

Textiles — Burning behaviour of bedding items —

Part 3: General test methods for the ignitability by a small open flame

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National foreword

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