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# FLAMMABILITY TEST REPORT

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UNIT 1 PARK SPRINGS SPRINGVALE ROAD GRIMETHORPE BARNSLEY

SOUTH YORKSHIRE

S72 7BQ

**Contact Name:** GARY MACE

**Sample Details** 

Description:

Reference No.:

Not stated

Not stated

Not stated

I mtr. square

Quality:

P.V.C Sample

Colour(s):

White

Supplier:

Not stated

Supplier: Not stated
End use: Marquee
Fibre Composition: 500 Denier

Sample description: White coloured woven polymeric material

| Test Method                 | Pre Treatment  | Flammability performance requirements | Result |
|-----------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--------|
| BS 5438:1989 Test Method 2B | Watersoaked as clause 3 of<br>BS 5651: 1989 then<br>line dried | BS 7837: 1996                         | PASS   |

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**Test Specification** 

Test method Test method 2B of BS 5438: 1989 as required by BS 7837: 1996

Criterion of ignition: 40mm high Butane gas flame

Ignition type: Bottom edge (Raw)

Flame application time: 10 seconds Sample size: 200 x 160mm

Pre-treatment / Durability procedure

Watersoaked as clause 3 of BS 5651: 1989 then line dried

**Conditioning** 

Prior to testing: At least 24 hours in an atmosphere having a temperature of 20±2°C. and a relative

humidity of 65±5%

At time of testing: Temperature between 15°C & 30°C.

Relative humidity between 35% & 75%.

Air movement less than 0.2m/s.

### **Test Results**

"The test results were obtained using the specified test conditions and do not necessarily represent the behaviour of the test material under other conditions of test or use."

| Sample No./ | Duration of       | Duration of         | Flaming debris | Flame to edge | Hole to edge | Maximum damaged length (mm) |          |
|-------------|-------------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------------------|----------|
| Direction   | flaming<br>(Secs) | afterglow<br>(Secs) |                |               |              | Horizontal                  | Vertical |
| 1. Length ↑ | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 30                          | 75       |
| 2. Length ↓ | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 30                          | 88       |
| 3. Length ↑ | 33.6              | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 38                          | 92       |
| 4. Width →  | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 23                          | 80       |
| 5. Width ←  | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 27                          | 87       |
| 6. Width →  | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 25                          | 83       |

Please Note: If only one sample fails an extra 6 shall be tested

#### Extra 6 Samples

| Sample No./ | Duration of       | Duration of         | Flaming debris | Flame to edge | Hole to edge | Maximum damaged length (mm) |          |
|-------------|-------------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------------------|----------|
| Direction   | flaming<br>(Secs) | afterglow<br>(Secs) |                |               |              | Horizontal                  | Vertical |
| 1. Length ↑ | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 27                          | 90       |
| 2. Length ↓ | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 23                          | 93       |
| 3. Length ↑ | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 25                          | 110      |
| 4. Width →  | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 25                          | 95       |
| 5. Width ←  | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 18                          | 73       |
| 6. Width →  | 0.0               | 0.0                 | No             | No            | No           | 24                          | 95       |

#### Conclusions

The sample tested meets the flammability performance requirements of BS 7837: 1996. PASS.



