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Versatile BEST Door Closer Offers Premium Door Control Solutions

Series is ADA compliant and ideal for heavy-use institutional applications

Indianapolis, IN – September 1, 2020 – Door closers protect people from doors swinging open too quickly or slamming shut. They are the mainstay of a safe door. The new BEST Door Closers Series, from dormakaba, includes a portfolio of technologically advanced door control solutions designed for a variety of institutional applications.

BEST Grade 1 Door Closers utilize DIN226 and R14 corrosion-resistant aluminum to provide maximum protection against metal fatigue and abrasion. In addition, they:

- Enhances strength and durability
- Certified to meet the requirements of ANSI A156.4, Grade 1 quality
- Complies with barrier-free ADA requirements
- Can be used with aluminum, wood or hollow metal doors and frames
- Comes with a 30-year warranty

They offer maximum design flexibility as well. BEST Door Closers are compatible with 30 assorted specialty function arms, a variety of mounting plates and brackets and a wide range of painted or decorative architectural finishes.

“BEST Door Closers are built to withstand daily use in high-traffic environments,” said Andrew Adams, AVP, Door Hardware Product Manager. “We’ve built them with automotive-grade silicon alloy construction for enhanced strength and durability. Yet, even with this advanced technology, they’re easy to install with a snap-on cover that provides access to the hydraulic and spring adjustment settings.”

The BEST Door Closers are ideal for high-use institutional settings where ADA compliance, safety, sanitation, and energy efficiency are top-of-mind. These include but are not limited to: K-12 education settings, universities, healthcare facilities, government offices and facilities, transportation hubs and airports.

About BEST

BEST pioneered the development of the small format interchangeable core and sets the standard for door hardware. BEST door hardware products are engineered to fit institutional applications and outlast expectations in even the most demanding and complex of projects. A member of the dormakaba family, BEST brand products include a wide range of locks, exits, closers, hinges and more. Further information at bestaccess.com.

About dormakaba

dormakaba is one of the top three companies in the global market for access and security solutions. With strong brands such as Dorma and Kaba in our portfolio, we are a single source for products, solutions, and services related to doors and secure access to buildings and rooms. With around 16,000 employees and numerous cooperation partners, we are active in over 130 countries. dormakaba is headquartered in Rümlang (Zurich/Switzerland) and generates an annual turnover of over CHF 2 billion.

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