



TEST REPORT

DATE: 04/29/2013

TEST NUMBER: 156919

CLIENT	Masland Carpets
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TEST METHOD CONDUCTED	BS 4790; 1987 Loose Laid Hot Metal Nut Test
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DESCRIPTION OF TEST SAMPLE	
IDENTIFICATION	Safes Safestep Padding
ROLL	9407810001
CONSTRUCTION	Needle Punch
BACKING	Latex

SCOPE

To determine the affects of a small source of ignition on textile floor covering using a hot metal nut. Test results relate only to the behavior of the test specimens; they shall not be used as a means of assessing how the product will contribute to an established fire.

TEST RESULTS

METHOD OF MOUNTING	LOOSE LAID
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Elapsed time from nut application to flame extinction	202 seconds	188 seconds	199 seconds
Elapsed time of afterglow and/or smoking	18 seconds	20 seconds	19 seconds
Elapsed time of flame to clamping ring	N/A	N/A	N/A
Radius of affected area (nearest 5 mm)	33 mm	30 mm	31 mm

When assessed in accordance with BS 5287; 1988, Assessment and Labeling of Textile Floorcoverings Tests to BS 4790, the carpet can be described as follows:

BASIC PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENT	Pass
CONTRACT USE	Low Radius

Contract	Use Key
Low Radius	35 mm or less
Medium Radius	36 mm to 75 mm
High Radius	Over 75 mm

APPROVED BY:

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