

# *Indian Standard*

## SPECIFICATION FOR BRUSHES, SHAVING

### 0. FOREWORD

**0.1** This Indian Standard ( First Revision ) was adopted by the Indian Standards Institution on 30 April 1986, after the draft finalized by the Brushware Sectional Committee had been approved by the Chemical Division Council.

**0.2** Shaving brushes constitute an item of everyday use. It is also required by the Defence Services in sufficient quantity. In the preparation of this standard, the Committee had freely drawn upon the experience of all interests concerned and had derived considerable help from IND/GS/1487 (a)-1971 'Brushes, shaving' issued by the Ministry of Defence, Government of India.

**0.3** This standard was first published in 1968. In the initial specification, the shape and design for the shaving brushes have been left open to the choice of the buyers and the manufacturers. The scope for the change in the pattern of the shaving brushes tends for the change in the behaviour of the brushes in use. This is a factor leading to the confusion of the consumers for their correct selection of the brushes. The object of the standardization would be defeated if a very wide range of product shapes and designs are left open.

**0.3.1** An illustration showing details about the composition of the brushes has been included in this revision to meet the material requirements of the brushes and to give a clear-cut conception about the shape and design of the brushes as well as to approach towards fulfilment of the aim of standardization.

### 1. SCOPE

**1.1** This standard prescribes the requirements and the methods of sampling and test for shaving brushes manufactured from nylon monofilaments or bristles.

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\*Rules for rounding off numerical values (*revised*).