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BRIEF HISTORY

The ISO Recommendation R 291, *Plastics — Standard Atmospheres for Conditioning and Testing*, was drawn up by Technical Committee ISO/TC 61, *Plastics*, the Secretariat of which is held by the American Standards Association, Inc. (ASA).

Work on this question by the Technical Committee began in 1951 and led, in 1958, to the adoption of a Draft ISO Recommendation.

In October 1959, this Draft ISO Recommendation (No. 316) was circulated to all the ISO Member Bodies for enquiry. It was approved by the following Member Bodies:

Argentina	Germany	Poland
Australia	Hungary	Portugal
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Belgium	Israel	Spain
Burma	Italy	Sweden
Chile	Japan	Switzerland
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No Member Body opposed the approval of the Draft.

The Draft ISO Recommendation was then submitted by correspondence to the ISO Council, which decided, in February 1963, to accept it as an ISO RECOMMENDATION.