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**Title: Special report from Mr Hanko**

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The following is a Report from Mr Hanko concerning a special assessment carried out on DMT/BVS arising out of their relocation to Bochum, Germany.

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Dear Chris,

Subject: **Reassessment of DMT/BVS Laboratory**

- 1 The reassessment of the DMT/BVS Laboratory was carried out in Bochum on June 26<sup>th</sup> 2002.
- 2 A Protocol was drawn up about the reassessment – required due to the relocation of the Laboratory from Dortmund to Bochum – in German language (Annex 1) and English language (Annex 2).
- 3 It was stated that apart from the relocation of the laboratory, modification has been occurred also in the organisation of the Testing Laboratory. Thus the Laboratory Manual shall be rewritten according to the present „de facto“ modifications and the ones foreseen to occur „de jure“ on September 1<sup>st</sup> 2002. This was promised by the management of DMT/BS to be made by the end of July.
- 4 No change has been made in the Certification Body. Thus its Quality Manual need not be modified. National assessment is continuously performed (Annex 3 and Annex 4).
- 5 I am enclosing the IEC 79-1 Technical guidance Documents  
IEC 79-1 Exd  
IEC 61241-1-1 Dust ingress protection  
IEC 79-18 Exm  
IEC 79-11 Exi  
IEC 79-7 Exe documents (Annex 5).
- 6 A successful test was performed in both Exd and Ex protection type.
- 7 The structure of the Laboratory is shown by the photos of Annex 6.
- 8 Following the acceptance of the modified Laboratory Manual the reassessment will be considered to be totally successful. Naturally I will inform you accordingly.
- 9 I would propose to confirm the original assessment, in case the requirements of point 8 are fulfilled. It is unconditionally required to modify the form of the assessment document (Annex 7) while maintaining its contents, by means of the completion of the formal and aesthetic requirements referring to such a document. This was expressly requested by DMT/BVS.

Budapest, July 24<sup>th</sup> 2002

Sincerely yours,

  
János Hankó