

LPS 1207 – An Explanation

What is LPS 1207?

LPS 1207 is the standard for Protective Covering Materials issued by the Loss Prevention Council with the support of The Association of British Insurers, The Chief and Assistant Chief Fire Officers Association and the London Fire Brigade.

Where the internal finished surfaces or fittings on a construction site are to be protected by flexible or rigid covering materials, these must conform to the requirements of the standard LPS 1207.

How do we know if a product meets LPS 1207?

The relevant approval mark together with the manufacturer's certificate number and the fact that the product satisfies LPS 1207 must be printed on the material.



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505a/01

All products which satisfy LPS 1207 must be marked with the LPCB logo and the certificate number of the product as shown here

If a temporary protection material is not marked with its LPCB certificate number, then it is simply not approved and does not meet the standard LPS 1207.

Who does the standard affect?

This standard affects the company who is responsible for the insurance of the project, even if the protection package has been handed over to a sub-contractor. Failure to comply with the standard could result in uninsured losses.