

## **GROUP OF NOTIFIED BODIES UNDER COUNCIL DIRECTIVE 89/106/EEC**

### **Report for the 2nd and 3rd quarter 2008**

## **1 Group of Notified Bodies (GNB) activities**

### **1.1 General**

Nearly all of the 22 GNB-CPD sector groups (SGs) are active, and most are continuing to draft position papers. Where SGs are not active it is because they consider no additions are needed to their published position papers. Fifty eight SG position papers have been published in NANDO and on CIRCA to date. SGs and their working groups hold a total of about 35 meetings per year, in addition to work between meetings carried out on CIRCA.

Co-ordination with CEN TCs continues to result in a number of aspects of sector group position papers being incorporated into revisions of the harmonized standards.

An overview of published GNB-CPD position papers, and those under development, is shown in Annex A of this report.

## **2 Interpretations of requirements under the CPD discussed at the 24<sup>th</sup> GNB-CPD Advisory Group meeting**

Several issues relating to how notified bodies (NBs) should interpret the CPD and its guidance were discussed at the recent 24<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Advisory Group (AG) (7 October 2008, Brussels). A few were easily answered by current guidance, but the more difficult are summarised briefly below.

### **2.1 The requirements for NBs following corrigenda, amendments and revisions to harmonized European standards**

AG has been trying for some time to agree a horizontal position paper on the consequences for NBs of corrigenda, amendments and revisions to harmonized European standards. The most contentious issue was whether NBs should be required to issue a revised certificate whenever a manufacturer begins working to a new version of the harmonized standard. Currently neither the CPD, Commission/SCC Guidance Papers, nor the harmonized standards address whether and how corrigenda and amendments to certificates should be reflected in NB certificates. AG decided that the certificate issued by a NB is the manufacturer's property, so that the NB need change that certificate only if requested to do so by the manufacturer.

## **2.2 Should NBs check whether manufacturers are CE marking their products correctly as part of the surveillance of FPC?**

A review of the AG position paper on “*Checklists for initial inspection of factory and factory production control and continuous surveillance of factory production control*”, and also an enquiry from a GNB-CPD Sector Group, raised the question of whether NBs should be expected to check, as part of their surveillance of FPC, whether manufacturers are CE marking their products correctly. Article 4(6) of the CPD states: “... *It is for the manufacturer or his authorized representative established within the Community to take responsibility for affixing the CE marking ...*”. However, the last sentence of Commission Guidance Paper ‘K’ §4.2.1 (3) states “*The assessment of FPC concerns all of the elements, requirements and provisions adopted by the producer to fulfil his obligations under the CPD.*” AG decided that assessment of the FPC should cover all aspects, and so it is appropriate that NBs should check the CE marking.

## **2.3 Should NBs check manufacturer’s treatment of customer complaints?**

The review of the AG position paper on “*Checklists for ... FPC...*” also raised the question of whether NBs should be expected to check manufacturers’ procedures for documenting customer complaints, informing the NB, and taking corrective measures. Requirements on manufacturers of certified products relating to complaints are given in EN 45011 §8 “Application for certification” and §15 “Complaints to suppliers”. Many NBs are accredited to EN 45011. However, Commission Guidance Paper ‘A’ sets out the basis for assessments of NBs, and Annex A specifies the clauses of EN 45011 that are considered to correspond to Annex IV of the CPD. Neither of the above clauses of EN 45011 is included as relevant by GP ‘A’. Again, AG decided that that assessment of the FPC should cover all aspects, and it is appropriate to continue to prompt NBs to check manufacturers’ provisions for handling customer complaints.

## **2.4 Is it appropriate for SH02 “Fire” to issue a position paper requiring an “age warning” on all tests, etc?**

SH02 “Fire” wishes to publish a position paper calling for all fire test, extended application or classification reports by notified bodies to include a cautionary statement advising readers to check the relevance of reports over 5 years old or seek a review from the notified body that issued the report. SH02 is concerned that reports issued to standards that have since been superseded may still circulate and be accepted. It hopes that a cautionary statement will reduce the risk of outdated reports being used.

The general view of AG was that all test and similar reports can be expected to bear a date, and the manufacturer should always check against the updated standards. It should not be necessary to state this in the report. Furthermore, mentioning a time interval may be misleading. AG decided to refer the matter to the Commission’s Expert Group on Fire, for their opinion on whether such a cautionary statement would be of value.

### **3 Attendance of SG meetings by representatives of manufacturers' associations**

Following concerns raised at the previous AG meeting regarding the high proportion of manufacturers (representing manufacturers' associations) attending certain Sector Group meetings, a report on this issue by CPD TechSec was discussed at AG.

The "Terms of Reference for Sector Groups of Notified Bodies for the CPD" define 3 categories of membership:

- Full members represent notified bodies.
- Associate members must represent a Europe-wide organisation with legitimate interest in the work of the Sector Group. Except for liaison members from technical committees, associate members must be elected by full members of the Sector Group.
- Members such as the Technical Secretariat are observers.

Sector Groups should work by consensus. Voting is only appropriate to select associate members or a Chairman, and associate members have no voting rights in the Sector Group. The AG meeting decided that the Terms of Reference should be amended to require associate members to leave the room when full (NB) members attempt to finalise consensus. Also, for transparency, the secretariats of GNB-CPD SGs should list the membership category of attendees in the minutes or an attendance list.

### **4 Misleading certificates**

At the 23<sup>rd</sup> AG meeting, the President asked members to send CPD TechSec copies of documents that look like notified body EC Certificates of Conformity, but are not genuine. CPD TechSec analysed these, together with previous documents, and reported this in paper NB-CPD/08/338 (see Annex B).

The analysis covered:

- 11 documents with the appearance of a certificate;
- 1 document claiming to be a "Declaration of conformity";
- 1 document entitled "Test report", but showing the CE logo, and with each section awarded a "pass".

These documents came from a total of eight organizations.

The misleading certificates produced by non-notified bodies were characterised as follows:

- all of them bear the CE marking logo in a prominent size;
- all of them contain somewhere a "Certificate number" (except in one case a "Reference No.");
- all of them refer to the CPD;
- all except one of them refer to one or more harmonized European standards (one refers only to ISO 1182:2002, a version of the non-combustibility test for reaction to fire, whilst some include non-harmonized standards);

- few of them refer to “factory production control”; “manufacturing process” is commonly used, and;
- few of them correspond to the level of attestation of conformity required for CE marking the product, eg one is for a product where the AoC level for CE marking is 4.

AG is concerned that misleading certificates such as these affect the credibility of CE marking and the work of notified bodies. For the future, the draft CPR clarifies the responsibilities of economic operators; it would be helpful if it would also protect the documents they must pass along the distribution chain.

## **5 Revision of the CPD as the Construction Products Directive**

### **5.1 General**

The GNB-CPD AG welcomes the proposed change from the Construction Products Directive to a Regulation, since this can be expected to improve the extent to which NBs work equivalently. However, there is concern that many of the problems in implementing the CPD have arisen from ambiguities which may still not be adequately resolved by the new proposals. Also, some of the proposed changes in the terms used and the procedures required may be a distraction, because the current terms and procedures are now becoming understood and accepted. Also, it is still not clear to what extent the harmonized technical specifications may need to be modified to implement the proposals.

The GNB-CPD is concerned that the early requirement for all NBs under the CPR to be accredited has been removed from earlier drafts of the Commission’s proposal.

The GNB-CPD also welcomes the provision that Member States shall ensure that NBs participate in co-ordination activities. However, it would be even more helpful if there was a requirement that Member States should ensure that NBs follow guidance that may result from the co-ordination process.

Some issues are still not fully resolved under the CPD, and as a result practices vary between NBs, generally reflecting the views of their Member States. It is essential that the CPR should provide clarity on these issues, the most important of which are set out below.

### **5.2 Cumulative attestation**

A substantial proportion of harmonised standards may require attestation of conformity for a single product type and intended use to be carried out under more than one system. This is particularly the case when the product is subject to reaction to fire performance requirements in addition to requirements on its general properties, but also occurs for characteristics other than fire. “Cumulative attestation of conformity” is one of the major unresolved difficulties in equivalent implementation of such standards. The Commission’s proposal for the CPR does not make clear whether cumulative attestation of conformity is to be retained, or replaced by assessment at the highest system applicable.

The GNB-CPD favours the simplicity of assessment that would be achieved by “rounding up” to the highest system applicable for the declared performance of a product.

If cumulative attestation is to be retained, the CPR or accompanying guidance should state clearly how cumulative levels should be applied. Furthermore, specification writers must be required to set out unambiguously how cumulative levels are to be implemented.

### **5.3 Roles when ITC replaces ITT**

Clarification in Annex V of the proposed CPR or separate guidance will be required to address the roles of NB and manufacturer when ITC replaces ITT under CPR systems 1, 2 and 4. Under the CPD, Commission GP 'K' Annex 3 leads to an allocation of tasks that is impractical for the procedures specified in some hENs.

### **5.4 ITT under system 3**

Clarification in Annex V of the proposed CPR, or separate guidance, will be required to define the extent to which NBs should concern themselves with a manufacturer's ITT when assessing the FPC of products under CPR system 3.

Jiří Sobola  
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**Annexes:**     *A. Overview of GNB documents*  
                  *B. NB-CPD/08/338 - Analysis of misleading documents/certificates*

<b>GNB-CPD</b> <b>All</b>	<b>Co-ordination of the Group of Notified Bodies for the Construction Products Directive</b> <b>89/106/EEC</b>	<b>NB-CPD/M03 Nov 2008</b> Issued: 3 November 2008 <b>For Information</b>
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## STATE OF PLAY ON POSITION AND OTHER PAPERS OF THE GNB-CPD

### AG DOCUMENTS

Public document ref. - Document status or Progress of documents not so far approved/agreed	Official title	Date <i>latest version</i> sent to Commission	Development Stage	Status & Date issued	Comments arising from the approval process	Last AG consultation - AG number & Date	Other information on document and approval process	Relationship to non-GNB-CPD docs
NB-CPD/AG/03/001 - APPROVED GUIDANCE:	Numbering of certificates of conformity.	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 26-Feb-99	Approved – 2 <sup>nd</sup> GNB-CPD meeting on 26-Feb-99	NB-CPD/98/009 xx-Apr98	General guidance	GP 'D'
NB-CPD/AG/03/002 - APPROVED GUIDANCE:	Guidance to notified bodies on the attestation of conformity under the Construction Products Directive 89/106/EEC.	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 07-Apr-01	Approved - final editorial changes made and agreed after 8th AG mtg on 28-Mar-01	NB-CPD/ 01/002r4 (part) 07Apr01	General guidance	GP 'K'
NB-CPD/AG/03/003r1 - APPROVED INFORMATION:	Examples of EC certificates of conformity	<del>09-Jun-04</del>	<del>X</del>	<del>Approved GNB-CPD position paper 07-Apr-01</del>	<del>Approved – final editorial changes made and agreed after 8th AG mtg on 28-Mar-01</del>	<del>NB-CPD/ 01/002r4 (part) 07-Apr-01</del>	<del>General guidance</del>	<del>-----</del>
		09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 30-Aug-04	Approved – revised version at 15 <sup>th</sup> AG on 16-Mar-04 subject to minor changes and final doc for comment circulated on 9-Jul-04 resulting in minor changes	NB-CPD/04/082 09-Jul-04	General guidance	-----
NB-CPD/04/082r1	Translations of exemplar certificates of Notified Bodies	CIRCA only		Uploaded to CIRCA as provided	Agreed GNB-CPD document 16-Mar-04	Revised English version approved at 15 AG on 16 Mar 04 – version for translation sent to AG members 30 Aug 04	-----	-----

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NB-CPD/AG/03/004 - APPROVED INFORMATION:	Checklists for initial inspection of factory and of factory production control, and continuous surveillance of factory production control.	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 22-Oct-02	Approved - formerly again at 12th AG meeting 22-Oct-02, but core document approved earlier and very minor changes made since then on several occasions	NB-CPD/01/032r1 30-Nov-01	FPC - checklists	GP 'B'
	Checklists for initial inspection of factory and factory production control and continuous surveillance of factory production control		C			NB-CPD/08/336 19-Aug-08	Revision of FPC - checklists	GP 'B'
NB-CPD/AG/03/005r2 - APPROVED GUIDANCE:	<del>The use of manufacturer's testing facilities by notified testing laboratories and witness testing.</del>	<del>09-Sep-04</del>	<del>X</del>	<del>Approved GNB- CPD position paper 01-Jul-03</del>	<del>Approved - formerly at 13th AG 28-Mar-03, subject to minor changes. Basic document had been approved 12th AG mtg, and minor editorial changes to clarify and approval confirmed at 13th AG.</del>	<del>NB-CPD/02/005r3 28-Feb-03</del>	<del>ITT - Witness testing</del>	<del>GP 'M'</del>
	<del>The use of manufacturer's testing facilities by NBs.</del>	<del>11-Feb-08</del>	<del>X</del>	<del>Approved GNB- CPD position paper 09-Feb-08</del>	<del>Substantial changes at 21<sup>st</sup> AG 13-Mar-07 and 22<sup>nd</sup> AG 02-Oct-07. Approved via CIRCA with a single clarifying change.</del>	<del>NB-CPD/07/297r2 20-Dec-07</del>	<del>ITT using manufacturer's facilities</del>	<del>GP 'M'</del>
	The use of manufacturer's testing facilities by NBs.	05-Aug-08	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 05-Aug-08	Approved without comment on CIRCA by: 02-Aug-08	NB-CPD/08/329 19-Jun-08	Changes requested at 23 <sup>rd</sup> AG, 11 March 2008	GP 'M'
:NB-CPD/AG/03/006r1 - APPROVED GUIDANCE:	The use of historic data by NBs for CE marking purposes against hENs	<del>09-Sep-04</del>	<del>X</del>	<del>Approved GNB- CPD position paper 1-Jan-04</del>	<del>Final presentation at an AG mtg was 14<sup>th</sup>, held on 23-Sep-03. After revision in light of 14<sup>th</sup> AG comments, it was then open to final comments for 6 weeks.</del>	<del>NB-CPD/02/010r5 24-Nov-03</del>	<del>Historic data</del>	<del>GP 'M'</del>
		14-Sep-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 14-Sep-06	At 16 <sup>th</sup> AG on 21 Sep 04 AG requested the paper be incorporated into existing AG approved guidance NB- CPD/AG/03/ - paper presented to 19 <sup>th</sup> AG, 14 Mar 06 when 2 footnotes were requested	NB-CPD/04/093r2 07-Mar-06	Supplementary information to historic data issues about validation of historic data 15-Aug-05	GPs 'K' & 'M'

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NB-CPD/AG/03/007 - APPROVED GUIDANCE	Shared and cascading ITT	14-Sep-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 14-Sep-06	At 16 <sup>th</sup> AG on 21 Sep 04 AG requested that ITT WG consider revising in line with latest version of GP M At 19 <sup>th</sup> AG, 14 Mar 06, AG agreed the paper should require interdependence between characteristics and components	NB-CPD/06/180 09-Feb-06	Shared and cascading ITT in accordance with GP 'M'	GPs 'K' & 'M'
NOT APPROVED YET- Awaiting AG WG paper(s)	Guidance on FPC matters		A		At 16 <sup>th</sup> AG on 21 Sep 04 AG requested that FPC WG also consider the latest version of GP M	NB-CPD/04/089	Addressing FPC issues from NB-CPD/03/034 - <i>No document so far</i>	GPs 'B', 'K' & 'M'
DEVELOPMENT ABANDONED	Minimum and recommended ITT report content		Y	Development abandoned at stage C/D 11-Mar-08	Development abandoned at 23 <sup>rd</sup> AG due to divided opinions over whether such a paper was appropriate.	NB-CPD/06/214r15 13-Feb-08	The then GNB-CPD President requested incorporation of content of NB-CPD/04/094r1.	GPs 'K' & 'M', EN ISO/IEC 17025
DEVELOPMENT ABANDONED	Model report on initial inspection of the factory and factory production control		Y	Development abandoned at stage C/D 11-Mar-08	Development abandoned at 23 <sup>rd</sup> AG due to divided opinions over whether such a paper was appropriate.	NB-CPD/06/215r6 13-Feb-08		GPs 'B' & 'M', EN 45012
NB-CPD/AG/03/008 - APPROVED GUIDANCE	Guidance to NBs on their duties in certifying (system 1+, 1, 2+ and 2) own brand labelled products and those involving significant sub-contract manufacturing		E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 27-Jul-07	Initial paper at 19 <sup>th</sup> AG. Changes requested at 20 <sup>th</sup> AG on 10 October 2006. and again at 21 <sup>st</sup> AG on 13 March 2007. Final approval on CIRCA, with slight changes requested about checking records, §6.	NB-CPD/06/217r3 14-Jun-07	Several SGs have sought guidance on these issues.	GPs 'B', 'K' & 'M'
APPROVED by AG	The consequences for NBs of corrigenda, amendments and revisions to harmonized European standards		D		Changes requested at 20 <sup>th</sup> AG on 10 October 2006, 21 <sup>st</sup> AG on 13 March 2007, 22 <sup>nd</sup> AG on 2 October 2007 and 23 <sup>rd</sup> AG on 11 March 2008.	NB-CPD/06/213r6 21-Aug-08	Paper requested for 20 <sup>th</sup> AG meeting.	CEN Snapshot and Official Journal
DEVELOPMENT ABANDONED	Recommended procedure when a NB decides to suspend or withdraw a certificate		Y			NB-CPD/08/336 19-Aug-08	Paper requested AT 23 <sup>rd</sup> AG meeting	GP 'D'



## SG DOCUMENTS (SG01 - SG21)

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<b>SG01 – Building finishes</b>								
NB-CPD/SG01/04/013r1 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG01	GNB-CPD position paper from SG01 - EN 13964  <i>Suspended ceilings - requirements and test methods: overview of standard clauses that require further detailing and proposed solutions</i>	04-Nov-04	X	<del>Approved GNB- CPD position paper 04-Nov-04</del>	<del>Approved – 28 Oct-04 as no comments received in 6 week consultation period.</del>	<del>NB-CPD/04/096 22-Sep-04 via CIRCA alone</del>	<del>NB-CPD/SG01-04/001- uploaded 15-Jun-2004 for SG01 and sent to CPD TechSec for AG comment on 02-Sep-04</del>	<del>EN 13964</del>
		28-Sep-05	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 28-Sep-05	Approved – 20 May-05 as no comments received in 6 week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/131 11-Apr-05 via CIRCA alone	NB-CPD/ SG01/04/013r2 - on SG01-CIRCA on: 08-Apr-05	EN 13964
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under review by SG01	Revision of NB-CPD/SG01/04/013r1		B				NB-CPD/ SG01/04/013r6 - on SG01-CIRCA on: 27-Feb-06	EN 13964
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under review by SG01	GNB-CPD position paper from SG01 – EN 14041 – Questions and answers		B				NB-CPD/SG01/05/005 - on SG01-CIRCA on: 07-Oct-05	EN 14041
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under review by SG01  May be incorporated into EN 492:2004/A2:2006.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG01 – EN 492 – Mounting and fixing for SBI		B				NB-CPD/SG01/04/002 - on SG01-CIRCA on 04-Nov-05	EN 492
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under review by SG01  May be incorporated into EN 494:2004/A2:2006.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG01 – EN 494 – Mounting and fixing for SBI		B				NB-CPD/SG01/04/003 - on SG01-CIRCA on: 04-Nov-05	EN 494
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under review by SG01  May be incorporated into EN 12467:2004/A2:2006.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG01 – EN 12467 – Mounting and fixing for SBI		B				NB-CPD/SG01/04/004 - on SG01-CIRCA on: 04-Nov-05	EN 12467

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<b>SG02 – Cement, aggregates, mortars and building limes</b>								
NB-CPD/SG02/03/001 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	Operating procedure for the attestation of conformity of common cements in compliance with Annex ZA of EN197-1	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 09-Apr-01	Approved - subject to minor changes at 8 <sup>th</sup> AG mtg 28-Mar-01	NB-CPD/01/013 a, b & c 06-Mar-03	NB-CDP/SG02-01/005r1 - sent to CPD TechSec 06-Mar-03	EN 197-1
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under review by SG02	Revision to NB-CPD/SG02/03/001		B		Editorial changes	NOT REQUIRED (editorial changes to approved document)	NB-CPD/SG02/WG1- 05/003r1 - on SG02-CIRCA on: 01-Dec-05	EN 197-1 EN 197-4 EN 14216 EN 413-1
NB-CPD/SG02/03/002r1 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	GNB-CPD position paper from SG02 - EN 934-2 and EN 934-4 <i>Procedures for certifying FPC for admixtures for concrete, grout and for prestressing tendons</i>	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 30-Apr-02	Approved - subject to minor changes requested by CEN consultant ahead of 11 <sup>th</sup> AG mtg 30-Apr-02	NB-CPD/02/021 17-Apr-02	NB-CPD/SG02-02/012r1 – sent to CPD TechSec 17-Apr-02	EN 934-1 EN 934-4
NB-CPD/SG02/04/010 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	GNB-CPD position paper from SG02 - EN12620, EN13043, EN13055-1, EN13139, EN13383-1, EN13242 & EN13450: <i>Certificate of factory production control related to aggregates</i>	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 25-Aug-04	Approved – 15 <sup>th</sup> AG 16-Mar-04 subject to minor changes	NB-CPD/04/065 02-Feb-04	NB-CPD/SG02-04/001r3 – sent to CPD TechSec 29-Jan-04	EN 12620, EN 13043, EN 13055-1, EN 13139, EN 13383-1, EN 13242 & EN 13450
NB-CPD/SG02/04/011 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	GNB-CPD position paper from SG02 - EN 459-1 <i>Certification of factory production control related to building limes</i>	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 25-Aug-04	Approved – 15 <sup>th</sup> AG 16-Mar-04 subject to minor changes	NB-CPD/04/066 08-Feb-04	NB-CPD/SG02-02/015r2 – sent to CPD TechSec 08-Feb-04	EN 459-1
NB-CPD/SG02/04/012r1 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	GNB-CPD position paper from SG02 – EN998-2: 2003: <i>The certificate of factory production control for masonry mortar</i>	09-Sep-04	✗	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 25-Aug-04	Approved – 15 <sup>th</sup> AG 16-Mar-04 subject to minor changes	NB-CPD/04/064 30-Jan-04	NB-CPD/SG02-WG2/001 – sent to CPD TechSec 29-Jan-04	EN 998-2
		03-May-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 12-Apr-2006	Minor revisions, not submitted to AG	-	NB-CPD/SG02/04/012 – sent to CPD TechSec 31-Mar-06	EN 998-2

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NB-CPD/SG02/06/019 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	GNB-CPD position paper from SG02 – EN 450-1: 2005 <i>Certification of fly ash for concrete</i>	01-Jun-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 1-Jun-2006	Approved 19 <sup>th</sup> AG 14-Mar-06 subject to minor changes	NB-CPD/06/191 27-Feb-06	NB-CPD/SG02/WG1- 05/001r1 – on SG02-CIRCA on: 28-Nov-05	EN 450-1
NB-CPD/SG02/06/037 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	GNB-CPD position paper from SG02 - EN 1504-2, EN 1504-3, EN 1504-4, EN 1504-5, EN 1504-6 and EN 1504-7 <i>Products and Systems for the Repair of Concrete Structures</i>	01-Sep-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 01-Sep-06	Approved without comment on CIRCA by: 24-Aug-06	NB-CPD/06/210 13-Jul-06	Latest SG version on CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG02/WG05- 06/01 (number not shown on CIRCA) 19-May-06	EN 1504-2 to EN1504-7
NB-CPD/SG02/07/044 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	GNB-CPD position paper from SG02 - EN 13263-1:2005 <i>Certification of silica fume for concrete</i>	18-Jan-07	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 16-Jan-07	Approved without comment on CIRCA by: 2-Jan-07	NB-CPD/06/248 13-Nov-06	Latest SG version on CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG02/WG1- 06/004 16-Aug-06	EN 13263-1
NB-CPD/SG02/07/055 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG02	GNB-CPD position paper from SG02 - EN 15167-1 <i>Certification of ground granulated blastfurnace slag</i>	27-Nov-07	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 27-Nov-07	Approved without comment on CIRCA by: 26-Nov-07	NB-CPD/07/308 15-Oct-07	Latest SG version on CIRCA?	EN 15167-1
<b><u>SG03 – Chimneys and flues</u></b>								
NOT APPROVED YET- Waiting documents from SG03 for first review by CPD TechSec before being sent to AG	GNB-CPD position paper from SG03 - EN xxxx to EN xxxx: <i>Flues and chimneys</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG03 -05/002r1 – on SG03-CIRCA on: 28-Nov-05	EN xxxx to EN xxxx:
<b><u>SG04 – Circulation fixtures</u></b>								
NOT APPROVED YET- CPD TechSec commented back to SG04.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG04 – EN 1423 <i>Drop on materials for road marking</i>		C				SG04-04-004 - on SG04- CIRCA on: 17-Jun-04	EN 1423
NOT APPROVED YET- With SG04 for response to CPD TechSec comments	GNB-CPD position paper from SG04 – EN 12899-1 <i>Vertical traffic signs</i>		C				NB-CPD-SG04WG2-08-021 – on SG04-CIRCA on: 21-May-08	EN 12899-1
NOT APPROVED YET- Waiting documents from SG04 for first review by CPD TechSec	GNB-CPD position paper from SG04 - EN 40-5, 6 & 7 <i>Lighting columns</i>		C				NB-CPD-SG04WG1-08-037 - on SG04-CIRCA on: 21-Aug-08	EN 40-5,6 & 7

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NOT APPROVED YET- With CPD TechSec before being sent for AG approval.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG04 – EN 14388		C				NB-CPD/SG04-07/030 - On SG04 CIRCA on: 07-Feb-07	EN 14388
NOT APPROVED YET- Under development within WG	GNB-CPD position paper from SG04 – prEN 1317-5		B				NB-CPD-SG04WG4-07- 002r7 - On SG04 CIRCA: 04-Aug-08	EN 1317-5
NOT APPROVED YET- No draft yet on CIRCA	GNB-CPD position paper from SG04 – EN 1463-1		A				Development of PP shown NB-CPD-SG04-07-031 Standard-status-2007July	EN 1463-1
<b><u>SG05 – Cladding and curtain walling</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG05/03/007 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG05	GNB-CPD position paper from SG05 - ETAG 002 <i>Structural sealant glazing system - Routes to CE-marking</i>	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 16-Aug-03	Approved – amended after 13 <sup>th</sup> AG and no further comments received since. Its approval reported to 14 <sup>th</sup> AG mtg 23-Sep-03	NB-CPD/03/024 24-Feb-03	NB-CPD/SG05-02/019r1	ETAG 002
APPROVED IN PRINCIPLE - SG05 to take comments into account	GNB-CPD position paper from SG05 – EN 13830: <i>Definition of product families, EXAP and sampling matters</i>		D		Approved by AG but with comments to be taken into account 26-Jan-07	NB-CPD/05/162 8-Dec-06	NB-CPD/SG05-05/025 – on 5-CIRCA on: 03-Mar-05	EN 13830
NOT APPROVED YET- With CPD TechSec before being sent for AG approval.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG05 – EN 13830: <i>Cascading ITT</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG05-05/026 - on SG05-CIRCA on: 03-Mar-05	EN 13830
NOT APPROVED YET- With CPD TechSec before being sent for AG approval.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG05 – EN 13830: <i>Thermal transmittance</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG05-05/027 - on SG05-CIRCA on: 03-Mar-05	EN 13830
APPROVED IN PRINCIPLE - SG05 to take comments into account	GNB-CPD position paper from SG05 – EN 13830: <i>Use of manufacturer's facilities</i>		D		Approved by AG but with comments to be taken into account 26-Jan-07	NB-CPD/06/209 8-Dec-06	NB-CPD/SG05-06/001 – on SG05-CIRCA on: 27-Feb-06	EN 13830

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<b>SG06 – Doors and windows</b>								
NB-CPD/SG06/03/008 -APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG06	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 1125.A1:2001 and EN 179.A1:2001 <i>Treatment of historic data for CE marking purposes, for panic and emergency exit devices</i>	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 24-Nov-03	Approved – 14 <sup>th</sup> AG 23-Sep-03 informed of CEN/TC comments and SG response. No further response from CEN/TC considered approved.	NB-CPD/03/025 07-Apr-03	NB-CPD/SG06/ WG1-02/001 – sent to CPD TechSec on 5-Apr-02"	EN 1125+A1: 2001 & EN 179+A1:2001
NB-CPD/SG06/03/009 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG06	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 1125+A1:2001 and EN 179+A1:2001 <i>Inspection of factory production control (FPC) for CE marking purposes, for panic and emergency exit devices</i>	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 24-Nov-03	Approved – 14 <sup>th</sup> AG 23-Sep-03 informed of CEN/TC comments and SG response. No further response from CEN/TC considered approved	NB-CPD/03/026 07-Apr-03	NB-CPD/SG06 /WG1-02/003 – sent to CPD TechSec on 8-Apr-02	EN 1125+A1: 2001 & EN 179+A1:2001
NB-CPD/SG06/05/015 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG06	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 1935:2002 <i>Modifications to test methods for single axis continuous hinges.</i>	21-Sep-05	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 04-Nov-04	Approved without comment at 17 <sup>th</sup> AG meeting 15- Mar-05	NB-CPD/05/110 22-Feb-05	NB-CPD/SG06/WG01- 04/003rev1 – on SG06- CIRCA on: 11-Jan-05	EN 1935:2002
NB-CPD/SG06/04/016r1 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG06	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 12209:2003/AC:2005 <i>Certification of Mechanically Operated Locks, Latches and Locking Plates</i>	<del>21-Feb-06</del>	<del>X</del>	<del>Approved GNB- CPD position paper 20-Apr-05</del>	<del>Approved without comment by AG members using just CIRCA. General comments raised over issue of SG documents correcting hENs</del>	<del>NB-CPD/05/124 09-Mar-05</del>	<del>NB-CPD/SG06/WG1- 04/001r1 (= r2) – on SG06- CIRCA on: 14-Jan-05</del>	<del>EN 12209:2003</del>
		18-Jan-07	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 18-Jan-07	Approved without comment on CIRCA by 12-Jan- 07	NB-CPD/06/251 28-Nov-06	NB-CPD/SG06/WG1-06/003 on SG06 as "Proposed Guidance for EN12209"on 07-Jul-06	EN 12209:2003

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NB-CPD/SG06/06/018 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG06	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 1935:200 <i>Proposed guidance for NBs involved in the attestation of conformity of single axis hinges according to EN 1935:2002</i>	03-May-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 06-Apr-06	Approved without comment at 19 <sup>th</sup> AG meeting 14- Mar-06 and on CIRCA	NB-CPD/06/189 21-Feb-05	NB-CPD/SG06/WG1- 03/003rev.1 - on SG06- CIRCA on: 26-Feb-04	EN 1935:2002
NOT APPROVED YET- With CPD TechSec for scrutiny and preparation for AG approval	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 13241-1:Use of manufacturer's test facilities for <i>industrial doors and gates</i>		C		Sent to 17th AG 15-Mar-05 AG for comment only	NB-CPD/05/123 6-Mar-05	NB-CPD/SG06-07/001rev1- on SG06-CIRCA on: 17-Jan-07	EN 13241-1:2003
NOT APPROVED YET- Under development by WG experts.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 13241-1:2003 <i>Calibration methods for measuring thermal properties</i>		B				SG06/WGB-06/006 rev 2 - on SG06-CIRCA on: 15-Mar-07	EN 13241-1:2003 EN 12567-1
NOT APPROVED YET- Under development by WG experts.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 13241-1:2003 <i>Calculating thermal properties</i>		B				SG06/WGB-06/033rev1 – on SG06-CIRCA on: 22-Feb-07	EN 13241-1:2003
NOT APPROVED YET - Early stages of development.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 Calibration U-value Industrial Doors, Based on calibration procedure of EN ISO 12567-1		B				NB-CPD/SG06/WG B- 06/006 rev 1– on SG06- CIRCA on: 14-Sep-06	EN ISO 12567-1 EN 13241-1:2003
NB-CPD/SG06/08/056 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG06	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 13241-1:2003 <i>Industrial, commercial and garage doors and gates - Interpretation of Clause 4.2.5 'Geometry of glazing/glass components'</i>	15-Jan-08	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 15-Jan-08	Single typographical error only	NB-CPD/07/309 26-Nov-07	NB-CPD/SG06-07/006r1 – on SG06-CIRCA on: 14-Sept-07	EN 13241-1:2003 EN 12600:2002 EN 12604:2000 EN 12605:2000
NOT APPROVED YET - Early stages of development.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 14351-1 Failure criteria under wind load		B				NB-CPD/SG06-07/002 on SG06-CIRCA on: 17-Jan-07	EN 14351-1:2003 EN 12210:2000 EN 12211:2000
NOT APPROVED YET - With CPD TechSec for scrutiny and preparation for AG approval	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 14351-1 Failure criteria under air permeability		C				NB-CPD/SG06/WG B - 08/003 on SG06-CIRCA on: 09-Jul-08	EN 14351-1:2003 EN 1026:2000 EN 12207:2000
NOT APPROVED YET - Early stages of development.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 14351-1 ITT for external pedestrian doorsets with emergency/panic exit devices		B				NB-CPD/SG06/WGB-07/009 rev1 on SG06-CIRCA on: 06-Aug-07	EN 14351-1:2003

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NB-CPD/SG06/08/059 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG06	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 1155:1997 <i>Certification of Electrically powered hold-open devices for swing doors</i>	05-Aug-08	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 05-Aug-08	Approved on CIRCA by 21-Jun- 08. Comments only from Martin Hesels VdS Schadenverhütun g GmbH. Considered by Ian Keeling, but no changes - may prompt a further PP.	NB-CPD/08/322 06-May-08	NB-CPD/SG06/WGA-08/002 on SG06-WGA CIRCA on: 08-Mar-08	EN 1155:1997
NOT APPROVED YET - With CPD TechSec for scrutiny and preparation for AG approval	GNB-CPD position paper from SG06 - EN 1191 - Interpretations		C				SG 06/WG B 08/001 on SG06-CIRCA on: 11-Jun-08	EN 1191:1997 EN 14351-1:2003
<b><u>SG07 – Fixed fire fighting systems</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG07/03/005 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG07	Guidance to notified bodies on requirements for testing and factory production control for new and modified products of SG07 'Fixed fire-fighting systems'	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 22-Oct-02	Approved - no adverse comment at 12 <sup>th</sup> AG mtg 22-Oct-02	NB-CPD/02/013r1 24-Sep-02	later became NB-CPD/SG07/ 02/045 – sent to CPD TechSec on 12-Dec-01	All SG07 products
NB-CPD/SG07/04/014 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG07	GNB-CPD position paper from SG07 – EN 671-1 and 2: 2001 <i>Testing and certification procedures of hose systems with semi-rigid and lay-flat hoses</i>	23-Feb-05	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 08-Feb-05 SG07 9 May 2006: will be replaced by EN when published.	Approved even though CEN/TC 191 still not formally considered SG07 paper after 6 months. AG had requested that CEN/TC 191 endorse the paper first	NB-CPD/04/079 12-Mar-04	NB-CPD/SG07-02/056 – sent to CPD TechSec on 10-Mar-04	EN 671- 1 & 2:2001
NOT APPROVED YET – Waiting documents from SG07 for first review by CPD TechSec before sending to AG for approval	GNB-CPD position paper from SG07 – manufacturing at multiple sites.		B				Last version on SG07 CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG07- 03/075	All SG07 products



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NOT APPROVED YET - With CPD TechSec for scrutiny and preparation for AG approval	GNB-CPD position paper from SG07 – EN 12094-1 Automatic electric gas extinguishers		C				NB_CPD-SG07/08/106r1 Draft Position Paper EN12094_1 sent to CPD TechSec: 03-Sep-08	EN 12094-1
NOT APPROVED YET - With CPD TechSec for scrutiny and preparation for AG approval	GNB-CPD position paper from SG07 – EN 12101 Smoke & heat control systems		C				NB_CPD_SG07_08_102_r1 _DRAFT_POSITION_PAPER R_SG07_-_EN_12101 sent to CPD TechSec: 03-Sep-08	EN 12101-n
NOT APPROVED YET - With CPD TechSec for scrutiny and preparation for AG approval	GNB-CPD position paper from SG07 – PP EN 14604 Smoke alarms		C				NB_CPD_SG07_08_108_Dr aft_Position_Paper_EN1460 4 sent to CPD TechSec: 03-Sep-08	EN 14604
NOT APPROVED YET - Under development by SG07	GNB-CPD position paper from SG07 – PP EN 14384 & EN 14339 Fire hydrants		B				SG07-07-099-Position- paper-hydrants-2007-06-20 SG06-CIRCA on: 07-Mar-08	
<b><u>SG08 - Fixings</u></b>								
NOT APPROVED YET – Waiting documents from SG08 for first review by CPD TechSec before sending to AG for approval	GNB-CPD position paper from SG08 – FPC for anchor bolts.		B				NB-CPD/SG08-01/004 – on SG08-CIRCA on: 08-Mar-02	ETAG 001
<b><u>SG09 – Glass</u></b>								
<del>NB-CPD/SG09/05/0**-- DEVELOPMENT ABANDONED at stage D 25-Jan-08. The objective to be incorporated in a CEN/TC 129 document.</del>	<del>GNB-CPD position paper from SG09 – EN****, EN**** etc Use of fire resistance test reports, including historic and prototype, for certification of glass products</del>		<del>Y</del>		<del>Approved subject to changes and clarifications in the text at 18th AG mtg 03-Oct-05</del>	<del>NB-CPD/05/111r1 (previously NB- CPD/05/111) 28-Sep-05</del>	<del>SG09-216 (NB- CPD/05/111r2) – on SG09- CIRCA on: 28-Aug-07</del>	<del>All SG09 products</del>
NOT APPROVED YET - Document to be re- considered by SG09 following comments.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG09 – EN1279-5 <i>Calculation procedures when using EN 673 and EN 410</i>		C				SG09-142 – on SG09- CIRCA on: 28-Dec-05	EN 1279-5



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NOT APPROVED YET - Document with SG09 to consider CPD TechSec comments.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG09: EN 1096-4, EN 12150-2, EN 1863-2 & EN 14179-2 <i>Thermally treated coated glass when using EN 12898 and EN 410</i>		C			NB-CPD/05/166 28-Jan 06	SG09-213 – on SG09- CIRCA on: 28-Aug-07	EN 1096-4, EN 12150-2, EN 1863-2 & EN 14179-2
NOT APPROVED YET - SG09 to reconsider in light of NB-CPD/AG/03/005 and its draft revision NB- CPD/07/297r2	GNB-CPD position paper from SG09: All SG09 hENs <i>Use of manufacturer's facilities for ITT</i>		B				SG09-167 & 168 – on SG09- CIRCA on: 23-Feb-06	All SG09 hENs.
DEVELOPMENT ABANDONED at stage B 25-Jan-08. The objective to be incorporated in a CEN/TC 129 document.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG09: EN 572 <i>Float glass of 3.2 and 3.5 mm thickness</i>		Y				Latest SG version on CIRCA is SG09-186 13-Jun-06	EN 572
NOT APPROVED YET - First draft for SG.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG09: EN 1279-5 <i>Depth of evaluation of conformity certification for glass products</i>		B				Latest SG version is NB- CPD/SG09-08/226 on CIRCA on: 29-Jan-08	EN 1279-5
NOT APPROVED YET - Draft not yet developed.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG09: EN 1279-5 <i>Sharing ITT results</i>		A					
<b><u>SG10 – Masonry</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG10/03/006r1 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG10	GNB-CPD position paper from SG10 - EN 771-1 to EN 771-5 <i>Certification of factory production control of masonry units (Category I)</i>	09-Sep-04	X	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 08-Jun-03	Approved – significant objections addressed as far as possible after 13 <sup>th</sup> AG on 28-Mar-03 and approved subject to monitoring by SG10 of relevant issues	NB-CPD/03/008 6-Mar-03	NB-CPD/SG10-02/010 rev 01 to NB-CPD/SG10-02/013 rev01 – sent to CPD TechSec on 20-Mar-02	EN 771-4 through to EN 771-5
		23-May-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 23-May-06	Minor revisions, not submitted to AG	-	NB-CPD_SG10_05_031 rev2– on SG10-CIRCA on: 21-Apr-06	EN 771- x:2003/A1:2005

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<b><u>SG11 – Membranes and geotextiles</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG11/03/004 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG11:	GNB-CPD position paper from SG11 – EN 13249 to EN13257 and EN 13265  <i>Questionnaire to check the Factory Production Control for CE Marking relating to Geotextiles and Geotextile Related Products</i>	04-Nov-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 22-Oct-02	Approved - no adverse comment at 12 <sup>th</sup> AG mtg 22-Oct-02	NB-CPD/02/039 24-Sep-02	NB-CPD/SG11-??? Sent to CPD TechSec on 12-Jul-02	EN 13249 to EN13257 and EN 13265
NOT APPROVED YET- Very early stages	GNB-CPD position paper from SG11 – En xxx: <i>Questions and answers</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG11-05/004 (Minutes of 6 <sup>th</sup> mtg) & NB- CPD/SG11-05/006 on SG11- CIRCA on 24-Nov-05	All geomembrane standards
<b><u>SG12 – Pipes, tanks and related engineering products</u></b>								
NOT APPROVED YET- Very early stages	GNB-CPD position paper from SG12 – En 12566-1: Hydraulic efficiency and nominal capacity		B				NB-CPD/SG12-06/014 Draft Position Paper EN 12566 - on SG12 CIRCA on 19-Jun-06	EN 12566-1
<b><u>SG13 – Precast concrete products</u></b>								
NOT APPROVED YET- Document with CPD TechSec	GNB-CPD position paper from SG13 – All hENs of SG13  <i>Guideline and check-list for assessing compliance of FPC by NBs</i>		C				NB-CPD/SG13-2008/001 – uploaded on SG13-CIRCA on: 25-Mar-08	All hENs of SG13:
<b><u>SG14 – Reinforcing and prestressing steels</u></b>								
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG14	GNB-CPD position paper from SG14 – EN 10080  <i>FPC requirements</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG14PP01 17-Jan-06	EN 10080
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG14	GNB-CPD position paper from SG14 – EN 10080 and EN 10138  <i>Historic data</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG14PP02 – uploaded on SG14-CIRCA on: 17-Jan-06	EN 10080, EN 10148

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NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG14	GNB-CPD position paper from SG14 – EN 10080 <i>Statistical methods</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG14PP03 – uploaded on SG14-CIRCA on: 17-Jan-06	EN 10080
NOT APPROVED YET- Document under development in SG14	GNB-CPD position paper from SG14 – EN 10080 <i>Nitrogen in steel</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG14PP04 – uploaded on SG14-CIRCA on: 17-Jan-06	EN 10080
NOT APPROVED YET- Document under development in SG14	GNB-CPD position paper from SG14 – EN 10080 and EN 1038 <i>Model certificates</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG14PP05 – uploaded on SG14-CIRCA on: 09-Feb-06	EN 10080 EN 10138
<b><u>SG15 – Road construction products</u></b>								
NOT APPROVED YET- Document under development in SG15	GNB-CPD position paper from SG15 – EN 12591, EN 13924, EN 14023 <i>Issues</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG15/07/036 on SG15-CIRCA on: 25-Jun-07	EN 12591, EN 13924, EN 14023
NB-CPD/SG15/07/049 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG15	GNB-CPD position paper from SG15 - EN 13108 Parts 1-7 <i>Bituminous mixtures - Factory Production Control to EN 13108-21:2006</i>	21-May-07	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 21-May-07	Approved on CIRCA with comments only from CEN by 17- Nov-06	NB-CPD/06/235 06-Oct-06	NB-CPD/SG15/06/019 21-Aug-06 Final edited version from SG NB-CPD/SG15/06/019 rev3 14-May-07	EN 13108-21
NOT APPROVED YET- Document under development in SG15	GNB-CPD position paper from SG15 – EN 12271 <i>Surface Dressing</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG15/07/039	EN 12271
NOT APPROVED YET- Document under development in SG15	GNB-CPD position paper from SG15 – EN 14733, EN 13808, EN 15322 <i>Bituminous emulsions and binders</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG15/06/027 rev2	EN 14733, EN 13808, EN 15322
NOT APPROVED YET- Position paper planned	GNB-CPD position paper from SG15 – prEN 12273 <i>Slurry surfacing</i>		A				Intention to develop a paper in SG15 workplan Aug 2007 - Sep 2008	prEN 12273

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<b><u>SG16 – Structural bearings</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG16/06/038 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG16	GNB-CPD position paper from SG16 – EN 1337-3:2005 <i>Use of historic data on the basis of DIN 4141-14/-140 for initial type testing</i>	08-Nov-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 07-Nov-06	Approved without comment on CIRCA by 27-Oct- 06	NB-CPD/06/229 15-Sep-06	Latest SG version on CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG16-06//003 – on SG16-CIRCA on: 4-Aug-06	EN 1337-3
NB-CPD/SG16/06/039 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG16	GNB-CPD position paper from SG16 – EN 1337-3:2005 <i>Frequency of continuous surveillance, assessment and approval of FPC</i>	08-Nov-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 07-Nov-06	Approved without comment on CIRCA by 27-Oct- 06	NB-CPD/06/230 15-Sep-06	Latest SG version on CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG16-06//004 – on SG16-CIRCA on: 4-Aug-06	EN 1337-3
NB-CPD/SG16/06/040 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG16	GNB-CPD position paper from SG16 – EN 1337-4:2004 <i>Frequency of continuous surveillance, assessment and approval of FPC</i>	08-Nov-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 07-Nov-06	Approved without comment on CIRCA by 27-Oct- 06	NB-CPD/06/231 15-Sep-06	Latest SG version on CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG16-06//005 – on SG16-CIRCA on: 4-Aug-06	EN 1337-4
NB-CPD/SG16/06/041 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG16	GNB-CPD position paper from SG16 - EN 1337-5:2005 <i>Structural bearings - Pot bearings - Clarification of Annex D, determination of restraint moment, and frequency of continuous surveillance, assessment and approval of FPC</i>	08-Nov-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 07-Nov-06	Approved without comment on CIRCA by 27-Oct- 06	NB-CPD/06/227 and NB-CPD/06/228 15-Sep-06	Latest SG versions on CIRCA are NB-CPD/SG16- 06//001 and NB-CPD/SG16- 06//002 – on SG16-CIRCA on: 4-Aug-06	EN 1337-5
NB-CPD/SG16/06/042 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG16	GNB-CPD position paper from SG16 – EN 1337-6:2004 <i>Frequency of continuous surveillance, assessment and approval of FPC</i>	08-Nov-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 08-Nov-06	Approved without comment on CIRCA by 27-Oct- 06	NB-CPD/06/232 15-Sep-06	Latest SG version on CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG16-06//006 – on SG16-CIRCA on: 4-Aug-06	EN 1337-6
NB-CPD/SG16/06/043 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG16	GNB-CPD position paper from SG16 – EN 1337-7:2004 <i>Frequency of continuous surveillance, assessment and approval of FPC</i>	08-Nov-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 08-Nov-06	Approved without comment on CIRCA by 27-Oct- 06	NB-CPD/06/233 15-Sep-06	Latest SG version on CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG16-06//007 – on SG16-CIRCA on: 4-Aug-06	EN 1337-7
DEVELOPMENT ABANDONED at stage B/C 15-Aug-08	GNB-CPD position paper from SG16 – EN 1337-5:2005 <i>Structural bearings – Pot bearings – Clarification of the test procedure for the lubricant</i>		Y				<del>Latest SG version on CIRCA is NB-CPD/SG16-2007/001 – on SG16-CIRCA on: 9-Nov-07</del>	EN 1337-5

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<b><u>SG17 – Structural metallic products</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG17/06/017 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG17	GNB-CPD position paper from SG17 - EN 10025 <i>Guidance for the assessment of FPC</i>	21-Feb-06	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 04-Oct-05	Approved - subject to minor changes at 18 <sup>th</sup> AG mtg 04-Oct-05	NB-CPD/05/151 7-Sep-05	NB-CPD/SG17-05/002 – on SG17-CIRCA on: 20-May-05	EN 10025-1:2004
NOT APPROVED YET- With TechSec for processing for AG	GNB-CPD position paper from SG17 - EN 13479 <i>Guidance for the assessment of Welding consumables</i>		C				NB-CPD/SG17-07/030 on SG17-CIRCA on: 11-Oct-07	EN 13479
NOT APPROVED YET- With TechSec for processing for AG	GNB-CPD position paper from SG17 - prEN 1090 <i>Guidance for the assessment of FPC of Steel and aluminium structural components</i>		C				NB-CPD/SG17-08/039r1 on SG17-CIRCA on:	EN 1090-1
NB-CPD/SG17/08/057 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG17	GNB-CPD position paper from SG17 EN 10210-1:2006 and EN 10219-1:2006 <i>Guidance for the assessment of FPC of hollow structural sections of non-alloy and fine grain steels</i>	05-Aug-08	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 05-Aug-08	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6- week consultation period.	NB-CPD/08/327 9-Jun-08	NB-CPD/SG17-07/031 on SG17-CIRCA on: 11-Oct-07	EN 10210-1 and EN 10219
NB-CPD/SG17/08/058 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG17	GNB-CPD position paper from SG17 - EN 14399-1:2005 and EN 15048-1:2007 <i>Guidance for the assessment of FPC of structural bolting assemblies</i>	05-Aug-08	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 05-Aug-08	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6- week consultation period.	NB-CPD/08/328 9-Jun-08	NB-CPD/SG17-07/031 on SG17-CIRCA on: 11-Oct-07	EN 14399-1 and EN15048-1
<b><u>SG18 – Structural timber products</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG18/07/051 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG18	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 - EN 14081-1:2005 <i>Certification of FPC of strength graded structural timber</i>	02-Nov-07	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 02-Nov-07	Approved on CIRCA by 27-Jul- 07 with minor changes to clarify text	NB-CPD/07/282 13-Jun-07	Latest SG version on CIRCA is: NB CPD SG18 05 002 r3 Position Paper-EN-14081- October-2006 FINAL On: 20-Oct-06	EN 14081-1
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG18 – High priority	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 – EN 14250 <i>Prefabricated trusses using punched metal plate fasteners</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG18-05/003 - on SG18-CIRCA on: 03-Mar-05	EN 14250

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NB-CPD/SG18/07/052 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG18	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 - EN 14080:2005 <i>Certification of glued laminated timber</i>	02-Nov-07	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 02-Nov-07	Approved on CIRCA by 26-Jul- 07 - comments resolved without change	NB-CPD/07/281 13-Jun-07	Latest SG version on CIRCA is: NB CPD SG18 06 001r2 Position Paper EN 14080 Final On: 20-Oct-06	EN 14080
NB-CPD/SG18/07/053 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG18	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 - prEN 14545:2002 and 2007 <i>Certification of FPC of Punched metal plate fasteners for timber</i>	02-Nov-07	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 02-Nov-07	Approved on CIRCA by 26-Jul- 07 - comments resolved without change	NB-CPD/07/283 13-Jun-07	Latest SG version on CIRCA is: NB CPD SG18 06 002r1 Position Paper prEN 14545 Final On: 20-Oct-06	EN 14545
NB-CPD/SG18/07/054 APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG18	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 - ETAG 015:2002 <i>Certification of FPC of Three- dimensional nailing plates</i>	02-Nov-07	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 02-Nov-07	Approved on CIRCA by 26-Jul- 07 - comments resolved without change	NB-CPD/07/284 13-Jun-07	Latest SG version on CIRCA is: NB CPD SG18 06 012 Position Paper ETAG 015 Final On: 20-Oct-06	ETAG 15
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG18 – Medium priority	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 – EN 15497 <i>Finger jointed structural timber</i>		A					EN 15497
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG18 – Medium priority	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 – EN 14544 <i>Structural round timber</i>		A					EN 14544
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG18 – Medium priority	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 – EN 14732 <i>Prefabricated structural wall, floor and roof elements</i>		A					EN 14732
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG18 – Low priority	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 – EN 14592 <i>Fasteners</i>		A					EN 14592
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG18 – Priority?	GNB-CPD position paper from SG18 – All SG18 ENs <i>FPC template</i>		B				Not numbered - on SG18 CIRCA on: 02-Feb-04	All relevant ENs of SG18

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<b><u>SG19 – Thermal insulation products</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG19/03/003 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG19	GNB-CPD position paper from SG19 - EN 13162 through to EN 13172 <i>Guidance to notified bodies on the transitional arrangements for the CE marking of thermal insulation products.</i>	09-Sep-04	E	Approved GNB- CPD position paper 01-Nov-02	Approved - subject to minor changes at 12 <sup>th</sup> AG mtg 22-Oct-02	NB-CPD/02/013r1 30-Sep-02	- - - -	EN 13162 through to EN 13172
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG19			B				Revision of Approved doc. NB-CPD/SG19/03/003 as NB-CPD/SG19-N09r1 19-Sep-05	EN 13162 through to EN 13172
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG19	GNB-CPD position paper from SG19 - EN 14303 to EN 14315- 1 and EN 14319-1 <i>ITT of thermal insulation products for building equipment and industrial installations.</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG19-N011r1– on SG19-CIRCA on: 19-Sep-05	EN 14303 to EN 14315-1 and EN 14319-1
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG19	GNB-CPD position paper from SG19 – All SG19 products <i>Criteria on manufacturers regarding their HFM testing equipment</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG19-N58– on SG19-CIRCA on: 19-Sep-05	All SG19 products
NOT APPROVED YET- Discussion between SG19 and CPD TechSec prior to seeking AG approval.	GNB-CPD position paper from SG19 – EN13162 through to EN12171 <i>Questions and answers</i>		C				NB-CPD/SG19/07/087– on SG19-CIRCA on: 05-Jan-07	EN 13162 through to EN 13172
<b><u>SG20 – Wood-based panels</u></b>								
NOT APPROVED YET- Version from SG20 edited by CPD TechSec and returned to SG20 9 May 2007	GNB-CPD position paper from SG20 - EN 13986:2004		D	Provisionally approved GNB- CPD position paper subject to modifications.	Paper now addresses an amended version of EN 13986. After discussion at 17 <sup>th</sup> AG meeting 15-Mar-05 SG20 asked to make changes – mostly editorial.	NB-CPD/03/043r4 25-Feb-05	NB-CPD SG20-08-002 – on SG20-CIRCA on: 15-Feb-08	EN 13986
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG20	GNB-CPD position paper from SG20 - EN 13986? <i>Questions and answers</i>		B				NB-CPD/05/007 – on SG20- CIRCA on: 07-Dec-05	EN 13986



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NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG20	GNB-CPD position paper from SG20 - EN 13986? <i>Control values for EN 310</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG20-04/008 - on SG20-CIRCA on: 01-Oct-04 and various comments later	EN 13986
NOT APPROVED YET- Documents under development in SG20	GNB-CPD position paper from SG20 - EN 13986 <i>Reaction to fire and EXAP</i>		B				NB-CPD/SG20-06/011 - on SG20-CIRCA on: 20-Jun-06	EN 13986
<b><u>SG21 – Building kits</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SG21/07/050 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SG21	GNB-CPD position paper from SG21 – ETAG 007 and 012 <i>Building kits</i>	6-Sep-07	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 31-Jul-07	Approval on CIRCA, with comments leading to some changes.	NB-CPD/07/285 18-Jun-07	NB-CPD/SGs-21-30 22 uploaded on CIRCA on: 13-Feb-07	ETAG 007, ETAG 012, ETAG 021, ETAG 023 and ETAG 025

## **SH DOCUMENTS (SH02)**

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<b><u>SH02 – Fire</u></b>								
NB-CPD/SH02/06/020 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering reaction to fire performance <i>Statement for inclusion in reaction to fire classification reports – products at system 3 for which a fire class A1 to C is declared</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 04-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period.	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R001rev2 starred footnote, statement for classification reports 31-May-05	All specifications covering reaction to fire performance



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NB-CPD/SH02/06/021 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering reaction to fire or fire resistance performance <i>Bodies carrying out extended application from reaction to fire and fire resistance tests and issuing classification reports</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 04-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period.	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R002rev1 EXAP and classification reports 27-Apr-06	All specifications covering reaction to fire or fire resistance performance
NB-CPD/SH02/06/022 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering fire performance <i>Use of national test data in support of extended application of fire test results</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 04-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R004rev1 use of national test data in EXAP 27-Apr-06	All specifications covering fire performance
NB-CPD/SH02/06/023 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering fire resistance performance <i>Rules for undertaking extended application of test results of fire resisting elements – General requirements</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 04-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R5 FR EXAP - general principles 11-Feb-03	All specifications covering fire resistance performance
NB-CPD/SH02/06/024 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - Fire resistance of partitions <i>Rules for undertaking extended application of test results of fire resisting elements – Partitions</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 04-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R6 - FR EXAP - partitions 11-Feb-03	All specifications covering fire resistance of partitions
NB-CPD/SH02/06/025 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - Fire resistance of glazed screens <i>Rules for undertaking extended application of test results of fire resisting elements – Glazed screens</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 04-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R7rev1 - FR EXAP glazed screens 17-Feb-03	All specifications covering fire resistance of glazed screens
NB-CPD/SH02/06/026 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - Fire resistance of penetration seals <i>Rules for undertaking extended application of test results of fire resisting elements – Penetration seals</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 04-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R8 - FR EXAP - penetration seals 11-Feb-03	All specifications covering fire resistance of penetration seals

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NB-CPD/SH02/06/027 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - EN 13162:2001 <i>Fire testing and classification protocol for mineral wool products</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 05-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R009rev1 testing and classification protocol for mineral wool 27-Apr-06	EN 13162:2001
NB-CPD/SH02/06/028 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering fire resistance performance <i>Presentation of fire resistance classification in classification reports to EN 13501-2:2003</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 05-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R10-Presentation of FR classification in reports to EN 13501-2 01-Apr-03	All specifications covering fire resistance performance
NB-CPD/SH02/06/029 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering reaction to fire performance <i>Classification following extended application</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 05-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R11 - classification following EXAP 15-Sep-03	All specifications covering reaction to fire performance
NB-CPD/SH02/06/030 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - Reaction to fire of cellular plastics products <i>Fire testing and classification protocol for cellular plastics products for insulation purposes applying for reaction to fire class E or E-d2</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 05-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R12 - testing & classification protocol for cellular plastics 03-Mar-04	All specifications covering cellular plastics products for insulation purposes
NB-CPD/SH02/06/031 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - EN 14509 <i>Rules for undertaking extended application of test results of fire resisting elements – Sandwich panels</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 07-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R13rev1 - FR EXAP - sandwich panels 28-Apr-04	EN 14509
NB-CPD/SH02/06/032 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - EN 14342:2005 <i>Fire testing and classification protocol for wood floorings</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 10-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R014rev1 testing and classification protocol for wood floorings 27-Apr-06	EN 14342:2005
NB-CPD/SH02/06/033 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - EN 14041:2004 <i>Fire testing and classification protocol for resilient, textile and laminate floorings</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 12-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R15 Testing & classification protocol for textile & resilient floorings 07-Sep-04	EN 14041:2004

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NB-CPD/SH02/06/034 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering reaction to fire performance <i>Format of reaction to fire classification reports</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 13-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R016rev1 format of reaction to fire classification reports 31-May-05	All specifications covering reaction to fire performance
NB-CPD/SH02/06/035 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering fire resistance performance <i>Format of fire resistance classification reports</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 13-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R17 Format of fire resistance classification reports 07-sep-04	All specifications covering fire resistance performance
NB-CPD/SH02/06/036 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - EN 12004:2001 <i>Reaction to fire testing protocol for adhesives for tiles, floorings and wall and ceiling finishes</i>	30-Aug-06	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 13-Jul-06	Approved on CIRCA 29-Apr-05 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/05/125 10-Mar-05	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R18 Fire testing protocol for adhesives for tiles, floorings & wall finishes 07-Sep-04	EN 12004:2001
NB-CPD/SH02/07/045 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - EN 13964: 2004 <i>Rules for undertaking extended application of test results of fire resisting elements – Suspended ceilings</i>	2-Feb-07	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 2-Feb-07	Approved on CIRCA 26-Jan-07 subject to minor changes from 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/06/252 8-Dec-06	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R 020 Rules for undertaking extended application of test results of fire resisting elements – Suspended ceilings 31-May-05	EN 13964: 2004
NB-CPD/SH02/07/046r1 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	<del>GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering reaction to fire performance</del> <del><i>Interpretation of 'non-substantial' component when the product contains perforations</i></del>	<del>2-Feb-07</del>	<del>X</del>	<del>Approved GNB-CPD position paper 2-Feb-07</del>	<del>Approved on CIRCA 26-Jan-07 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period</del>	<del>NB-CPD/06/253 8-Dec-06</del>	<del>Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R 021 Interpretation of 'non-substantial' component when the product contains perforations</del> <del>31-May-05</del>	<del>All specifications covering reaction to fire performance</del>
	Revision of GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering reaction to fire performance <i>Interpretation of 'non-substantial' component when the product contains perforations</i>		E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 9-Jun-08	Approved on CIRCA 31-May-08 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/08/321 14-Apr-08	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R 021rev1 Interpretation of 'non-substantial' component when the product contains perforations 22-May-07	All specifications covering reaction to fire performance

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NB-CPD/SH02/07/047x - WITHDRAWN	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering reaction to fire performance <i>Measurement of Smoke on the SBI – discrepancy in the output from the two burners</i>	2-Feb-07	X	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 2-Feb-07	Approved on CIRCA 26-Jan-07 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/06/254 8-Dec-06	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R 022r1 <del>Measurement of Smoke on the SBI – discrepancy in the output from the two burners</del> 29-Nov-06	All specifications covering reaction to fire performance
		18-Apr-07	Z	Withdrawn 18-Apr-07	-	-	Email from Ruth Boughey 18-Apr-07 following SH02 meeting	All specifications covering reaction to fire performance
NB-CPD/SH02/07/048 - APPROVED GUIDANCE for SH02	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - All specifications covering reaction to fire performance <i>General Template for Guidance on testing and classification protocols and mounting and fixing procedures - Testing for reaction to fire of products</i>	2-Feb-07	E	Approved GNB-CPD position paper 2-Feb-07	Approved on CIRCA 26-Jan-07 as no comments received in 6-week consultation period	NB-CPD/06/255 8-Dec-06	Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R 023 Guidance on testing and classification protocols and mounting and fixing procedures- testing for reaction to fire of products as placed on the market 26-Oct-06	All specifications covering reaction to fire performance
NOT APPROVED YET - Returned to SG by CPD TechSec	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - Testing concrete tiles for reaction to fire		C				Latest SH02 version on CIRCA is R 025 Testing concrete tiles 01-Jun-07	EN 490:2004 EN 12823
NOT APPROVED YET - To be discussed at AG meeting	GNB-CPD position paper from SH02 - Cautionary statement advising users to check the relevance of reports over 5 years old		C			NB-CPD/08/341 22-Aug-2008		All specifications covering fire performance

## KEY GNB-CPD DOCUMENTS – INTERNAL AND AGREED BY AG

GNB-CPD ref. number	Title	Development Stage	Date document last full/ conditional agreed to by AG	Comments arising from the approval process	Last consultation - AG number & Date	Description/Comments	Refs
NB-CPD/03/003r2	Changes to the working methods of the GNB	X		Discussed at 13 <sup>th</sup> AG 28-Mar-03, not fully agreed.	NB-CPD/03/003 – on AG-CIRCA on 7-Mar-03		
		X	Agreed GNB-CPD document 28-Mar-03	-			
		E	Agreed GNB-CPD document 25-Aug-03	-		Minor error in NB-CPD/03/003r1 noticed at 57 <sup>th</sup> SCC meeting and corrected in this revision	
NB-CPD/03/032r6	Terms of Reference for Sector Groups of Notified Bodies for the CPD	X	Agreed GNB-CPD document 23-Sep-03	Document agreed at 14 <sup>th</sup> AG	NB-CPD/03/032 – on AG-CIRCA on: 28-Aug-03	Gives Terms of Reference (revised) for Sector Groups.	
		X			NB-CPD/03/032r1 – on AG-CIRCA on: 12-Dec-03		
		X			NB-CPD/03/032r2 – on SG-CIRCA on: Jan_04		
		X	Agreed GNB-CPD document 10-Sep-04	Document largely agreed at 14 <sup>th</sup> AG, revised version addressing later comments raised was issued 10-September 2003	NB-CPD/03/031 – on SG-CIRCA on: 23-Sep-03	Update of earlier Terms of Reference to extend the max. period in office of SG-Official to 2 x 3 years and emphasise the importance of CIRCA for all SG communications.	
		X	Agreed GNB-CPD document 14-Mar-06	Document agreed at 19 <sup>th</sup> AG, except for reversal of a change in scope.	NB-CPD/03/031r4 – on AG-CIRCA on: 27-Feb-06	Update of scopes of SGs	
		X	Uploaded to CIRCA Mar-06	-	Change to NB-CPD/03/031r4 requested at 19 <sup>th</sup> AG meeting 6-Apr-06	Update of scopes of SGs	

GNB-CPD ref. number	Title	Development Stage	Date document last full/ conditional agreed to by AG	Comments arising from the approval process	Last consultation - AG number & Date	Description/Comments	Refs
		E	Uploaded to CIRCA Nov-07	-	Revision discussed and agreed 20 <sup>th</sup> AG meeting 10-Oct-06 re NB-CPD/06/212	Update of scopes of SGs	
NB-CPD/03/033r3	Guidance for SGs on their role and method of working	X		<del>Changes requested at 14<sup>th</sup> AG meeting 23-Sep-03</del>	<del>NB-CPD/03/033 – on AG-CIRCA on: 28-Aug-03</del>		
		X			<del>NB-CPD/03/033r1 – on AG-CIRCA on: 12-Dec-03</del>		
		X	Agreed GNB-CPD document 10-Sep-04	Document largely agreed at 14 <sup>th</sup> AG, revised version addressing later comments raised was issued 10 September 2003	<del>NB-CPD/03/032r2 – on AG-CIRCA on: 23-Sep-03</del>	Update of earlier document and emphasising the importance of CIRCA for all SG work, the approval process and the need to scrutinise technical specifications.	
		E	Agreed GNB-CPD document 14-Mar-06	Document agreed at 19 <sup>th</sup> AG	NB-CPD/03/032r3 – on AG-CIRCA on: 27-Feb-06	Addressing issues arising from GNB-CPD questionnaire (Jan 05) and 1 <sup>st</sup> SG Officials meeting on 9 Feb-05.	

	Stage “A”	Stage “B”	Stage “C”	Stage “D”	Stage “E”	TOTAL
AG documents	<i>Proposed</i> <i>ie no draft available yet</i>	<i>Under development</i>	<i>Considered by full AG</i> <i>At meeting or on CIRCA; changes may be required before approval</i>	<i>Approved / Approved in principle by AG</i>	<i>Finalised</i> <i>ie Approved Guidance by AG, on CIRCA and sent to/on NANDO</i>	
SG documents	<i>Proposed</i> <i>ie no draft available yet</i>	<i>Under development by SG</i> <i>ie not yet agreed within SG</i>	<i>Agreed by SG</i> <i>ie under scrutiny by TechSec or SG considering TechSec comments</i>	<i>Considered by AG</i> <i>Changes may be required before approval</i>	<i>Finalised</i> <i>ie Approved Guidance by AG, on CIRCA and sent to/on NANDO</i>	
AG documents	1	0	1	1	8	11
SG documents (SG01-SG21)	7	38	16	3	38	102
SH documents (SH02)	0	0	2	0	20	22
Key GNB-CPD documents	0	0	0	0	3	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>138</b>

NOTE 1 Development stage X with text struck through indicates a superseded version of a document.

NOTE 2 Development stage Y with text struck through indicates a paper on which development has ceased, for instance because the objective of a SG PP has been incorporated in a modified version of a standard. (However, papers on which development has ceased were not retained in this document before 2008.)

NOTE 3 Development stage Z with text struck through indicates a paper which was published but has since been withdrawn.

NOTE 4 These totals count the latest published version of documents, and additionally revisions under way, but superseded versions of documents are not included. There may be some double counting between one or two SH02 documents and those in the vertical SGs.

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**PLEASE NOTE:**

To facilitate the 24<sup>th</sup> Advisory Group meeting on 7 October 2008, National Mirror Groups and others are requested to forward their comments on this document in writing - by 27 September 2008.

These comments should be submitted to CPD TechSec (newmanc@mgt.fbe.co.uk).

## Analysis of misleading documents/certificates

At the previous, 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the GNB-CPD Advisory Group (Prague, 11 March 2008), under “*Any other business*”, the President raised the problem of documents that look like notified body EC Certificates of Conformity, but are not genuine. He asked members to send copies of any such documents they were aware of to CPD TechSec. CPD TechSec issued a further call for such documents, NB-CPD/08/330 “*Last call for examples of misleading certificates*”. Together with documents that CPD TechSec had already received, this produced:

- 13 documents issued by third party organizations that were not notified bodies, but appeared to be intended to reassure potential users of the construction products that the products conformed with the requirements of the CPD. Eleven of these documents had the appearance of a certificate, whilst one claimed to be an “EC Declaration of Conformity”, and another was entitled “Test report”, and stated “Pass” above the CE Marking. These documents originated from eight organizations, although two of the eight had an address in the same building.
- 1 manufacturer’s “certificate” that made no claims relating to the CPD, and so is not considered further in this report.
- 6 certificates that had been issued by genuine notified bodies, but had raised concerns among others who had seen the certificates that they were not entirely correct.

## Misleading certificates from non-notified bodies

Six different organizations were responsible for issuing the eleven certificates, although two of these give an address in the same building. One of these “certifying” organizations gave an address outside the EEA, whilst five give an address in the EEA. All of the products appeared to originate from outside the EEA.

CPD TechSec is not qualified to give an opinion on whether these “certificates” are illegal in any way. It is possible that the “certifiers” intend to mislead the manufacturers, or both together intend to mislead customers. But they may be acting in good faith, but misunderstand the requirements for CE marking; or they are intended to be voluntary marks/certificates obtained to give greater credibility to CE marking by an overseas manufactured product.

The layouts of the misleading certificates generally differ substantially from the GNB-CPD model certificates. The misleading certificates produced by non-notified bodies are characterised as follows:

- all of them bear the CE marking logo in a prominent size;
- all of them contain somewhere a “Certificate number” (except in one case a “Reference No.”);
- all of them refer to the CPD;
- all except one of them refer to one or more harmonized European standards (one refers only to ISO 1182:2002, a version of the non-combustibility test for reaction to fire, whilst some include non-harmonized standards);



- few of them refer to “factory production control”; “manufacturing process” is commonly used, and;
- few of them are appropriate for the level of attestation of conformity required for CE marking the product, eg one is for a product where the AoC level for CE marking is 4.

Of additional concern to the GNB-CPD is that the websites of some of these organisations claim links with genuine notified bodies which appear to be unfounded; it is assumed that they are intended to gain credibility.

## Misleading declaration of conformity

The misleading “declaration of conformity” is issued by a third party organization and so is more like a certificate than a manufacturers’ declaration of conformity required by Annex ZA, except that it is headed “EC Declaration of Conformity”. In other respects is very similar to the misleading “certificates” described above. It states that products were tested by the approving organization and found to be in compliance with EC directives based on a harmonized standard (EN 1125:1997+A1:2001). No “certificate” number is given, although there is a reference to a test report number. It bears the CE marking, and states that “the required CE marking can be affixed on the product.” The “declaration” makes clear that it is based only on an evaluation (assumed to be just testing) of one sample. However for CE marking the product, a panic exit device should be at AoC system 1.

## Misleading test report

At the bottom of the front page of this test report, it states:

Sample(s) of the product were tested and found to be in conformity with standard(s)

**EN 13964:2004**

**Test result**

**PASS**



This is followed by several pages of what appear to be extracts from EN 14964:2006 “Rigid underlays for discontinuous roofing - Definitions and characteristics”, beginning with the scope, with each section awarded a verdict “P”. The product name is given as “Fiberglass ceiling panel, Fiberglass decorative wall panel”; EN 13964:2004 “Suspended ceilings - Requirements and test methods” could be applicable for fibreglass ceiling panels, unlike EN 14964:2006.

## Certificates of doubtful accuracy from genuine notified bodies

Although those who submitted the six certificates to CPD TechSec believed that they were flawed, in principle there is a possibility that they are mistaken in some circumstances, and the certificates are in fact sound; for example one certificate was issued by a notified body which was not notified on NANDO for the appropriate standard, but it is possible the notification of the body on NANDO was delayed. The appropriate route for questioning the accuracy of CE marking and certificates is through the market surveillance authorities of Member States.

## Conclusions

- 1 The presence of misleading certificates unfairly and directly affects the credibility of CE marking and the work done by members of the GNB.

- 2 A major reason for the proposed Regulation is to clarify the legal position and nature of CE marking by manufacturers. The opportunity should also be taken to clarify the legal position of NB documents (test reports and certificates) in support of CE marking by manufacturers. Along with the much greater involvement and legal responsibility of those in the distribution chain (ie importers and distributors) to check the validity of the declaration of performance on the products must be a comparable protection for the documents supporting CE marking used by the distribution chain
- 3 If a NB has reasonable doubts about the work of another NB and any certificates it has issued, the best course of action may be a friendly approach to the NB. If such an approach is ignored and formal action seems necessary, they should report their concerns to the notifying authority of the NB whose work is causing concern.

## **Further action**

CPD TechSec will forward copies of the misleading certificates, declaration of conformity and test report from non-notified bodies to the Commission for its consideration.