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FOREWORD

This Malaysian Standard Code was prepared by the Technical Committee on Flooring Practice under the authority of the Codes of Practice Standards Committee. This code is in the metric equivalents and the corresponding actual imperial unit values are given in the brackets.

This code sets out:

- (a) Precautions to be taken before laying operations commence,
- (b) The preparation and treatment of the various types of sub-floors, and
- (c) The laying procedure to be used when applying the flooring material to the floor.

The code is presented in such a manner that it may be used by architects, designers and others as a means of specifying how the flooring should be laid.

In the preparation of this Code the Technical Committee gives close attention and due consideration to the technical contents of CA37 : 1966.