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TO

UNIFORM FREIGHT CLASSIFICATION 6000-M

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ABBR	NAME OF RAIL CARRIER
BNSF	BNSF Railway Company [A-1]
BNSF	Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company, The [D-1]

ITEM 2.20-B

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[A-1] -Name changed pursuant to BNSF Adoption Notice 9000, effective January 24, 2005.
 [D-1] - Canceled – See [A-1] above.
 [PA] - Partial Amendment.

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RULE	SUBJECT	APPLICATION					
<p align="center">41 (Cancels 41 in original)</p>	<p align="center">CORRUGATED OR SOLID FIBREBOARD BOXES</p>	<p>SECTION 1. - (a) APPLICATION OF RATES. Subject to the provisions of Rule 5, and unless otherwise provided in the separate descriptions of articles, or in Agent C.L. Keller's Tariff No. BOE -6000-series referred to in Rule 39, the rates applying on articles "in boxes" will apply on the same articles in corrugated or solid fibreboard boxes complying with the minimum requirements of this rule.</p> <p>(b) INCREASED CHARGES - NON-CONFORMING BOXES. Unless otherwise provided in the separate descriptions of articles, when articles are tendered for transportation in fibreboard boxes and the requirements and specifications of this rule are not fully complied with, freight charges will be increased 20% AQ (any quantity) and 10% CL above the charges applicable on such shipments in boxes that do conform to the provisions of this rule.</p> <p>(c) USE OF OTHER THAN RULE 41 BOXES. Where the separate descriptions of articles provide for the use of fibreboard boxes which are different from those provided for in this rule, such provisions will also apply to those articles in such boxes when commodity tariffs or exceptions to the Classification provide that such articles may be shipped "in boxes" without further qualifications as to the construction of the boxes.</p> <p align="center">FIBREBOARD</p> <p>SECTION 2.-(a) CORRUGATED FIBREBOARD. Fibreboard boxes must be made of singlewall, doublewall or triplewall corrugated fibreboard having proper bending qualities, the facings being firmly glued to the corrugated medium at all points of contact and the outer facing having water resistance.</p> <p>(b) SOLID FIBREBOARD. Fibreboard boxes must be made of 3-ply or more solid fibreboard having proper bending qualities, all plies being firmly glued together and outer ply being water resistant, except when maximum weight of box and contents does not exceed 40 pounds, boxes may be made of two ply solid fibreboard.</p> <p align="center">BOX SPECIFICATIONS</p> <p>SECTION 3. - MAXIMUM SIZE AND WEIGHT - MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS. Boxes must comply with the burst, puncture or edge crush test and other requirements shown below. (See Note 4).</p>					
		Maximum Weight of Box and Contents (lbs)	Maximum Outside Dimensions (Length, Width and Depth Added) (inches) (See Note 3)	Minimum Combined Weight of Facings, Including Center Facing(s) of Doublewall and Triplewall Board (lbs per 1,000 sq ft) (See Note 2)	Minimum Bursting Test, Singlewall, Doublewall or Solid Fibreboard (psi) (See Note 1, Para. (a))	Minimum Edge Crush Test (ECT) (lbs per inch width) (See Note 1, Para. (c) and Note 2)	
				Minimum Combined Weight of Plies, Solid Fibreboard, Excluding Adhesives (lbs per 1,000 sq ft)	Minimum Puncture Test Triplewall Board (inch oz per inch of tear) (See Note 1, Para. (b)).		
		SINGLEWALL CORRUGATED FIBREBOARD BOXES					
		20	40	52	125	23	
		35	50	66	150	26	
		50	60	75	175	29	
		65	75	84	200	32	
		80	85	111	250	40	
		95	95	138	275	44	
		120	105	180	350	55	
		DOUBLEWALL CORRUGATED FIBREBOARD BOXES					
		80	85	92	200	42	
		100	95	110	275	48	
		120	105	126	350	51	
140	110	180	400	61			
160	115	222	500	71			
180	120	270	600	82			
TRIPLEWALL CORRUGATED FIBREBOARD BOXES							
240	110	168	700	67			
260	115	222	900	80			
280	120	264	1100	90			
300	125	360	1300	112			
SOLID FIBREBOARD BOXES							
20	40	114	125	...			
40	60	149	175	...			
65	75	190	200	...			
90	90	237	275	...			
120	100	283	350	...			

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<p align="center">41 (Continued) (Cancels 41 in original)</p>	<p align="center">CORRUGATED OR SOLID FIBREBOARD BOXES</p>	<p>SECTION 3 - CONCLUDED: NOTE 1. TEST PROCEDURES: (a) BURST TEST: (1) Tests to determine compliance with the bursting test requirements must be conducted in accordance with Technical Association of Pulp and Paper Industry (TAPPI), Official Test Method T-810. (2) A minimum of six bursts must be made, three from each side of the board, and only one burst test will be permitted to fall below the specified minimum value. Board failing to pass the foregoing test will be accepted if in a re-test consisting of 24 bursts, 12 from each side of the board, not more than four burst tests fall below the specified minimum value. (b) PUNCTURE TEST: (1) Tests to determine compliance with the puncture test requirements must be conducted in accordance with Technical Association of Pulp and Paper Industry (TAPPI), Official Test Method T-803. (2) A minimum of four puncture tests must be made and only one puncture test will be permitted to fall below the specified minimum value. (c) EDGE CRUSH TEST: (1) Tests to determine compliance with the edge crush must be conducted in accordance with Technical Association of Pulp and Paper Industry (TAPPI), Official Test Method T-811, A or B. (2) A minimum of six tests must be made and only one test is permitted to fall below the specified minimum value, and that one test cannot fall below the specified minimum value by more than 10%. Board failing to pass the foregoing will be accepted if in a re-test consisting of 24 tests, not more than four tests fall below the specified minimum value, and none of those tests fall below the specified minimum value by more than 10%. NOTE 2. The minimum combined weight of facings specified in this table do not apply in connection with board complying with the minimum edge crush test. Any combination of facings is authorized, providing the basis weights of facings in combination with corrugated medium(s) is sufficient to produce corrugated fibreboard that will comply with applicable minimum edge crush requirements. NOTE 3. SIZE EXTENSION FORMULA. If weight of box and contents is less than the maximum weight shown, the maximum outside dimensions for the box may be increased half the percentage that the actual weight is less than the maximum weight specified. See Section 10, Note 3. NOTE 4. ALTERNATE REQUIREMENTS. Where rules, commodity descriptions and numbered packages specify boxes, containers, trays and component parts thereof to be made of corrugated fibreboard having a minimum bursting or puncture test as shown in Column A below, boxes, containers, trays and component parts thereof may be made of corrugated fibreboard having a minimum edge crush test as shown in Column B below. These alternate provisions will exempt basis weight requirements.</p>	
		<p>Column A Minimum Bursting Test Singlewall and Doublewall Board (psi)</p>	<p>Column B Minimum Edge Crush Test (lbs per inch width)</p>
		<p>Minimum Puncture Test Triplewall Board (inch oz per inch of tear)</p>	
		<p>Singlewall 125 Singlewall 150 Singlewall 175 Singlewall 200 Singlewall 250 Singlewall 275 Singlewall 350 Doublewall 200 Doublewall 275 Doublewall 350 Doublewall 400 Doublewall 500 Doublewall 600 Triplewall 700 Triplewall 900 Triplewall 1100 Triplewall 1300</p>	<p>23 26 29 32 40 44 55 42 48 51 61 71 82 67 80 90 112</p>

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<p align="center">41 (Continued) (Cancels 41 in original)</p>	<p align="center">CORRUGATED OR SOLID FIBREBOARD BOXES</p>	<p align="center">BOX STYLES</p> <p>SECTION 4. - The following are descriptions of general styles of fibreboard boxes:</p> <p>(a) CONVENTIONAL SLOTTED BOXES, INCLUDING END LOADING BOXES: Box is manufactured from one piece of fibreboard which is scored and slotted to form a body having flaps for closing on each of two opposite faces. Lengthwise flaps either meet or overlap and inner flaps may meet depending on the particular style of box. (RSC, CSSC, OSC, CSO, FOL and SFF). Slotted style boxes are also assembled from more than one piece of fibreboard and have only one closing face.</p> <p>(b) TELESCOPE BOXES:</p> <p>(1) Full telescope box consists of body and cover sections of equal depth, cover extending to bottom. (FTHS and FTD)</p> <p>(2) Partial telescope box consists of a body and cover sections of unequal depth. Cover section must extend over sides of bottom section not less than two-thirds the depth of the bottom section. (PTHS and PTD)</p> <p>(c) BOXES WITH COVERS:</p> <p>(1) Single cover box consists of body and cover sections, the cover section extending over sides of body section less than two-thirds the depth of the body. (HSC and DSC)</p> <p>(2) Double cover box consists of a joined tube (body) and top and bottom covers, the covers extending over sides of body. (DC)</p> <p>(3) Interlocking cover box consists of joined tube (body) with top and bottom 3 inch flanges and top and bottom covers having flanges which interlock with flanges of tube. (IC)</p> <p>(d) SLIDE STYLE BOXES: Box consists of snugly fitting telescope tubes, the outer tube being joined.</p> <p>(1) Double slide or single lined slide box consists of two tubes arranged to provide at least one thickness of fibreboard on all six surfaces. (DS)</p> <p>(2) Triple slide or double lined slide box consists of three tubes arranged to provide at least two thicknesses of fibreboard on all six surfaces. (TS)</p> <p>(e) FOLDERS: Box consists of one or more cut and scored pieces which provide an unbroken outer bottom surface. Lengthwise outer flaps must meet or overlap.</p> <p>(1) One piece folder is constructed from a single piece of fibreboard. (1PF)</p> <p>(2) Two piece folder is constructed from two rectangular pieces of fibreboard which provide a double thickness of fibreboard at the bottom. (2PF)</p> <p>(3) Three piece folder is constructed from three rectangular pieces of fibreboard. (3PF)</p> <p>(f) FIVE PANEL FOLDER: Box is formed from a single cut and scored piece of fibreboard so as to provide an unbroken single thickness of fibreboard on three of the six surfaces and usually a double thickness on the remaining three surfaces of the box. (FPF)</p> <p>(g) RECESSED END BOXES: Box is assembled from a scored body sheet and two flanged end pieces forming recessed ends secured to body with staples spaced not more than 2 inches apart.</p> <p align="center">MANUFACTURERS' JOINT (See Note)</p> <p>SECTION 5. - (a) SINGLEWALL OR DOUBLEWALL CORRUGATED FIBREBOARD: Boxes must have manufacturers' joints formed by lapping the sides of the box forming the joint not less than 1 1/4 inches and fastening the joint by one of the following methods:</p> <p>(1) With metal staples or stitches spaced not more than 2 1/2 inches apart, except that staples or stitches must be spaced not more than 1 inch apart when weight of box and contents is 140 pounds or more.</p> <p>(2) By firmly gluing the joint throughout the entire area of contact with a water resistant adhesive.</p> <p>(3) By fitting abutting edges forming joint close together and securing with sealing strips firmly glued to the box and extending the entire length of the joint. Sealing strips must be of sufficient strength that rupture of the joint occurs with fibre failure of one or more of the facings.</p> <p>(i) Sealing strips for boxes not exceeding 65 pounds gross weight or for two complete singlewall corrugated boxes must be not less than 2 inches wide and must be of not less than 60 pounds per 3000 square feet basis weight and having a bursting strength of not less than 60 psi. Sealing strips may be reinforced with glass fibres or other natural or synthetic fibres.</p> <p>(ii) Sealing strips for boxes exceeding 65 pounds gross weight, excepting two complete singlewall corrugated fibre boxes, must be of two or more plies, not less than three inches wide, of not less than 150 pounds per 3000 square feet basis weight and have a bursting strength of not less than 150 psi. Lesser basis weight is permissible if the sealing strips are reinforced with glass fibres or other natural or synthetic fibres. All plies must be firmly glued together.</p> <p>(b) TRIPLEWALL CORRUGATED FIBREBOARD: Boxes must have manufacturers' joints secured by one of the following methods:</p> <p>(1) By lapping the sides of the box forming the joint not less than two inches and fastening the joint with metal staples or stitches spaced not more than one inch apart. Both sides of the joint must be crush-rolled in the area of contact before stapling or stitching.</p> <p>(2) By lapping the sides of the box forming the joint not less than three inches and firmly gluing the joint throughout the entire area of contact with glue or adhesive which cannot be dissolved in water after the film application has been dried under pressure.</p>

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41 (Continued) (Cancels 41 in original)	CORRUGATED OR SOLID FIBREBOARD BOXES	<p>SECTION 5 - Concluded:</p> <p>(c) SOLID FIBREBOARD: Boxes must have manufacturers' joints secured by one of the following methods:</p> <p>(1) By lapping the sides of the box forming the joint not less than 1 1/4 inches and fastening the joint with metal staples or stitches spaced not more than 3 inches apart. When length of joint exceeds 18 inches, staples or stitches must be spaced not more than 2 1/2 inches apart.</p> <p>(2) By lapping the sides of the box forming the joint not less than 2 inches with extensions of the lap not less than 3 inches beyond the top and bottom score lines and firmly gluing the joint throughout the entire area of contact with a water resistant adhesive.</p> <p>NOTE - The provisions of Section 5 also apply to joints effected on wrap-around blanks by processors other than blank manufacturers.</p> <p>GLASSWARE, FRAGILE ARTICLES, OR ARTICLES IN GLASS OR EARTHENWARE</p> <p>SECTION 6. - (a) GLASSWARE AND FRAGILE ARTICLES. Glassware, other fragile articles, and empty glass or earthenware containers must be packed in compliance with the following:</p> <p>(1) Maximum weight of box and contents must not exceed 65 pounds.</p> <p>(2) Fragile articles and empty glass containers must be packed in the box with liners, partitions, wrappers, excelsior or other protective material that will afford adequate protection against breakage and damage, and so that the contents will completely fill the box.</p> <p>(3) Chinaware, earthenware or glassware, not including glass containers and articles in glass and earthenware containers, packed in fibreboard boxes complying with Rule 41, must be capable of withstanding the drop test procedure of American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) Test Standard D-4169, Element A, Assurance Level III without damage to contents.</p> <p>(b) ARTICLES IN GLASS OR EARTHENWARE CONTAINERS. Packaging must comply with the provisions of Sub-paragraphs (1) through (11) of this paragraph and the minimum packaging requirements of Paragraphs (c), (d), (e), (f) and (g).</p> <p>(1) Maximum weight of boxes containing filled glass or earthenware containers must not exceed 65 pounds.</p> <p>(2) Contents must be packed so as to completely fill the box.</p> <p>(3) Liquids, articles in liquid and articles other than liquid in individual glass or earthenware containers exceeding one gallon or 4 liter capacity will not be accepted in fibreboard boxes.</p> <p>(4) Net weights of products specified in Paragraph (c) are avoirdupois ounces.</p> <p>(5) Singlewall corrugated fibreboard boxes, partitions, shells, liners and pads must be of A or C-flute construction, except containers having net weight of products not exceeding 35 ounces may have such components made of B-flute corrugated fibreboard and containers having net weight of products not exceeding 25 ounces may have partitions of E-flute corrugated fibreboard.</p> <p>(6) Doublewall corrugated fibreboard may have any combination of A, B or C-flute.</p> <p>(7) (Provisions formerly shown herein and not brought forward are hereby canceled.)</p> <p>(8) Partitions in boxes must be not less than full shoulder height of glass or earthenware containers.</p> <p>(9) Shells must be full inside height of box and each glass or earthenware container must be protected by individual shells.</p> <p>(10) Except as otherwise provided, all bottom pads must be full size of bottom dimensions of boxes.</p> <p>(11) Glass or earthenware containers must be in single layer in boxes.</p> <p>(c) MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS. Filled glass or earthenware containers for liquids, articles in liquid and articles other than liquid must comply with the following minimum requirements:</p>										
		Net Weight of product each container avoirdupois ounces		Use Only One Requirement in Each Column				Alternate Methods	Box see 6(e)	Separators see 6(e)	Bottom Protection see 6(f)	Liners see 6(g)
		Not over 7	...	1	11					
		Over 7 but not over 25	...	1	12, 14, 15, 21 or 22					
		Over 25 but not over 35	...	1	13, 15, 18 or 22	31, 32, 33, 36 or 37	...					
		Over 35 but not over 45	...	2	16 or 19	31, 32 or 34	...					
		Over 45 but not over 90	Method 1 Method 2	2 2	17 19	31, 32 or 34 31, 32 or 34	41 ...					
		Over 90 but not over 145	Method 1 Method 2 Method 3	2 3 2	19 17 23	34 31 or 32					
		Over 145 but not over 192	...	2	20	34	...					
		Over 192	...	2	20	35	...					

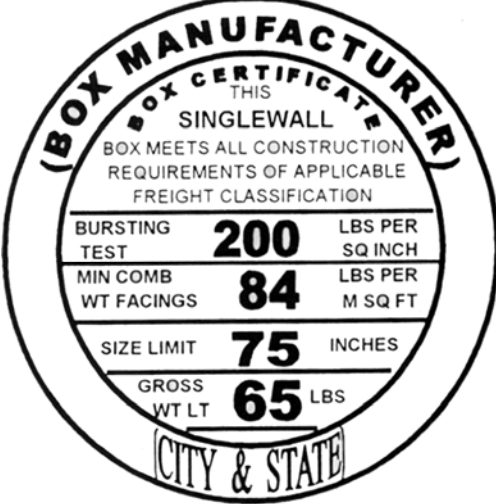
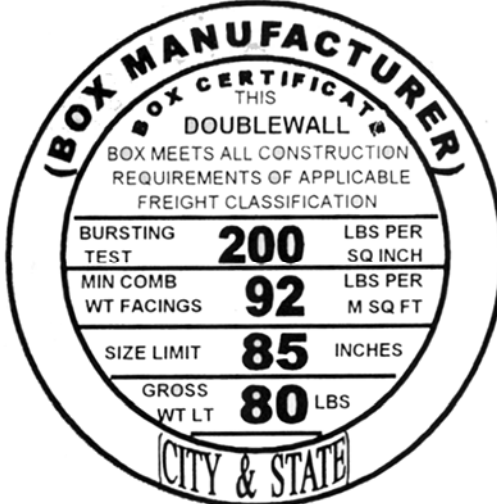
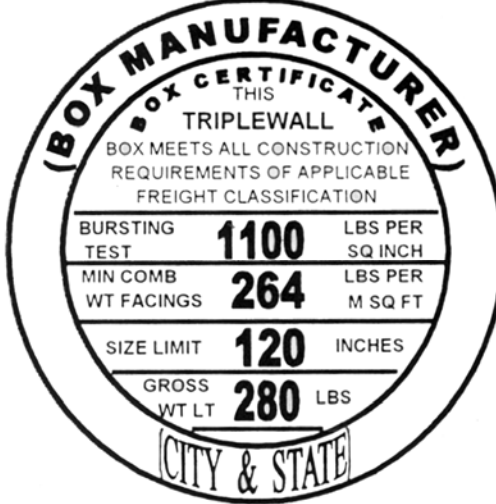

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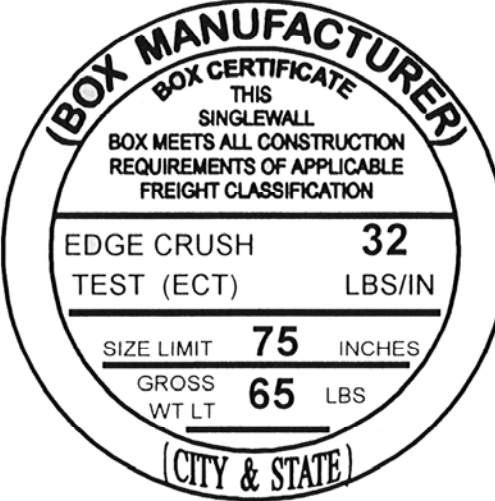
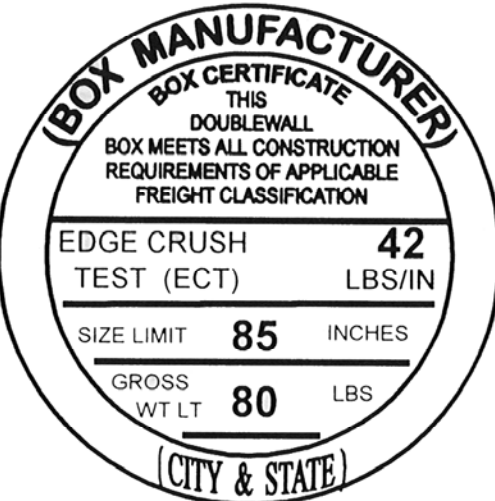
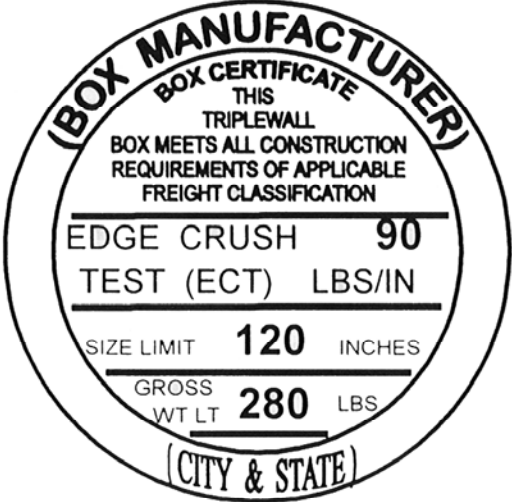
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		For Singlewall Boxes	For Doublewall Boxes
			
		For Triplewall Boxes	
		<p>NOTE 1. REDUCED DIAMETER FOR SMALL BOXES - On boxes having a length of less than 10 inches or a width of less than 9 inches, the above certificates may be reduced in size so that outside diameter is not less than 2 inches.</p> <p>NOTE 2. BOXES OR NUMBERED PACKAGES MADE IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES. - Fibreboard boxes complying with the provisions of this rule, or numbered packages authorized on page 101 and succeeding pages of this Classification, which are made in foreign countries and used for freight imported into the United States of America, need not bear a certificate, or certificate may be printed in the language of the country in which the box or numbered package is made, provided shipper certifies on bills of lading that the boxes comply with Rule 41 or the appropriate numbered package.</p>	

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<p align="center">41 (Continued) (Cancels 41 in original)</p>	<p align="center">CORRUGATED OR SOLID FIBREBOARD BOXES</p>	<p>SECTION 10. - Concluded: (a) BOXES. - Concluded: NOTE 3. SIZE EXTENSION FORMULA. - For boxes made to comply with Note 3 of Section 3, the "Size Limit" and "Gross Wt. Limit" may be omitted from the certificate and below the certificate must be printed "Size Extension Formula". (b) NUMBERED PACKAGES. (1) Numbered packages authorized on page 101 and succeeding pages of this Classification which contain provisions specifying boxes, containers, trays and component parts thereof to be made of fibreboard complying with the burst test, puncture test or edge crush test and other requirements of Section 3 of this rule, must bear a legible certificate of box manufacturer on an outside surface, in the form, size (2 inches x 3 1/2 inches, plus or minus 1/4 inch), type and wording as illustrated in either Sub-paragraphs (2) or (3). City and state may be either that of the manufacturing or corporate location. Where numbered packages specify different tests of fibreboard for bodies and caps, test of body need only be shown. (See Notes 2 and 4). (2) Example of certificate applicable to numbered packages containing provisions requiring compliance with burst or puncture test:</p> <div data-bbox="618 535 1385 900" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>PACKAGE CERTIFICATE</p> <p>THIS BOX MEETS ALL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS OF APPLICABLE FREIGHT CLASSIFICATION</p> <p>FOR PACKAGE NO. BURSTING TEST LBS PER SQ. IN.</p> <p> 000 000</p> <p>(BOX MANUFACTURER) (CITY & STATE)</p> </div> <p>(3) Example of certificate applicable to numbered packages containing provisions requiring compliance with the edge crush test:</p> <div data-bbox="618 1012 1385 1358" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>PACKAGE CERTIFICATE</p> <p>THIS BOX MEETS ALL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS OF APPLICABLE FREIGHT CLASSIFICATION</p> <p>FOR PACKAGE NO. EDGE CRUSH LBS/IN</p> <p> 000 000</p> <p>(BOX MANUFACTURER) (CITY & STATE)</p> </div> <p>NOTE 4. When numbered package has a length of less than 10 inches or a width less than 9 inches, certificate may be reduced in size, but outside dimensions must be not less than 2 1/4 x 1 1/4 inches.</p>

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RULE	SUBJECT	APPLICATION
<p align="center">41 (Continued) (Cancels 41 in original)</p>	<p align="center">CORRUGATED OR SOLID FIBREBOARD BOXES</p>	<p align="center">DEFINITION OF TERMS</p> <p>SECTION 11. - The following definitions apply with regard to the construction and use of fibreboard boxes, numbered packages and component parts thereof:</p> <p>Bending - In the term "proper bending qualities" - the containerboard must be capable of bending along creases or score lines in forming the box so that the containerboard is not ruptured to a point where it seriously weakens the box.</p> <p>Box - (see also Fibreboard Box) - A rigid container having closed faces and completely enclosing the contents. When this term is used in the Classification it signifies that if fibreboard boxes are used, such fibreboard boxes must comply with all requirements of Rule 41.</p> <p>Box Manufacturer - A corrugated or solid fibre box manufacturing establishment which at least has equipment to score, slot, print and join corrugated or solid fibre sheets into boxes which equipment is regularly utilized in the production of fibre boxes in commercial quantities.</p> <p>Bursting Strength - Strength of a material expressed in pounds per square inch as measured by the Mullen tester (see Section 3, Note 1(a)).</p> <p>Corrugated Board - A structure formed from one or more paperboard facings and one or more corrugated members used in making corrugated fibreboard boxes and products:</p> <p>Singleface - The structure formed by one corrugated member glued to one flat facing.</p> <p>Singlewall - The structure formed by one corrugated inner member glued between two flat facings.</p> <p>Doublewall - The structure formed by three flat facings and two intermediate corrugated members.</p> <p>Triplewall - The structure formed by four flat facings and three intermediate corrugated members.</p> <p>Corrugating Medium - Paperboard used in forming the fluted portion of the corrugated board.</p> <p>Corrugation - (See Flute).</p> <p>Die-Cut - A cut made with steel rule dies. The act of making a part or container which is cut and scored to shape by such tools. Also used to denote a board which has been die cut.</p> <p>Dimensions:</p> <p>Length - The larger of the two dimensions of the open face.</p> <p>Width - The lesser of the two dimensions of the open face.</p> <p>Depth - The distance between the innermost surfaces of the box measured perpendicular to the length and width.</p> <p>Edge Crush Test - (Also known as Edgewise Compression Test or Short Column Crush Test) – The measure of the edgewise compressive strength of a short column of corrugated fibreboard. This property, in combination with the caliper of the combined board and the perimeter of the container relates to the top-to-bottom compressive strength of corrugated fibreboard boxes (see Section 3, Note 1(c)).</p> <p>Facings - (Sometimes erroneously called liners) - A form of linerboard used as the flat members of corrugated fibreboard.</p> <p>Fibre or Fibreboard Box - A container made of either corrugated or solid fibreboard. For Classification purposes, when term "box" is used, the structure must comply with all requirements of Rule 41.</p> <p>Flaps - The closing members of a fibreboard box.</p> <p>Flute or Corrugation - One of the wave shapes formed in the corrugating medium.</p> <p>Glued (firmly) - Firm gluing is indicated when mutilation of the surface fibres accompanies separation of joined areas.</p> <p>Joint - (Manufacturers' Joint) - The "joint" is that part of the box where the ends of the sheet are joined together by taping, stitching or gluing.</p> <p>Liner - A creased fibreboard sheet inserted in a container and covering all side walls.</p> <p>Package - (When referring to a fibreboard container) - A container not necessarily complying with the requirements of Rule 41 for a "box", (See Section 1(c), Rule 5). Also, one of the special authorized containers described in detail in the Classification in the section titled "Authorized Packages or Shipping Containers".</p> <p>Pad - A corrugated or solid fibreboard sheet or other authorized material used for extra protection or for separating tiers or layers of articles when packed for shipment.</p> <p>Partition - A set of corrugated or solid fibreboard pieces slotted so they interlock when assembled to form a number of cells into which articles may be placed for shipment.</p> <p>Ply - Any of the several layers of solid fibreboard.</p> <p>Puncture Test - The strength of material expressed in inch ounces per inch of tear as measured by the Beach puncture tester (See Section 3, Note 1(b)).</p> <p>Seam - The junction created by any free edge of a container flap or wall where it abuts or rests on another portion of the container and to which it may be fastened by tape, stitches or adhesive in the process of closing the container.</p> <p>Shell - A sheet of corrugated or solid fibreboard scored and folded to form a joined or unjoined tube open at both ends.</p> <p>Shipping container - A container which is sufficiently strong to be used in commerce for packing, storing and shipping commodities.</p> <p>Solid Fibreboard - A solid board made by laminating two or more plies of containerboard.</p> <p>Water Resistant - A board, to be water resistant, shall be sized (treated with water repellent materials) so as to have a degree of resistance to damage or deterioration by water.</p> <p>Weight of Facings - (Minimum combined, of corrugated board.) - This is the summation of weight per thousand square feet of all facings in the board structure excluding the weight of coatings and impregnants and excluding the weight of the corrugating medium and the corrugating adhesive.</p>