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*Ruskin*® announces HZ700 Louver

Grandview, MO – (August, 12, 2020) – The new HZ700 louver from *Ruskin*® is a 7-inch deep louver comprised of two pieces, a 4-inch horizontal front and a 3-inch vertical rear louver. The HZ700 was designed for applications needing a horizontal blade appearance but a vertical blade level of performance.

“*Ruskin* built the HZ700 model with our customers in mind,” said Jay Ramkumar, Director of Louver Sales at *Ruskin*. “The request to provide a 7-inch louver with extreme performance abilities is met with this model. We exceed the competition by offering an option with a high level of water and enhanced missile protection. The HZ700 is engineered for economy and high performance to satisfy our customers’ needs.”

The HZ700 meets AMCA 550 and AMCA 540 enhanced protection, and has a low pressure drop which allows for greater energy savings. It can be paired with equipment that requires high energy filters which improves air quality within critical facilities. The high velocity wind driven rain qualification allows the HZ700 to be used in essential facilities, such as hospitals, where high air quality is necessary in extreme weather. The visible mullion construction and horizontal front blade construction makes it aesthetically appealing and high performing.

Ruskin offers the HZ700 with a full suite of options including industry leading 20-year finish warranty and 5-year product warranty. More information about the HZ700 can be found on the *Ruskin* website [https://www.ruskin.com/model/hz700](https://www.ruskin.com/model/hz700).

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