## Flammability Certificate 3979 Silicone Element CELLIANT®

**Designtex** 

3979 Silicone Element CELLIANT® was tested and met the following flammability requirements:

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Received: 02/28/2020 | Completed: 03/03/2020 | Letter: T1 BG | P.O.#: Test Report #: 3-37438-1-Client's Style: Silicone Element Celliant 3979. Composition: 100% Silicone. Weight: 42 oz/lyd. Product End Use: Upholstery. Identification | Additional Information: Celliant Backing. 52" Wide. Tested For: Teesha Prezeau Key Test: CA TB 117-2013 (Section 1-Cover Designtex Fabric) /ACT 357 County Avenue Tel: 1-(201)-917-7738 Ext: Secaucus, NJ 07094 Fax: 1-(201)-917-7764

Test Category: Cigarette Ignition

Product Category: Upholstery

Specifier: ACT

LE 2019; V 12/19 NTR 9/15

PC: 24H dl/SM

TEST PERFORMED: California Technical Bulletin 117-2013 - Requirements, Test Procedure and Apparatus for Testing the Smolder Resistance of Materials Used in Upholstered Furniture (June 2013 Version; V 1/19)

Section 1, Cover Fabric Test (Upholstery cover material is the outermost layer of fabric or related material used to enclose the main support system or upholstery materials, or both, used in the furniture item.) --

As cited by the ACT Voluntary Performance Guidelines (March 2019)

REFERENCE: ASTM E1353-08ae1

IGNITION SOURCE: SRM 1196a Cigarette

SPECIMEN TEST COMPOSITE:

Upholstery Cover Material: As described in "Client's Identification".

Standard Substrate Material: Non FR polyurethane foam, density 1.8 ± 0.05 lb/ft3

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF TEST: Miniature cushions are prepared using the client's cover fabric over the standard filling material. The vertical or back cushions measure  $8" \times 8" \times 2"$ . The horizontal or seat cushions measure  $8" \times 5" \times 2"$ .

A lighted cigarette is placed in the crevice formed by the vertical cushion and the horizontal cushion.

The test is terminated at 45 minutes if smoldering is no longer observed.

Test measurements and observations are recorded.

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| Tested For: T   | eesha Prezeau                |            |    | Key Test: | CA TB 117-2013 (Sect | ion 1-Cover | 275      |
|   | Designtex                    |            |    |           | Fabric) /ACT         |             |          |
| 3   | 57 County Avenue             |            |    | Tel:      | 1-(201)-917-7738     | Ext:        |          |
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PASS/FAIL/REPEAT CRITERIA: A material is considered to pass or fail based on the following criteria:

- 1. A single mock-up test specimen fails to meet the requirements of this test procedure if any of the following criteria occurs:
  - a) The mock-up test specimen continues to smolder after the 45 minute test duration;
  - b) A vertical char length (measured as specified in step 11.9 of ASTM E1353-08ae1) of more than 1.8 inches (45 mm) develops on the cover fabric.
  - c) The mock-up test specimen transitions to open flaming.
- The cover fabric passes the test if three initial mock-up specimens pass the test, i.e., the cigarettes burn their entire length and the mock-ups are no longer smoldering.
- 3. If more than one initial specimen fails, the cover fabric fails the test.
- 4. If any one of the three initial specimens fails, repeat the test on additional three specimens.
- If all three additional specimens pass the test, the cover fabric passes the test. If any one of the additional three specimens fails, the cover fabric fails the test.

DISCUSSION: The current version of California Technical Bulletin 117-2013 has no provision to recognize cigarettes that self-extinguish prior to burning their entire length. However, ASTM E1353 does recognize this phenomenon.

The SGS report evaluates replacement cigarettes as follows:

If a cigarette self-extinguishes (SE) before burning its entire length, a new cigarette is placed into the test. If the new (replacement) cigarette self-extinguishes or burns its entire length, the result for that specimen will then be evaluated as if the cigarette burned its entire length when assigning the "Passing /Failure" conclusion.

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|---|--|---|-------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------|
|   |  | elliant 3979. Composit<br>Celliant Backing. 52" W |                   | Weight: 42 oz/ly                 | d. Product End  | Use: Upholste | ry.     |
| Tested For: Teesha<br>Designte                                  |  |   | Ke                | ey Test: CA TB 1<br>Fabric) /    |                 | on 1-Cover    | 275     |
| 357 Cou   | nty Avenue<br>s, NJ 07094  |   |                   | Tel: 1-(201)-9<br>Fax: 1-(201)-9 | 917-7738        | Ext:          |         |
|   |  |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
| RESULTS:  |  | Char Longth                                       | G.F.              | CD 4 F                           | mor.            |               |         |
|   | Specimen #   | Char Length (inches)                              | SE<br>(yes/no)    | SB45<br>(yes/no)                 | TOF<br>(yes/no) |               |         |
| Initial:  | 1  | 0   | Yes               | No                               | No              |               |         |
|   | 2  | 0   | Yes               | No                               | No              |               |         |
|   | 3  | 0   | Yes               | No                               | No              |               |         |
| Replacement:  | 1  | 0   | Yes               | No                               | No              |               |         |
| (If needed)   | 2  | 0   | Yes               | No                               | No              |               |         |
|   | 3  | 0   | Yes               | No                               | No              |               |         |
| Repeat Tests:   | 1  |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
| (If needed)   | 2  |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
| , ,   | 3  |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
| EXPLANATION:  |  |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
| . Initial:  |  | first 3 cigarette<br>draw a test conc             |                   | sults could b                    | е               |               |         |
| Replacement:  | If any of the initial cigarettes self-extinguish before burning their complete length, a new test is conducted with a fresh cigarette. |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
| Repeat Test:  | st: Depending on the initial or replacement results, 3 repeat tests might be required to draw a conclusion.                            |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
| CODES USED:   |  |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
| SB45 = Smolder TOF = Transit MNR = Measure transit EC = Escalat | r beyond 45 min<br>tions to open f<br>ement not recor<br>tioned to open<br>ting smoldering   | laming<br>ded as smoldering                       | g exceeded 45 m   | inutes or spe                    | cimen           |               |         |
| CONCLUSION: The above resusufficient to                         |  | for the initial a                                 | nd/or replaceme   | nt cigarettes                    | are             |               |         |
| [x] Passing   | g; [] Failure  | e; [ ] Repeat tes                                 | t on 3 addition   | al specimens                     |                 |               |         |
| The results at  | fter conducting  | the repeat test                                   | s indicate:       |                                  |                 |               |         |
| [] Passing  | g; [] Failure  |   |                   |                                  |                 |               |         |
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| Secaucus, NJ 07094   |                                     | 1-(201)-917-7764                 | LAL.            |
| REMARKS: None.   |                                     |                                  |                 |
| CERTIFICATION: I certify that the above results with the procedures and equipment specified abo                        | were obtained after ove.            |                                  |                 |
| AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE SGS /tm /pm   |                                     | MAR 1 1 °                        |                 |
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