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FOREWORD

This standard was approved by the Sectoral Committee on Chemical and Polymer Technology and was authorized for adoption and publication as a Sri Lanka Standard by the Council of the Sri Lanka Standards Institution on 2009-07-23.

Crayons and pastels are two widely used items intended for drawing. This specification was first published in 1987 and first revised in 2001. This is the Second Revision to SLS 777 for crayons and pastels. In this Second Revision, the requirements for additional colours other than basic colours have been excluded when a container contains more than 6 sticks. A general exclusion list for dyes and colourants of crayon and pastels has been included. The limits for toxic substances content and transverse breaking force have been altered.

For the purpose of deciding whether a particular requirement of this specification is complied with, the final value, observed or calculated, expressing the results of a test or analysis, shall be rounded off in accordance with **SLS 102**. The number of significant places retained in the rounded off value shall be the same as that of the specified value in this specification.

In the preparation of this specification, the assistance derived from the following publications is gratefully acknowledged:

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| ISO | 8124 - 3 : 1997 | International Standard for Safety of toys Part 3 : Migration of certain elements |
| JIS S | 6026 : 2001 | Japanese Industrial Standard for Crayons and oil pastels |
| KS G | 2613 : 1979 | Korean Industrial Standard - Crayon and Oil Pastels |
| SANS | 223 : 2006 | South African National Standard - Writing equipment- Coloured chalks and pastels |
| Munsell book of colour; glossary finish collections, 1976 edition | | |

1 SCOPE

1.1 This specification prescribes requirements, methods of sampling and tests for crayons and pastels used for drawing purposes.

1.2 The crayons and pastels used for marking on timber and fabrics are not covered by this specification.

1.3 Pastel pencils and water-soluble pastels are not covered by this specification.