Commission Decision of 15 May 2002 establishing the ecological criteria for the award of the Community eco-label to textile products and amending Decision 1999/178/EC (notified under document number C(2002) 1844) (Text with EEA relevance) (2002/371/EC)

| Article 1 In order to be awarded the Community eco-label under Regulation | • |
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| Article 2 The product group 'textile products' shall comprise: Tex clothing and | extile |
| Article 3 For administrative purposes the code number assigned to product | to the |
| Article 4Article 3 of Decision 1999/178/EC is replaced by the foArticle 5The ecological criteria for the product group ' textile proArticle 6This Decision is addressed to the Member States. | |

ANNEX

FRAMEWORK

The aims of the criteria Assessment and verification requirements

CRITERIA

TEXTILE FIBRE CRITERIA

Assessment and verification:

- 1. Acrylic
- 2. Cotton and other natural cellulosic seed fibres (including kapok)
- 3. Elastane
- 4. Flax and other bast fibres (including hemp, jute, and ramie)... Assessment and verification:
- 5. Greasy wool and other keratin fibres (including wool from sheep,...
- 6. Man-made cellulose fibres (including viscose, lyocell, acetate, cupro, triacetate)
- 7. Polyamide
 - Assessment and verification:
- 8. Polyester
- 9. Polypropylene

Assessment and verification:

PROCESSES AND CHEMICALS CRITERIA

- 10. Auxiliaries and finishing agents for fibres and yarns
- 11. Biocidal or biostatic products
- 12. Stripping or depigmentation
 - Assessment and verification:
- 13. Weighting
 - Assessment and verification:
- 14. Auxiliary chemicals

Assessment and verification:

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- 15. Detergents, fabric softeners and complexing agents Assessment and verification:
- 16. Bleaching agents
- 17. Impurities in dyes
- 18. Impurities in pigments
- 19. Chrome mordant dyeing
- 20. Metal complex dyes.
- 21. Azo dyes
 - Assessment and verification:
- 22. Dyes that are carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic to reproduction
- 23. Potentially sensitising dyes
 - Assessment and verification:
- 24. Halogenated carriers for polyester
 - Assessment and verification:
- 25. Printing
- 26. Formaldehyde
 - Assessment and verification:
- 27. Waste water discharges from wet-processing
- 28. Flame retardants
 - Assessment and verification:
- 29. Shrink resistant finishes
 - Assessment and verification:
- 30. Finishes
 - Assessment and verification:
- 31. Fillings
- 32. Coatings, laminates and membranes
- 33. Energy and water use
 - Assessment and verification:
- FITNESS FOR USE CRITERIA
- 34. Dimensional changes during washing and drying Assessment and verification:
- 35. Colour fastness to washing
 - Assessment and verification:
- 36. Colour fastness to perspiration (acid, alkaline) Assessment and verification:
- 37. Colour fastness to wet rubbing
 - Assessment and verification:
- 38. Colour fastness to dry rubbing Assessment and verification:
- 39. Colour fastness to light
 - Assessment and verification:
- 40. Information appearing on the eco-label Assessment and verification:

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- (**1**) OJ L 237, 21.9.2000, p. 1.
- (**2**) OJ L 57, 5.3.1999, p. 21.
- (**3**) OJ L 31, 28.11.2001, p. 29.

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