**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** **PCEC (Tianjin) Certification Services Co., Ltd., an Accepted ExCB and** **Chongqing Anbiao Testing & Research Institute Co., Ltd. (CATRI) an Accepted ExTL, for cooperation within the IECEx 02 Certified Equipment Scheme.**

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

**INTRODUCTION**

While *IECEx 02 - IECEx Certified Equipment Scheme covering equipment for use in explosive atmospheres – Rules of Procedure,* provides for an Accepted ExCB to co-operate with more than one Accepted ExTL, each arrangement must be approved by the IECEx Management Committee, ExMC.

PCEC (Tianjin) Certification Services Co., Ltd. an existing ExCB within the IECEx 02, Equipment Scheme, wishes to co-operate with Chongqing Anbiao Testing & Research Institute Co., Ltd. (CATRI) an Accepted ExTL, 02, within the IECEx 02, Equipment Scheme.

The co-operation sought between PCEC, PRC, an Accepted ExCB and CATRI, PRC, an Accepted ExTL, is limited to the existing scope of acceptance, for all parties, as previously approved by the ExMC.

The IECEx Secretariat confirms that a Co-Operation Agreement between PCEC (Tianjin) Certification Services Co., Ltd., and Chongqing Anbiao Testing & Research Institute Co., Ltd. (CATRI) has been enacted and is retained on file at the Secretariat, with special mention of all parties agreeing to comply with the IECEx Rules.

The Ex Management Committee is requested to vote on the co-operation between PCEC (Tianjin) Certification Services Co., Ltd., and Chongqing Anbiao Testing & Research Institute Co., Ltd. (CATRI).

***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 by the closing date 2024 08 23***

Alternatively, please contact the Secretariat if you have if you have any questions.

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