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

**Title:**  **Vote on the acceptance of co-operation between RISE Research Institutes of Sweden AB, Sweden, and Central Mining Institute, GIG, Poland.**

**Circulated to: IECEx Management Committee, ExMC**

**INTRODUCTION**

While *IECEx 02 -* *IEC System for Certification to Standards relating to Equipment for use in Explosive Atmospheres (IECEx System)IECEx Certified Equipment Scheme covering equipment for use in explosive atmospheres – Rules of Procedure,* provide for an Accepted ExCB to co-operate with an Accepted ExTL, that may not be an integral part of the ExCB, each arrangement must be approved by the IECEx Management Committee, ExMC.

RISE Research Institutes of Sweden AB, SE, an existing Accepted ExCB and ExTL wish to apply to co-operate with Central Mining Institute, GIG, PL, an Accepted ExTL within the IECEx Equipment Scheme 02.

The co-operation sought between RISE Research Institutes of Sweden AB, SE, as an Accepted ExCB and Central Mining Institute, GIG, PL, as an Accepted ExTL, is limited to the existing scope of acceptance, for both parties, as previously approved by the ExMC.

The IECEx Secretariat confirms that a Co-Operation Agreement between RISE Research Institutes of Sweden AB, SE, and Central Mining Institute, GIG, PL, has been enacted and is retained on file at the Secretariat, with special mention of both parties agreeing to comply with the IECEx Rules.

The Ex Management Committee is requested to vote on the co-operation between RISE Research Institutes of Sweden AB, SE, and Central Mining Institute, GIG, PL.

***This document is hereby submitted for ExMC approval via correspondence using the IECEx on-line voting system.  ExMC Members are requested to submit their vote via the IECEx On-line*** [***Ballot System***](https://www.iecex.com/ballot) ***by the closing date 2020 03 20***

***Please refer to OD 050 for guidance on the “IECEx On-line voting system.”***

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