## Installation Instructions

## **Preparation**

- To be installed when lay-in ceiling tiles are installed or over existing suspended acoustic ceiling tiles. Insulation should be used in addition for optimal performance.
- dB Top Stop panels come in fire rated and non-fire rated versions. Before ordering, determine which version is required.
- dB Top Stop panels are not recommended for use over fiberglass ceiling tiles. Fiberglass ceiling tiles can sag when weight placed on them.

## Installation

- dB Top Stop panels are pre-cut to fit in suspended ceiling track assemblies utilizing 2 x 2 or 2 x 4 acoustic ceiling panels.
- dB Top Stop panels weigh approximately 1 pound per square foot. Determine the installed track load rating; in some cases, additional support wires may be needed.
- Install dB Top Stop panels directly on top of the acoustic ceiling tiles with foil side facing up. Panels are designed to be loose laid for optimum performance.

## **Storage**

dB Top Stop must be stored in a dry environment. If stored below freezing temperatures, material may require 24-48 hours of acclimation to regain pliability.



