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IRISH STANDARD

**PLASTICS - DETERMINATION OF RESISTANCE TO
ENVIRONMENTAL STRESS CRACKING (ESC) - BENT
STRIP METHOD (ISO 4599:1986)**

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DECLARATION

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PLASTICS - DETERMINATION OF RESISTANCE TO ENVIRONMENTAL STRESS

CRACKING (ESC) - BENT STRIP METHOD (ISO 4599:1986)

AS

THE IRISH STANDARD SPECIFICATION FOR

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NSAI in exercise of the power conferred by section 16 (3) of the National Standards Authority of Ireland Act, 1996 (No. 28 of 1996) and with the consent of the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment, hereby declares as follows:

1. This instrument may be cited as the Standard Specification (Plastics - Determination of resistance to environmental stress cracking (ESC) - Bent strip method (ISO 4599:1986) Declaration, 1997.

2. (1) The Specification set forth in the Schedule to this declaration is hereby declared to be the standard specification for Plastics - Determination of resistance to environmental stress cracking (ESC) - Bent strip method (ISO 4599:1986). The Schedule comprises the text of EN ISO 4599:1996.

(2) The said standard specification may be cited as Irish Standard EN ISO 4599:1997 or as I.S. EN ISO 4599:1997.

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**Plastics - Determination of resistance to
environmental stress cracking (ESC) - Berit strip
method (ISO 4599:1986)**

Plastiques - Détermination de la fissuration
sous contrainte dans un environnement donné
(ESC) - Méthode de l'éprouvette courbée
(ISO 4599:1986)

Kunststoffe - Bestimmung der Beständigkeit
gegen umgebungsbedingte Spannungsrißbildung
(ESC) - Biegestreifenverfahren (ISO 4599:1986)

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Foreword

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