Pre-Shipment Inspection Report

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VERDICT: CONDITIONAL PASS — do not release balance until items 4.1 and 4.2 are resolved

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1. Engagement

Client	Specimen Buyer Ltd, Manchester, United Kingdom
Supplier	Örnek Mobilya San. ve Tic. A.■. (fictional)
Site inspected	Organize Sanayi Bölgesi, Bursa, Türkiye
Product	Oak veneer 4-drawer chest, model SB-440, natural finish
Purchase order	PO-2026-1188, dated 14 June 2026
Order quantity	1,800 units
Order value	€64,800 (EXW)
Scheduled ship date	19 August 2026
Inspection date	12 August 2026, 09:10 – 16:40
Inspector	BuyerSide Türkiye — engaged and paid by the client only
Standard applied	ISO 2859-1, General Inspection Level II
AQL agreed in PO	Critical 0 · Major 2.5 · Minor 4.0

2. Sampling

Production was confirmed complete and packed prior to attendance. Units were drawn at random across four pallet stacks in two locations of the finished goods area. Sampling was witnessed by the factory quality supervisor.

Parameter	Agreed	Found	Result
Batch size	1,800	1,800 (reconciled)	Pass
Sample size (Level II)	125	125	Pass
Critical defects	0 allowed	0	Pass
Major defects	accept 7 / reject 8	6	Pass
Minor defects	accept 10 / reject 11	9	Pass

Sampling result: the batch is within the agreed AQL limits. The conditional verdict on the front page arises from the two specification deviations in section 4, which fall outside the sampling plan and require a commercial decision by the client.

3. Quantity and packing

Check	Reference	Observed	Result
Cartons present	1,800	1,800	Pass
Units per carton	1	1	Pass
Carton board	Double-wall, ECT 44	Double-wall, ECT 44 (printed)	Pass
Corner protection	EPS corners, 4 per unit	4 per unit	Pass

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Check	Reference	Observed	Result
Barcode scan test	20 cartons	20 of 20 scanned correctly	Pass
Shipping marks	Per PO annex C	Correct	Pass
Fittings pack contents	10 units opened	10 of 10 complete	Pass

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4. Findings requiring a client decision

4.1 Moisture content above specified range

Classification	Specification deviation — outside sampling plan
Specified	8–10% at time of packing (PO clause 6.2)
Measured	11.4% – 12.1% across 12 readings, 6 units, calibrated pin meter
Photographs	P-07 to P-12
Risk	Shrinkage and glue-line separation in centrally heated interiors, typically 4–8 weeks after delivery. Not visible on arrival.
Options	(a) hold for further kiln conditioning, approx. 6–9 days, ship date moves; (b) accept with a written supplier warranty extension; (c) accept with price adjustment.

4.2 Drawer runner brand substituted

Classification	Specification deviation — outside sampling plan
Specified	Named soft-close runner, PO annex B, brand and model stated
Found	Unbranded equivalent fitted on all units inspected (14 of 14 opened)
Photographs	P-13 to P-18, including runner underside
Supplier statement	Supplier states the specified brand was unavailable and the substitution was communicated by telephone. The client reports no record of approval.
Risk	Cycle life and soft-close retention are the principal wear points on this product. Not testable on site.
Options	(a) replace runners before shipment, approx. 4 days; (b) accept with price adjustment; (c) reject.

5. Defects recorded within the sampling plan

Ref	Defect	Class	Qty in sample	Photo
D-01	Edge banding lifted at rear left corner	Major	2	P-19
D-02	Lacquer run on top surface, visible in normal use	Major	2	P-20
D-03	Drawer front gap 4.1 mm against 3.0 mm tolerance	Major	2	P-21
D-04	Minor colour variation between drawer fronts, same unit	Minor	4	P-22
D-05	Dust inclusion in finish, rear panel	Minor	3	P-23
D-06	Assembly instruction sheet creased	Minor	2	P-24

6. Assembled sample check

One unit was assembled on site in the presence of the factory quality supervisor. The carcass squared correctly, all four drawers ran without binding, and the fittings pack was complete. Assembly time 22 minutes using the supplied instructions.

7. Loading readiness

Goods ready	Yes, 100% produced and packed
Realistic ship date	Achievable as scheduled if item 4.1 is accepted as-is; moves to approximately 25 August if reconditioning is instructed
Loading supervision	Not yet booked. Recommended: 1 × 40'HC, multi-SKU risk low, crush risk moderate given stack height

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8. Recommendation

Do not release the balance payment until items 4.1 and 4.2 have been resolved in writing. Both are commercial decisions rather than quality failures, and both are materially cheaper to settle now than after shipment. If the client elects to accept the goods as they stand, that instruction will be recorded as the client's decision and not as a finding of this report.

9. Declaration

BuyerSide Türkiye was engaged and paid by the client named in section 1. No commission, rebate, discount, gift, hospitality, travel or benefit of any kind has been solicited, accepted or received from the supplier, from any agent of the supplier, or from any third party connected with this order, in accordance with Clause 4.2 of the engagement contract. Third-party costs, if any, are invoiced at documented cost with receipts attached and without mark-up.

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