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(54) **Dye-receiving element for thermal dye sublimation transfer.**

(57) Dye-receiving element for use according to thermal dye sublimation transfer comprising a support having on one side a dye-receiving layer and, optionally on the other side a backcoat layer, said support carrying on at least one side a subbing layer comprising a copolyester formed by polycondensation of at least one aromatic dicarboxylic acid and at least one aliphatic diol, wherein said copolyester further comprises at least one comonomer having at least one sulfonate group in the acid and/or alkalimetal salt form.

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