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SUBJECT:

Ignitability of product when subjected to direct flame impingement test on "Greenlam Laminates" High Pressure Laminate material submitted by Greenlam Asia Pacific Pte Ltd on 21 Mar 2013.

TESTED FOR:

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DATE OF TEST:

01 Apr 2013

PURPOSE OF TEST:

To determine the ignitability of the product when subjected to direct impingement of flame according to EN ISO 11925-2 : 2010 Part 2: Single-flame source test (BS EN ISO 11925-2:2010).

The test was conducted at TÜV SÜD PSB fire test laboratory located at No. 10 Tuas Avenue 10, Singapore 639134.



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DESCRIPTION OF SPECIMEN:

Twenty pieces of specimen, said to be "Greenlam Laminates" High Pressure Laminate material, of nominal size 250mm x 90mm x 0.8mm thick, were received. The specimen was prepared by bonding it onto calcium silicate board using water based adhesive. The nominal thickness and bulk density of the board were found to be 1mm and 1433kg/m³ respectively.

Details of the product, as provided by the sponsor of test, are as follows:

Product manufactured / supplied by :	
Company Address	Greenply Industries Ltd Vill. Panjehra , Teh.Nalagarh , Distt. Solan H.P Nalagarh, Himachal Pradesh - 174101
Brand	Greenlam Laminates
Model reference	-
Generic product name	High Pressure Laminate
Material composition	87% Paper, 13% resin
Nominal density (kg/m ³)	1.40 g/cm ³
Nominal mass per unit area (kg/m ²)	1.12 kg/sqm
Nominal thickness (mm)	0.8 mm
Color reference	Various
Fire retardant	Ethanol Amine Group- Phosphoric



Details of the components, as provided by the sponsor of test, are as follows:

<p>Exterior facing:</p> <p>Generic name – Material – Manufacturer – Thickness – Mass per unit area – Color reference – Fire retardant –</p>	<p>Decorative Side</p> <p>Decorative side Paper Greenply Industries Ltd 0.8mm 1.12 kg/sqm Various Ethanol Amine Group – Phosphoric Acid</p>
<p>Interior facing:</p> <p>Generic name – Material – Manufacturer – Thickness – Mass per unit area – Color reference – Fire retardant –</p>	<p>Brown side</p> <p>Backer side Paper Greenply Industries Ltd 0.8mm 1.12 kg/sqm Brown Ethanol Amine Group – Phosphoric Acid</p>
<p>Core material:</p> <p>Generic name – Material – Manufacturer – Thickness – Mass per unit area – Color reference – *Fire retardant –</p>	<p>Brown side</p> <p>Backer side Paper Greenply Industries Ltd 0.8mm 1.12 kg/sqm Brown Ethanol Amine Group – Phosphoric Acid</p>
<p>Adhesive:</p> <p>Generic name – Material – Manufacturer – Thickness – Mass per unit area – Color reference – Fire retardant –</p>	<p>Melamine Resin, Phenolic Resin</p>

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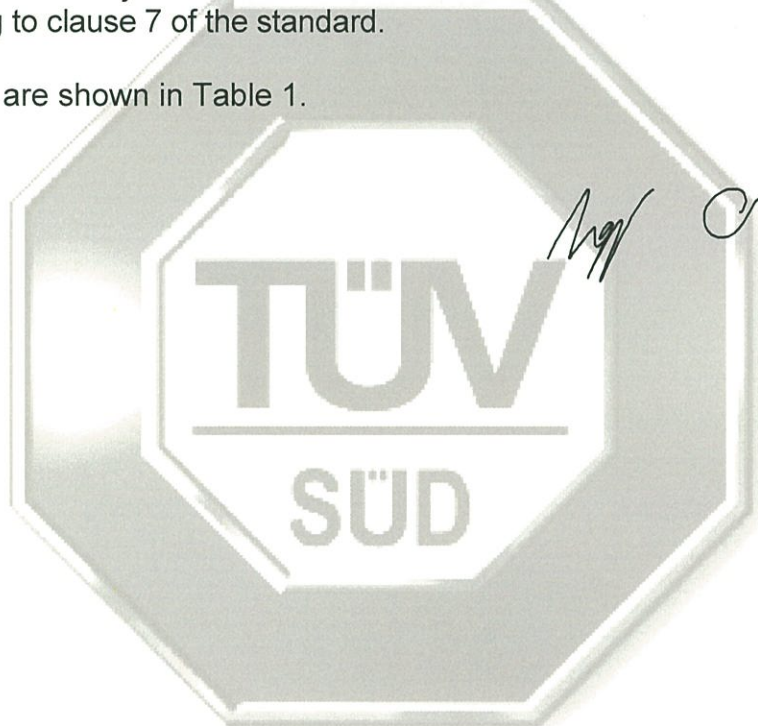
TEST PROCEDURE:

Prior to test, the specimens were prepared in accordance with clause 5 of the standard and conditioned at a temperature of $(23 \pm 2)^{\circ}\text{C}$ and relative humidity of $(50 \pm 5)\%$ for a minimum period of 48 hours.

The apparatus was constructed in accordance to clause 4 of the standard.

The specimens were subjected to the test environment as described in clause 4.1 and tested according to clause 7 of the standard.

The test results are shown in Table 1.





TEST RESULTS:

Table 1: Test Flame Surface Application Position

Temperature (°C)	23.5		R.H (%)	62		
Specimen thickness (mm)	1.0		Flame application time (sec)	30		
Specimen no.	1	2	3	4	5	6
Airflow velocity (m/s)	0.62	0.63	0.62	0.60	0.69	0.63
Ignition (Y/N)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Maximum flame spread (mm)	26	39	30	35	47	54
Time for flame tip to reach 150mm (sec)	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A
Flaming droplets presence (Y/N)	N	N	N	N	N	N

Observations:

1. No afterflame was observed on the specimen.

REMARKS:

The test results relate to the behaviour of the test specimens of a product under the particular conditions of the test; they are not intended to be the sole criterion for assessing the potential fire hazard of the product in use.


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