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(Text with EEA relevance)

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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,


Whereas:

(1) The European classification system for reaction to fire described in Commission Decision 94/611/EC of 9 September 1994 implementing Article 20 of Directive 89/106/EEC on construction products (3) has been adapted to technical progress and replaced by Commission Decision 2000/147/EC of 8 February 2000 implementing Council Directive 89/106/EEC as regards the classification of the reaction to fire performance of construction products (4). This new Decision necessitates the adaptation of the following Commission Decisions on attesting the conformity of construction products pursuant to Article 20(2) of Directive 89/106/EEC where those Decisions make reference to the European classification system for reaction to fire:


— Decision 97/556/EC of 14 July 1997 on the procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products pursuant to Article 20(2) of Council Directive 89/106/EEC as regards external thermal insulation composite systems/kits with rendering (ETICS) (9),


(16) OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 27.


(2) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Construction.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1


Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 8 January 2001.

For the Commission

Erkki LIIKANEN

Member of the Commission

(2) OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 42.
ANNEX

The Annexes to the following Decisions are amended as follows:

1. Decision 95/467/EC:

1. In Annex 2, the text of the second subparagraph is replaced by ‘Plasterboards and ceiling elements with thin laminations, fibrous gypsum boards and composite panels, including relevant ancillary products, falling into classes A1 (5), A2 (5), B (5), C (5) and intended to be used in walls, ceilings (or linings thereof) subject to reaction to fire requirements’ and a footnote is added: ‘(5) Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material).’


4. Also in the table of product family (1/4) for ‘GYPSUM PRODUCTS’ in Annex 3, the text of footnote (5) is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in any improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material), the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote (5), the text ‘Commission Decision 94/611/EC’ in footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Commission Decision 2000/147/EC (OJ L 50, 23.2.2000, p. 14)’ and a footnote is added: ‘(5) Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

2. Decision 96/578/EC:

1. The second paragraph of Annex I is replaced by ‘Modular public toilets and toilet pods other than those specified in Annex II.’

2. The only paragraph of Annex II is replaced by ‘Modular public toilets and toilet pods with finishes using materials falling into classes A1 (5), A2 (5), B (5), C (5).’ and a footnote is added: ‘(5) Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material).’


4. Also in the table of product family (1/1) of Annex III, the text of footnote (2) is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material), the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote (2), the text ‘Commission Decision 94/611/EC (OJ L 241, 16.9.1994, p. 25)’ in footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Commission Decision 2000/147/EC (OJ L 50, 23.2.2000, p. 14)’ and a footnote is added: ‘(5) Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

3. Decision 96/580/EC:

1. The text of Annex II is replaced by ‘CURTAIN WALLING: Curtain wall kits to be used as external walls subject to reaction to fire requirements and falling into classes A1 (5), A2 (5), B (5), C (5) and a footnote is added: ‘(5) Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material).’


3. Also in the table of product family (1/1) of Annex III, the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material), the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 2, the text ‘Commission Decision 94/611/EC (OJ L 241, 16.9.1994, p. 25)’ in footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Commission Decision 2000/147/EC (OJ L 50, 23.2.2000, p. 14)’ and a footnote is added: ‘(5) Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’
4. Decision 97/176/EC:

1. In the table of product family (1/3) of Annex III, the text ‘A, B, C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)’ and the text ‘A, B, C (1), A (1), D, E, F’ is replaced by the text ‘A1, A2, B (1), C (1), D, E, (A1 to E) (1), F.’

2. Also in the table of product family (1/3) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1’ and the text of footnote 3 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

5. Decision 97/462/EC:

1. In Annex I, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by the text ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 2 in Annex II,’ the text ‘B (1), C (1), D, E or F’ is replaced by the text ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), A (3), B (1), C (1), D, E, (A1 to E) (3), F and a new footnote 3 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

2. In Annex II, the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)’ and the text ‘B (1) or C (1)’ is replaced by the text ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1),’

3. In the table of product family (1/2) of Annex III, the text ‘B — C (1)’ is replaced by the text ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E, (A1 to E) (3), F, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1’ and a new footnote 2a is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

4. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text ‘B — C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1),’ the text ‘B — C (1), D, E, F’ is replaced by the text ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), A (3), B (1), C (1), D, E, (A1 to E) (3), F, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and a new footnote 3 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

6. Decision 97/556/EC:

1. In Annex I, the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 2,’ the text ‘A (1), B (1)’ or ‘C (1) and A (without testing), D, E or F is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E, (A1 to E) (1), F, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and a new footnote 3 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

2. In the table of product family (1/1) of Annex II, the text ‘A (1) — B (1) — C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), A (3), B (1), C (1),’ and the text ‘A (1) — B (1) — C (1), A (without testing), D — E — F is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E, (A1 to E) (1), F.’

3. Also in the table of product family (1/1) of Annex II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which as clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and a footnote 3 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

7. Decision 97/740/EC:

1. The text of the second subparagraph of Annex II is replaced by ‘special masonry units of category I or II with incorporated thermal insulating materials falling into classes A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1) to be used in walls and partitions subject to reaction to fire regulations, but only where this material is susceptible to be exposed to fire in its end use application,’ and a footnote 1 is added with the text ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material).’

2. In the table of product family (3/3) of Annex III, the text ‘A, B or C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1),’ the text ‘A, B or C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E’ and the text ‘D, E or F’ is replaced by ‘(A1 to E) (4), F.’
3. Also in the table of product family (3/3) of Annex III, the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material); the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 2; the text ‘Commission Decision 96/611/EC (OJ L 241, 16.9.1994, p. 25)’ in footnote 1 is replaced by ’Commission Decision 2000/147/EC (OJ L 50, 23.2.2000, p. 14);’ and a footnote 4 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

8. Decision 97/808/EC:

1. In Annex I, the text ‘of reaction to fire classes A₁₁, B₁₁, or C₁₁ for which the reaction to fire performance is not susceptible to change during the production, of reaction to fire classes D₁₁, E₁₁, or F₁₁, and also of class A₁₁ that according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC do not require to be tested for reaction to fire’ is replaced everywhere by ‘other than those specified in Annex II.’

2. In Annex II, the text ‘classes A₁₈, B₁₈ or C₁₈ for which the reaction to fire performance is susceptible to change during the production in general those subject to chemical modification, e.g. fire retardant, or where changes of composition may lead to changes in reaction to fire performance’ is replaced everywhere by ‘classes A₁₁₈ (1), A₂₁₈ (1), B₁₁₈ (1), C₁₁₈ (1), and a footnote 1 is added with the text ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material).’

3. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text ‘A₁₁ — B₁₁ — C₁₁ (1)’ is replaced everywhere by ‘A₁₁₁ (1), A₂₁₁ (1), B₁₁₁ (1), C₁₁₁ (1), D₁₁₁, E₁₁₁,’ and the text ‘A₁₁ (1) — D₁₁ — E₁₁ — F₁₁’ is replaced everywhere by ‘(A₁₁₁ to E₁₁₁) (1), F₁₁₁.’

4. Also in the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material); the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1;’ and the text of footnote 5 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

9. Decision 98/213/EC:

1. In Annex I, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 2 in Annex II’, the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1), A (without testing), D, E and F’ is replaced by ‘A₁ (1), A₂ (1), B (1), C (1), D, E, (A₁ to E) (1), F’ and a footnote 3 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

2. In Annex II, the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ and the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A₁ (1), A₂ (1), B (1), C (1).’

3. In the table of product family (1/5) of Annex III, the text ‘A (1), B (1) and C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A₁ (1), A₂ (1), B (1), C (1), D, E, F’ and the text ‘A (without testing), D, E, F’ is replaced by the text ‘A₁ to E) (6), F’.

4. Also in the table of product family (1/5) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material); the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1;’ and a footnote 6 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

10. Decision 98/214/EC:

1. In the table of product family (2/4) of Annex II, the text ‘(A, B, C) (1)’ is replaced by ‘A₁ (1), A₂ (1), B (1), C (1)’ and the text ‘(A, B, C) (1), D, E, F, A (1)’ is replaced by ‘A₁ (1), A₂ (1), B (1), C (1), D, E, (A₁ to E) (1), F’.

2. Also in the table of product family (2/4) of Annex II, the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ and the text of footnote 4 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 2;’ and the text of footnote 5 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’
11. Decision 98/279/EC:

1. In the table of product family (1/1) of Annex II, the text ‘A (*)’, B (*), C (*)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*)’ and the text ‘A (**), B (**), C (**), A (**), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘A1 (**), A2 (**), B (**), C (**), D, E, (A1 to E) (**), F’.

2. Also in the table of product family (1/1) of Annex II, the text of footnote (*) is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ the text of footnote (**) is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote (*)’, and the text of footnote (***) is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

12. Decision 98/436/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote (*) is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ and the text ‘(A, B, C) (*)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*).

2. In the table of product family (2/6) of Annex III, the text ‘(A, B, C) (*)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*),’ the text ‘(A, B, C) (**)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (**), A2 (**), B (**), C (**), D, E’ and the text ‘A (**), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘(A1 to E) (**), F’.

3. Also in the table of product family (2/6) of Annex III, the text of footnote (*) is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ the text of footnote (**) is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote (*)’, and the text of footnote (***) is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

13. Decision 98/437/EC:

1. In Annex I, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1 in Annex II;’ the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1), A (without testing), D, E and F’ is replaced everywhere by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E, (A1 to E) (1), F’ and a footnote 4 is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

2. In Annex II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ and the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced everywhere by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1).

3. In the table of product family (3/5) of Annex III, the text ‘A (*), B (*)’ and C (*)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*),’ the text ‘A (**), B (**), C (**), A (**) and C (**)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (**), A2 (**), B (**), C (**), D, E’ and the text ‘A (without testing), D, E and F’ is replaced by ‘(A1 to E) (**), F’.

4. Also in the table of product family (3/5) of Annex III, the text of footnote (*) is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ the text of footnote (**) is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote (*)’ and a footnote (***) is added with the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

14. Decision 98/599/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ and the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1).

2. In the table of product family (3/3) of Annex III, the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1),’ the text ‘A (2), B (2), C (2)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (2), A2 (2), B (2), C (2), D, E’ and the text ‘A (3), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘(A1 to E) (3), F.’

3. Also in the table of product family (3/3) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by the text ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’
15. Decision 98/600/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ and the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1).’

2. In the table of product family (3/3) of Annex III, the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E’ and the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 to E (1), F.’

3. Also in the table of product family (3/3) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

16. Decision 98/601/EC:

1. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text ‘AFL (1), BFL (1), CFL (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1FL (1), A2FL (1), BFL (1), CFL (1), DFL, EFL,’ the text ‘AFL (2), BFL (2), CFL (2)’ is replaced by ‘A1FL (2), A2FL (2), BFL (2), CFL (2), DFL, EFL,’ and the text ‘AFL (3), DFL, EFL, FFL’ is replaced by ‘(A1FL to EFL) (3), FFL’.

2. Also in the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

17. Decision 1999/89/EC:

1. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex II, the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E’ and the text ‘A (2), B (2), C (2)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (2), A2 (2), B (2), C (2), D, E, F’ and the text ‘A (3), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘(A1 to E) (3), F.’

2. Also in the table of product family (2/2) of Annex II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

18. Decision 1999/90/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ and the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E’ and the text ‘A (2), B (2), C (2)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (2), A2 (2), B (2), C (2), D, E, F’ and the text ‘A (3), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘(A1 to E) (3), F.’

2. Also in the table of product family (2/3) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

19. Decision 1999/91/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material),’ and the text ‘A (1), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1), D, E’ and the text ‘A (2), B (2), C (2)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (2), A2 (2), B (2), C (2), D, E, F’ and the text ‘A (3), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘(A1 to E) (3), F.’
3. Also in the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by 'Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)', the text of footnote 2 is replaced by 'Products/materials not covered by footnote 1.', and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by 'Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC)'.

20. Decision 1999/454/EC:

1. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex II, the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)', the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)', D, E, F is replaced by 'A1 to E (1), F'.

2. Also in the table of product family (2/2) of Annex II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by 'Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)', the text of footnote 2 is replaced by 'Products/materials not covered by footnote 1.', and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by 'Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC)'.

21. Decision 1999/469/EC:

1. In Annex I, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by 'Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)', and the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)'.

2. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)', the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)', D, E, F is replaced by 'A1 to E (1), F'.

3. Also in the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by 'Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)', the text of footnote 2 is replaced by 'Products/materials not covered by footnote 1.', and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by 'Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC)'.

22. Decision 1999/470/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by 'Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)', and the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)'.

2. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by the text 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)', the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by the text 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)', D, E, F is replaced by the text 'A1 to E (1), F'.

3. Also in the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by 'Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)', the text of footnote 2 is replaced by 'Products/materials not covered by footnote 1.', and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by 'Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC)'.

23. Decision 1999/471/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote 2 is replaced by 'Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)', the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced everywhere by 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)'.

2. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by the text 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)', the text 'A (1), B (1), C (1)' is replaced by the text 'A1 (1), A2 (1), B (1), C (1)', D, E, F is replaced by the text 'A1 to E (1), F'.

3. Also in the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by 'Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material)', the text of footnote 2 is replaced by 'Products/materials not covered by footnote 1.', and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by the text 'Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC)'.

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24. Decision 1999/472/EC:

1. In Annex II, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ and the text ‘A (*)’, B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*).’

2. In the table of product family (4/5) of Annex III, the text ‘A (*), B (1), C (1)’ is replaced by ‘A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*), D, E and the text ‘A (*)’, D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘A1 to E (*), F, F.’

3. Also in the table of product family (4/5) of Annex III, the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ the text of footnote 2 is replaced by ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote 1,’ and the text of footnote 3 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

25. Decision 2000/245/EC:

In the table of product family (2/6) of Annex III, the text ‘A, B, C’ is replaced by ‘A1, A2, B, C, D, E’, the text ‘A (*), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘A(1) to E (*), F, F, and the text of footnote 1 is replaced by the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

26. Decision 2000/273/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote (*) is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ the text ‘A (*)’, B (*), C (*) is replaced by ‘A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*) and the text ‘A (**)’, B (**), C (**) is replaced by ‘A1 (**), A2 (**), B (**), C (**).’

2. In the table of product family (2/2) of Annex III, the text ‘A (*), B (*), C (*)’ is replaced by ‘(A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*), D, E, F,’ the text ‘A (**), B (**), C (**), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘(A1 to E (**), F, F, and the text of footnote 1 is replaced by the text ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

27. Decision 2000/447/EC:

1. In Annexes I and II, the text of footnote (*) is replaced by ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ the text ‘A (*)’, B (*), C (*), A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*) is replaced by ‘A1 (*)’, A2 (*), B (*), C (*) and the text ‘A (**)’, B (**), C (**), D, E, F is replaced by ‘A1 (**), A2 (**), B (**), C (**), D, E, F’ and the text ‘A (**), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘A1 to E (**), F, F, and the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

2. In the table of product family (3/6) of Annex III, the text ‘A (*), B (*), C (*), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘A1 (*), A2 (*), B (*), C (*), A1 (**), B (**), C (**), D, E, F’ and the text ‘A (**), B (**), C (**), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘A1 (**), A2 (**), B (**), C (**), D, E, F’ and the text ‘A (**), D, E, F’ is replaced by ‘A1 to E (**), F, F, and the text of footnote 1 is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’

3. Also in the table of product family (3/6) of Annex III, the text of footnote (*) is replaced by the text ‘Products/materials for which a clearly identifiable stage in the production process results in an improvement of the reaction to fire classification (e.g. an addition of fire retardants or a limiting of organic material);’ the text of footnote (**) is replaced by the text ‘Products/materials not covered by footnote (***), and the text of footnote (***) is replaced by ‘Products/materials that do not require to be tested for reaction to fire (e.g. Products/materials of Classes A1 according to Commission Decision 96/603/EC).’