**INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION SYSTEM FOR CERTIFICATION TO STANDARDS RELATING TO EQUIPMENT FOR USE IN EXPLOSIVE ATMOSPHERES (IECEx SYSTEM)**

**Title: *Summary of Voting results on ExMC/1551/DV Re-assessment and Scope Extension Report for the continued acceptance of Intertek Testing Services NA, Inc. an Accepted Ex Certification Body (ExCB) and an Accepted Ex Testing Laboratory (ExTL) within the IECEx System, Equipment Scheme 02, to include IEC 60079-13, IEC 60079-28 and IEC/TS 60079-40, in their scope.***

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**INTRODUCTION**

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| **Country** | **Vote** | **Comment** |
| AUSTRALIA | Yes |  |
| BRAZIL | Yes |  |
| CANADA | Yes |  |
| CROATIA | Yes |  |
| CZECH REPUBLIC | Yes |  |
| DENMARK | Yes |  |
| FINLAND | Yes |  |
| FRANCE | Yes |  |
| GERMANY | Yes |  |
| GREECE | Yes |  |
| HUNGARY | Yes |  |
| INDIA | Yes |  |
| ISRAEL | Yes |  |
| ITALY | Yes |  |
| JAPAN | Yes |  |
| KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA | NR |  |
| MALAYSIA | Yes |  |
| NETHERLANDS | Yes |  |
| NEW ZEALAND | Yes |  |
| NORWAY | Yes |  |
| PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA | Yes |  |
| POLAND | Yes |  |
| REPUBLIC OF KOREA | Yes |  |
| ROMANIA | Yes |  |
| RUSSIA | Yes |  |
| SINGAPORE | Yes |  |
| SLOVENIA | Yes |  |
| SOUTH AFRICA | Yes |  |
| SPAIN | NR |  |
| SWEDEN | Yes | See ANNEX A |
| SWITZERLAND | Yes |  |
| TURKEY | Yes |  |
| UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | Yes |  |
| UNITED KINGDOM | Yes |  |
| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA | Yes |  |
| **Members Voting: 35**  **Members in favour: 33**  **Members against: 0 NR: 2** | **Final Decision: Approved**  **Status on: 191227** | |

**Do you agree with the recommendation from the IECEx Assessment team to accept the scope extension request from Intertek Testing Services NA, Inc to include IEC 60079-13, IEC 60079-28, and IEC/TS 60079-40 in their scope?**

**Yes = In favour No = Against NR = Not received Abstain**

**ANNEX A**

**SE**

We cant find the summarized recommendation from the assessment team in the report. Should be stated in a summary that the assessment team supports the scope extensions

**Secretariat Response**

Please see the following comment from the Lead Assessor Professor Xu Jianping included under Clause 2.17

## Recommendations

Based on the assessment performed on 27-29 May 2019 as well as post assessment activities, Intertek Testing Services NA, Inc. is recommended for continued acceptance in the IECEx system as:

* An ExCB in the IECEx Certified Equipment Scheme
* An ExTL in the IECEx Certified Equipment Scheme

**This is according to the scope of the standards listed in this document (including the extension of scope)**.