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NOVEMBER PRICE INCREASES.

Dear customer,

Given the current market conditions we know how important it is that you are provided with advanced notice of any significant supplier price increases. We are therefore advising you of some price increases on products that you have purchased previously.

As always, we are working hard behind the scenes to minimise these price increases but we wanted to let you know the current projected increases to allow you to plan accordingly. These increases will come into effect on November 1st 2021.

Product Category	Price Increase
Bricks	10.5%
Paint	3.5%
Aerated blocks *	16%

Please note, the above increases do not apply to all products within the categories and only highlight the most relevant price increases.

*These block increases are predominantly applicable to branches in the West and South West of England, price in other regions may vary.

Why we're increasing our prices.

Many price increases are due to market wide cost inflation of raw materials which is impacting the cost of production.

For example, the increase quoted for bricks is mainly due to the increasing price for all raw materials including fireclays that are required in many buff bricks.

Similar to previous months, there are still rising operating costs to a number of suppliers. These costs have increased more recently due to the exceptional price increases on haulage due to the high demand being felt by the industry.

Future price increases.

Our cement supplier has requested a significant price increase of up to 20% to be implemented before the end of the year. This has been driven by escalating energy & haulage costs and also by the continuing rise in the cost of carbon credits and the resulting environmental surcharge. As always, we are working hard to mitigate these costs as much as possible for you, and will advise you of specific details as soon as we have this confirmed.

Keeping up to date.

To keep up to date with any other price increases and product availability, please visit our dedicated supplier updates page here: www.jewson.co.uk/supplier-updates

If you'd like to talk to us about anything we've included within this letter, please get in touch with your local branch.

We look forward to continuing to work with you.

Yours Sincerely,

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