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

**Title: Proposal from the Chinese Member Body concerning Voting of
IECEx Documents on-Line**

To: Members of the IECEx Management Committee, ExMC

Introduction

This document contains a proposal from the Chinese Member Body concerning voting on ExMC Documents in between meetings and is planned for discussion under ExMC Agenda item 4 of ExMC/1377B/DA.

The meeting will be asked to discuss this proposal during the 2018 ExMC Cannes Meeting.

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Re: reduce the scope of documents to be voted on-line by MBs

Situation: We highly appreciate the great efforts by the Secretariat, and welcome and support the Ex on-line voting system put in practice this year, believing that this initiative could greatly improve the efficiency and reduce the administrative workload for both the Secretariat and the MBs.

Proposal:

So far the documents to be voted by MBs can be roughly grouped into 4 categories: 1) amendment of rules; 2) acceptance of ExCB/ExTL; 3) scope extension under the same scheme; and 4) assessor approval.

As a further step to reduce the administrative workload and improve the efficiency, we propose the first and second categories (amendment of rules, acceptance of ExCB/ExTL) be

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voted by the MBs in the on-line voting system.

For the other two categories, we might rely more on the peer assessment mechanism of the System. These documents could be uploaded onto the IECEX website for comments if any, otherwise a positive vote is recorded. The secretariat and the MBs might only deal with those documents with substantial comments.

Best wishes



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