YELLOW CARDS MOULDING MATERIALS

Layout of the Yellow card

UL approva	l class				I					Date of	publication of c	ion ard	
Manufacturer's name									S	erial nu of	mber card		
	QMFZ2 Component –	- Plastics	Oc	ctober 13, 1	1995, Ja	nuary 11,	1996						
	E I DUPONT DE NEMOURS & CO INC. DUPONT POLYMERS, ENGINEERING POLYM					IERS				E123598 (M) (A Card)			
	Mtl Dsg Co	Min Thk ol mm	UL94 Flame Class		Mech with Imp	RTI Mech w/o Imp	H W I		H V T R	D 4 9 5	C T I		
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Description of product reference-colour										Tra	acking re	esistence	
Minimum thickness for approval									A	Arc resistence High-voltage			
Temperature indices (• Ž 1. Electric 2. Mechanical with impact 3. Mechanical without impact									Ignition by electric arc Hot wire ignition				

Approval of engineering plastic

UL approval is generally essential before equipment can be sold in the United State. Approval tests on equipment are lengthy and expensive. The operation can however be greatly simplified if UL-approved materials, i.e. appearing on the yellow cards, are used. Engineering plastic manufacturers are therefore having an increasing number of materials approved, to make things easier for users.

Approval covers three aspects:

- flame class, governed by the UL 94 standard,
- temperature indices, governed by the UL 746 B standard,
- basic properties, determined under the UL 746 A standard.

The results are given for each material, in each colour, and for a specific thickness, which is the actual thickness of the specimen tested. This means that comparisons between materials are valid only if the thickness is the same.