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Wandbekleidungen

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### Foreword

This Amendment EN 259:1991/A1:1996 to the EN 259:1991 has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 99 "Wallcoverings", of which the secretariat is held by BSI.

This Amendment to the European Standard EN 259:1991 shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by February 1997, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by February 1997.

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**Contents.**Add: 11 Environmental requirements

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**1. Scope**

Add to bullet list after first paragraph:

- specifies the maximum permissible content of certain heavy metals, vinyl chloride monomer and formaldehyde.

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**2. Normative references**

Add:

prEN 12149 Wallcoverings in roll form - Determination of certain heavy metals contents, vinyl chloride monomer, formaldehyde (In preparation)

Add clause 11:

**11. Environmental requirements****11.1 Maximum permissible heavy metal content**

The migration of some heavy metals measured in mg/kg of wallcovering in accordance with test A of prEN 12149 shall not exceed the following values:

Antimony	20
Arsenic	8
Barium	500
Cadmium	25
Chromium	60
Mercury	20
Lead	90
Selenium	165

The limit for antimony does not apply to covering with fire resistance properties accompanied with a rating test report.

**11.2 Vinyl chloride monomer content**

The vinyl chloride monomer content measured in mg/kg of wallcovering in accordance with test B of prEN 12149 shall not exceed 0.2.

**11.3 Formaldehyde content**

The formaldehyde content measured in mg/kg of wallcovering in accordance with test C of prEN 12149 shall not exceed 120.

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