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ABSTRACT

Rice Husk Drywall Ceiling Board is an innovative product which use a rice husk in mixed design. The ceiling boards were produced using rice husk, wastepaper, fire retardant and portland cement of varying quantities. The compression of the boards was done using hydraulicpress. There are a few issues that has been discovered with ceiling elements such as mould growth, presence of dampness, astatic value, also thermal properties. As a result, this innovative product is produced as a solution to a problem identified with ceiling elements, and it also for improving the performance of existing ceiling. The research study aims to develop an effective product that can keep the ceiling in a safe condition, long-lasting and lowering themaintenance cost. In this research, the method used for the development of this innovation ideaincludes a literature review on relevant topics related to Rice Husk Drywall Ceiling Board. Other than that, an observation on ceiling board in the Construction Industry has beenconducted, it is because this technique provides the most accurate information. By doing this approach all the findings will be developed, and it will be easier to highlight the issues. A simulation study also will be used to support the explanation of developing the innovative production process. It may provide a better understanding of how this proposed innovation product works to improvise the existing ceiling. In addition, Rice Husk Drywall Ceiling Boardhas the potential to be marketed to potential users. With this innovative technology, it is believed will generate change that could solve the needs of the Construction Industry and would improve the building's wellbeing while also to sustain Green Building as well as greenenvironment.

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