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ASSA ABLOY Proposal:

Here's my recommendation to merge definitions and include examples.

**Organic Coating:** Coating with primary ingredients from compounds rich in carbon and are non-metallic. Includes organic-inorganic hybrid coatings and excludes cyanides and carbonates common to plating bath solutions. Applied in one or more layers and includes primers and topcoats such as enamels, varnishes, paints, and powder coatings.

**Inorganic Coating:** Coating with metallic or other non-carbonaceous materials or conversion of the surface to an oxide. Produced by heat or chemical action, with or without electrical assistance, that changes the top surface layer of a metal. Examples include electroplating, oxidizing, anodizing, enameling, hot-dip galvanizing, thermal spraying, and vacuum coating.

Kind regards,

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