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TEST REPORT

TEST NUMBER : 7-564883-BV

DATE

: 24/03/2009

SAMPLE DESCRIPTION Clients Ref: "Batiste"

Woven shear curtain fabric

Colour: White, Ivory, Champagne, Bone

End use: Curtain

THESE RESULTS MUST BE CONSIDERED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE COMMENTS ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE(S)

Material Specification provided by client:

Nominal composition: Polester

Nominal mass: 60g/m2 Nominal thickness: 0.1mm

AS/NZS 1530.3 - 1999 Simultaneous determination of Ignitability, Flame

Propagation, Heat Release and Smoke Release

RESULTS:

Face tested: Face

Date tested: 29.01.2009

	Mean		Standard	Error
Ignition time	Nil	min	Nil	
Flame propagation time	Nil	S	Nil	
Heat release integral	Nil	kJ/m2	Nil	
Smoke release, log d	Nil		Nil	
Optical density, d	Nil	/m		

Number of specimens ignited:

Number of specimens tested:

REGULATORY INDICES:

Ignitability Index	0	Range 0-20
Spread of Flame Index	0	Range 0-10
Heat Evolved Index	0	Range 0-10
Smoke Developed Index	0-1	Range 0-10

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Comments:

These results only apply to the specimen mounted, as described in this report.

The results of this fire test may be used to directly assess fire hazard, but it should be recognized that a single test method will not provide a full assessment of fire hazard under all fire conditions.

The specimens were mounted to simulate use in an unsupported or free hanging mode. The results may be significantly different when mounted to simulate a wall cladding or upholstery application.

Each test specimen was sandwiched between two layers of galvanised welded square mesh made from wire of nominal diameter 0.8mm and nominal spacing 12mm in both directions and the assembly clamped in four places.

To allow free movement of sample during testing all corners were folded away from the clamps.

Smoke Developed Index is reported as 0-1 due to the inability of the smoke measurement equipment to resolve an index of zero.

Ignition is initiated by a pilot flame that is held near, but does not touch the specimen. A material that does not ignite during the standard test may ignite if contacted with a pilot flame during the test.

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AS 1530.2-1993 Test for Flammability of Materials DATE TESTED: Flammability Index: 1 Range 0 - 100 for most material 23/02/2009 Length Width Spread Factor: Range 0 - 40 Heat Factor: Range 0 - upward 1 1 Maximum height (d) mean CV 0.0 0.0 Time (t) N/A N/A mean 8 CV N/A N/A Heat (a) mean 1.5 1.5 degC min CV 0.0 0.0 No of specimens tested 6 6

These test results relate only to the behaviour of the test specimens of the material under the particular conditions of the test, and they are not intended to be the sole criterion for assessing the potential fire hazard of the material in use

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