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### Käsitlusala:

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Holzwerkstoffe - Melaminbeschichtete Platten zur Verwendung im Innenbereich - Definition, Anforderungen und Klassifizierung

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### 2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

EN 311, Wood-based panels - Surface soundness - Test method

ENV 717-1, Wood-based panels - Determination of formaldehyde release - Part 1: Formaldehyde emission by the chamber method

EN 717-2, Wood-based panels - Determination of formaldehyde release - Part 2: Formaldehyde release by the gas analysis method

EN 14323, Wood-based panels - Melamine faced boards for interior uses - Test methods

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this European Standard, the following term and definition applies.

### melamine faced board MFB

board manufactured by directly applying uncured aminoplastic resin impregnated papers to one or both faces of board substrates and achieving bonding and curing in the same process using heat and pressure but without the use of an intermediate adhesive. The resin of the surface layer is an aminoplastic resin (mainly melamine resin).

The board surfaces may be smooth or structured on one or both faces and the outer surfaces having decorative colours or design

### 4 Requirements

Melamine faced boards shall comply with the general requirements as listed in Table 1 when dispatched from the producing factory.