

Statement Metsä Board 17.4.2018

To: DS Smith Gary Cattell

TECHNICAL STATEMENT

Product Name(s) MetsäBoard Natural WKL Bright

Production Site(s) Metsä Board Husum Sweden (Paperboard)

Product Description Fully bleached uncoated white liner, also as fluting

ARCHIVAL APPLICATIONS

This product grade has been tested for suitability of archival board in direct contact with documents*. The results indicate that the product has good properties of inertness required for archival board.

This product complies with SS-EN ISO 16245:2010, Information and documentation – Boxes made from cellulosic materials, for storage of paper and parchment documents – Type B. To ensure this compliance, the product is tested as stated in SS-EN ISO 9706:1994. As paperboard has no standard for documentation, this standard for paper has been used for applicable parts as following:

- Tearing strength of this product is over the minimum stated in standard
- Alkali reserve of this product is over the minimum stated in standard
- · Resistance to oxidation: Kappa number of this product does not fulfil the standard
- pH-value of this product is in the specified range (acid-free)

*ISO 9706:1994 Information and documentation, Paper for documents, Requirements for permanence

*ISO 16245:2010 Information and documentation – Boxes made from cellulosic materials, for storage of paper and parchment documents – Type B

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