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New proposals

Proposed amendment to annex 2, appendix 1

Transmitted by the Government of France

Summary

Executive summary: Proposal to amend the reference to standard EN 13486 in

annex 2, appendix 1

Action to be taken: Amend annex 2, appendix 1

Related documents: None

Introduction

- 1. ATP refers to EN 13486:2002 for the verification of recorders. However, the standard mentioned was revised in December 2023.
- 2. ATP currently refers to a standard that has been replaced with a more recent version. This reference should therefore be updated.
- 3. The 2023 version of the standard provides that, for routine checks: "The frequency and the type of checks depends on the requirements of the contracting parties, i.e. recorder owner and its clients, taking into account the requirements of the manufacturer and user and while respecting mandatory regulations".
- 4. It is therefore proposed to add "at two temperature points" so as not to affect existing contractual agreements.

I. Proposal

5. Replace the second paragraph of annex 2, appendix 1:



"The instrument shall be verified in accordance with EN 13486:2002 by an accredited body and the documentation shall be available for the approval of ATP competent authorities."

with:

"The instrument shall be verified at two points in accordance with EN 13486:2023 by an accredited body and the documentation shall be available for the approval of the ATP competent authorities."

II. Impact

Justification:	Update the reference to the standard to include the number of verification points.
Costs:	None
Environment:	This proposal aims to align ATP with the available, valid versions of standards
Feasibility:	The proposed amendment can easily be introduced into ATP.
Enforceability:	No problems are expected. No transitional period is needed.

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