includes any exposure of the cable Segment to offline cable scoping.

Improved Unsustained Pressure Rejuvenation (iUPR) process increases the reliability of aged underground power cables through the injection of proprietary Cablecure[®] fluids. Cablecure fluid is delivered to the cable through specialized cable accessories and the process is compatible with most existing splice configurations. Benefits of iUPR begin to take hold immediately and full treatment of the cable is reached in approximately 12 to 24 months post injection.

Injection-Related Customer Charges include all charges directly required to inject the cable that the Customer paid to Southwire (injection adaptors, injection elbows, injection preparation, splice excavation required to allow flow, injection hourly charges, and injection length charges). Injection-Related Customer Charges exclude all ancillary charges not directly required to inject the cable, such as fault location and repair, transformer maintenance, bushing change out, riser-pole rebuilds, delay, training, mobilization, and demobilization. Injection-Related Customer Charges are recorded in NITS in the currency in which the Customer is invoiced. Where the Customer currency is not in U.S. Dollars, a conversion to U.S. Dollars at the exchange rate effective on the date the charge was incurred will be the amount of the Injection-Related Customer Charges. This U.S. Dollar value of the Southwire Warranty Invoice is the amount that will be utilized for the refund calculation in the event of a warranty claim.

Knomentous, Southwire's proprietary rejuvenation tracking technology, is a database of all cable segments injected and all Injection-Related Customer Charges at www.knomentous.com.

Southwire Certified Service Partner is a third party designated and trained by Southwire to deliver Southwire technology. A current list of Southwire Certified Service Partners is available at: www.Southwire.com/Partners.

Southwire Warranty Invoice is an output from **Knomentous**, listing all **Injection-Related Customer Charges**.

NRI is an acronym for Southwire Rejuvenation Instructions.

Pro Rata Injection Related Customer Charges are calculated for the cable Subsegment by adding all the Injection Related Customer Charges for the Subsegment and the Subsegment's share of any Segment Injection Related Customer Charges based on length as reflected on the Southwire Warranty Invoice, available in Knomentous.

Proactively Treated means the treatment of contiguous Segments of cable circuits where the majority of the

Individual Segments have been in operation without failure or Discouraged Cable Diagnostic Scoping for a period of at least one-hundred and twenty (120) days immediately before injection. Proactively Treated expressly excludes the injection of a single Segment or Subsegment of cable that has failed and/or not been in continuous operation for 120 days prior to injection.

Promptly Energized means the circuit is energized at operating voltage within 72 hours of fluid flowing through a segment length.

Segment is defined as the length of a single conductor, whether continuous or spliced, between two terminations. A Segment is identified with a unique 8-digit number at each termination with a pair of Southwire warranty tags.

Subsegment is defined as the length of a single continuous conductor between two terminations when there are no splices, between two splices, or between a splice and a termination. The number of Subsegments in any Segment is $n+1$, where n is the number of splice locations.

Sustained Pressure Rejuvenation (SPR) delivers a pressure greater than zero along the entire cable length being treated and seals the pressure in the cable strands such that the pressure decays as fluid permeates into the insulation.

Warranty Waiver – Southwire provides the highest quality of craftsmanship in all of its processes. As an integral part of all Southwire[®] brand injections, the cable is inspected by Southwire certified field technicians for a variety of flaws. Southwire recommends correcting identified flaws prior to injection to assure the Southwire standard of reliability. The procedures for identifying and correcting such flaws are promulgated by the Southwire Rejuvenation Instructions, or NRIs and IEEE 1816™ (IEEE Guide for Preparation Techniques of Extruded Dielectric, Shielded Cables Rated 2.5 kV through 46 kV and the Installation of Mating Accessories). Occasionally, a circuit owner may desire to deviate from the quality recommendations of Southwire and the IEEE even though the deviation may result in future reliability issues. The circuit owner waives the warranty remedy: (1) By explicitly executing a Warranty Waiver (See: Waiver of Southwire Warranty below).

WAIVER OF SOUTHWIRE WARRANTY

As an integral part of all Southwire® brand injections, the cable is inspected by Southwire certified field technicians for a variety of flaws. Southwire recommends correcting identified flaws prior to injection to assure the Southwire standard of reliability. The procedures for identifying and correcting such flaws are promulgated by the Southwire Rejuvenation Instructions (NRIs) and IEEE 1816™ (IEEE Guide for Preparation Techniques of Extruded Dielectric, Shielded Cables Rated 2.5 kV through 46 kV and the Installation of Mating Accessories).

_____ (Customer) desires to deviate from the quality recommendations of Southwire and IEEE 1816 and understands that the deviation may result in future reliability issues. The Customer agrees by signing this Waiver that the remedy set forth in the Southwire Warranty will be suspended for the portion of all segments, which suffer the flaw(s) indicated below and which have been identified in Knomentous to include the designated flaws.

BR—The Cable is bent beyond its minimum bending radius

IS—The insulation shield is separated from the insulation

OT—Other: _____

This waiver shall be valid for cables treated:

Indicate PO, WO, and/or date range waiver shall be in effect.

Sign & date

Print name & title

Instructions: A copy of this document must be supplied to the data administrator at the Southwire Corporate Office. The administrator will assign a Waiver number, scan the document, and incorporate it into Knomentous. Each time that the waiver is utilized by the injector the waiver number shall be entered in Knomentous record along with a brief note describing the physical location of the flaw(s). Southwire Warranty Waiver number: _____