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Title:

CLASSIFICATION OF REACTION TO FIRE PERFORMANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH EN 13501-1:2007+A1: 2009

Notified Body No:

0833

Product Names:

"Spacia First"

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1. Introduction

This classification report defines the classification assigned to "Spacia First", a polyvinyl chloride (PVC) floor tile, in accordance with the procedures given in EN 13501-1:2007+A1: 2009.

2. Details of classified product

2.1 General

The product "Spacia First", a polyvinyl chloride (PVC) floor tile, is defined as being suitable for floor covering applications.

2.2 Product description

The product "Spacia First", a polyvinyl chloride (PVC) floor tile, is fully described below and in the test reports provided in support of classification listed in Clause 3.1.

General description		A vinyl floor tile which was tested bonded to a fibre		
		cement board substrate utilising "Amtico SF" adhesive.		
Product reference		"Spacia First"		
Thickness of composite		8.15mm (determined by Exova Warringtonfire)		
Weight per unit area of composite		15.01kg/m ² (determined by Exova Warringtonfire)		
	Product reference	"Spacia First – SW2004"		
	Generic type	Vinyl (PVC) floor tile		
	Name of manufacturer	Amtico International China		
Floor	Weight per unit area	3.6kg/m ²		
covering	Thickness	2.0mm		
	Colour	Any colour / pattern		
	Flame retardant	See Note 1 Below		
	details			
	Product reference	"Amtico SF Adhesive"		
	Generic type	Water based acrylic adhesive		
	Name of manufacturer	Amtico International		
Adhesive	Application rate	Between 300 and 350g/m ²		
	Application method	A2 notched trowel		
	Flame retardant	See Note 1 Below		
	details			
	Trade name	"NT D4 604"		
Substrate	Generic type	Fibre cement board		
	Supplier	Scheerders van de Kerkhove (SVK)		
	Thickness	6mm		
	Density	1800kg/m³		
Brief description of manufacturing		Individual PVC based sheets are heat laminated then		
process of the floor covering		cut to produce tiles.		

Note 1: The sponsor of the test has confirmed that no flame retardants were used in the production of this component

3. Test reports & test results in support of classification.

3.1 Test reports.

Name of Laboratory	Name of sponsor	Test reports/extended application report Nos.	Test method / extended application rules & date	
Exova warringtonfire	Amtico International	WF 304607	EN ISO 11925-2	
Exova warringtonfire	Amtico International	WF 304608	EN ISO 9239-1	

3.2 Test results

Test method & test number			No. tests	Results	
		Parameter		Continuous parameter - mean (m)	Compliance with parameters
EN ISO 9239-1		Critical flux	3	≥11.2	Compliant
		Smoke	3	43.07	Compliant
11925-2	15s exposure – surface of decorative face	F _s	6	56.7	Compliant
		Flaming droplets/ particles		None	Compliant
EN ISO	15s exposure – edge of decorative face	Fs	6	45	Compliant
		Flaming droplets/ particles		None	Compliant

4. Classification and field of application

4.1 Reference of classification

This classification has been carried out in accordance with clause 9 of EN 13501-1:2007+A1: 2009.

4.2 Classification

The product "Spacia First", a polyvinyl chloride (PVC) floor tile, in relation to its reaction to fire behaviour is classified:

BFL

The additional classification in relation to smoke production is:

The format of the reaction to fire classification for floorings is:

Fire Behaviour		Smoke Production		
B _F L	-	s	1	

i.e. B_{FL} - s1

Reaction to fire classification: BFL - s1

4.3 Field of application

This classification is valid for the following end use applications:

i) Flooring applications, used over any substrate with a density equal to or greater than 1800Kg/m^3 , having a minimum thickness of 6mm and a fire performance of A2_{FL} or better.

This classification is also valid for the following product parameters:

Floorcovering thickness

Floorcovering weight per unit area

Colour/Pattern

Floorcovering composition

Floorcovering construction

Floorcovering installation

No variation allowed

No variation allowed

No variation allowed

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