ACCS
AUSTRALIAN CARPET CLASSIFICATION SCHEME

Draft Minutes of a Meeting of the ACCS Panel held at the Carpet Institute of Australia, Level 1, 493 St Kilda Road, Melbourne on Wednesday, 30 April 2014 at 10 am.

Attendance

Geoff Robinson	Independent (Chairman)
Michael Boyd	Interface FLOR
Terry Brown	Colstran Carpet Court
Colin Crawford	Victoria Carpets
Jim Cullen	Godfrey Hirst Australia
Brendon Dacre	Beaulieu of Australia
Phil Leyland	Cavalier Bremworth NZ
Charles Szakiel	Independent
Mike Webb	APL Australia
Allan Firth	CIAL
Caroline Harris	CIAL

Guest

Ken Grace	EC Australia Goup

Apologies

Ian Benjamin	Aywon Carpet Contractors
Chris Leach	Tuftmaster
David Tidlesley	Northstate Carpets (Long service leave until July)

Minutes of Previous Meeting

The draft Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as a true record of the meeting and duly signed.

Grading of Submitted Carpet Qualities

A total of 21 carpets were submitted for grading (including 14 for ECS) and a further 2 for ECS certification.

Other Business

AWTA test reports had uncorrected surface pile mass figures. The Chairman asked the Secretary to check the ACCS guidelines and lab adjustments. The relevant standard is AS NZS 2111.4 – Determination of surface pile mass above the substrate - and the mandatory commercial allowances are: Wool and animal hair (16%), Nylon 6,6 and Nylon 6 (5.75%), Polyester discontinuous fibre (1.5%), Polyester filament (3%) and Polypropylene (2%).

Licensees will be offered a cut down version of the ACCS grading program.

Next Meeting

The next Panel meeting will be held at the Carpet Institute (Level 1, 493 St Kilda Rd, Melbourne 3004) on Wednesday 28/5/14 at 10am. There being no further business the meeting closed at 1pm.

Signed G Robinson Date 28/05/14