Title (en)

A SURFACE COVERING BACKING CONTAINING POLYMERIC MICROSPHERES AND PROCESSES OF MAKING THE SAME

Title (de)

BODENBELAG MIT EINER POLYMERE MIKROKUGELN ENTHALTENDEN RÜCKSCHICHT UND VERFAHREN ZU SEINER HERSTELLUNG

Title (fr)

ENVERS DE REVETEMENT DE SURFACE, CONTENANT DES MICROSPHERES POLYMERES, ET PROCEDES DE FABRICATION CORRESPONDANT

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[origin: WO9935327A2] A secondary backing for surface coverings is disclosed which comprises at least one thermoplastic material optionally having polymeric microspheres dispersed therein. A textile substrate comprising a primary backing with textile fibers extending upwardly from the backing and forming a surface and the above-described secondary backing attached thereto is also described. Methods of making the textile substrate and the secondary backing which can be foam or hardback are also described. Also described is a resilient surface covering, such as vinyl flooring, using the secondary backing of the present invention in one or more layers.

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