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## POLISH REPUBLIC

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Item 1966

### ORDINANCE

#### MINISTER OF INFRASTRUCTURE AND CONSTRUCTION<sup>1)</sup>

of November 17, 2016

on the method of declaring the performance of construction products and the method of marking their construction mark<sup>2)</sup>

Based on Article. 8 sec. 8 of the Act of April 16, 2004 on construction products (Journal of Laws of 2016, item 1570) the following is ordered:

**§ 1.** The regulation specifies:

- 1) the method of declaring the performance of construction products;
- 2) national systems of assessment and verification of constancy of performance of construction products, hereinafter referred to as "national systems";
- 3) groups of construction products covered by the obligation to draw up a national declaration of performance, hereinafter referred to as the "national declaration", and national systems of assessment and verification of constancy of properties appropriate for these groups utility;
- 4) the template and content of the national declaration;
- 5) the manner of making available or delivering the national declaration to recipients of construction products;
- 6) the method of marking construction products with a construction mark and the scope of information accompanying this mark.

**§ 2.** Whenever the regulation refers to:

- 1) Polish Standard - it should be understood as the Polish Product Standard, which does not have the status of a withdrawn standard;
- 2) national technical specification - it should be understood as Polish Standard or national technical assessment;
- 3) factory production control - it should be understood as documented, permanent and internal production control in the manufacturing plant, in accordance with the applicable national technical specifications;

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<sup>1)</sup> The Minister of Infrastructure and Construction manages the government administration department - construction, planning, spatial development spatial and housing, pursuant to § 1 sec. 2 point 1 of the Regulation of the Prime Minister of November 17, 2015 on the detailed scope of activities of the Minister of Infrastructure and Construction (Journal of Laws, items 1907 and 2094).

<sup>2)</sup> This Regulation was notified to the European Commission on July 20, 2016, under the number 2016/374 / PL, pursuant to § 4 of the Regulation of the Council of Ministers of December 23, 2002 on the operation of the national notification system of standards and legal acts (Journal of Laws, item 2039 and of 2004, item 597) that implements Directive 2015/1535 / EU of the European Parliament and the Council of 9 September 2015 laying down the procedure for the provision of information in the field of technical standards and regulations and rules on information society services (codification) (Journal of Laws UE L 241 of 19/09/2015, p. 1).

- 4) national certificate of constancy of performance - it should be understood as issued by a certification body
- 5) document required to draw up a national declaration;  
national certificate of conformity of factory production control - it should be understood as issued by a body certifying a document required to draw up a national declaration;
- 6) type of construction product - it should be understood as a set of representative levels or classes of properties with regard to the essential characteristics and intended use of the construction product produced by using a given combination of raw materials or other ingredients in a specific production process.

**§ 3.** The manufacturer declares the performance of the construction product by expressing them as a level, class or descriptive manner, based on the assessment and verification of the constancy of these performance characteristics, carried out in accordance with the national appropriate system for this product and its intended use.

**§ 4. 1.** The national systems listed in par. 2-6 describe the manufacturer's activities related to constancy assessment and verification of performance of the construction product, as well as the scope of this assessment and verification, carried out at the request of the manufacturer by a certification body or research laboratory accredited in accordance with the Act of April 13, 2016. on conformity assessment and market surveillance systems (Journal of Laws, item 542, 1228 and 1579) which are not accredited own units.

2. In the national system 1+:

1) the manufacturer's activities related to the assessment and verification referred to in paragraph 1, include the type of construction product and conducting:

- a) factory production control,
- b) testing of samples taken by the manufacturer at the factory in accordance with a plan established by its research;

2) the assessment and verification carried out by the certification body referred to in para. 1, includes:

- a) assessment of the performance of the construction product on the basis of testing samples taken by the unit certifying, calculating, tabular values or descriptive documentation of this product,
- b) carrying out an initial inspection of the manufacturing plant and factory production control,
- c) issuing a national certificate of constancy of performance,
- d) continuation of surveillance, assessment and evaluation of factory production control,
- (e) carrying out control testing of samples taken by the certification body at the manufacturing plant or at the manufacturer's warehouse facilities.

3. In the national system 1:

1) the manufacturer's activities related to the assessment and verification referred to in paragraph 1, include the type of construction product and conducting:

- a) factory production control,
- b) testing of samples taken by the manufacturer at the factory in accordance with a plan established by its research;

2) the assessment and verification carried out by the certification body referred to in para. 1, includes:

- a) assessment of the performance of the construction product on the basis of testing samples taken by the unit certifying, calculating, tabular values or descriptive documentation of this product,

- b) carrying out an initial inspection of the manufacturing plant and factory production control,
- c) issuing a national certificate of constancy of performance,
- d) continuing surveillance, assessment and evaluation of factory production control.

4. In the national system 2+:

1) the manufacturer's activities related to the assessment and verification referred to in paragraph 1, include the type of construction product and conducting:

- a) assessment of the performance of the product on the basis of tests, samples taken by the manufacturer, calculations, tables of value or descriptive documentation of this product,
- b) factory production control,
- c) testing of samples taken by the manufacturer at the factory in accordance with a plan established by its research;

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Fire suppression and extinguishing systems

- sets: internal hydrants,  
dry hydrant installations  
and irrigated, installation kits  
sprinklers, sprinklers  
and water mist, firefighting kits  
foam, fire extinguishing sets  
powder, gas extinguishing sets  
(including CO<sub>2</sub> firefighting systems),  
aerosol extinguishing sets,  
spark extinguishing sets,  
kits for reducing the concentration of oxygen

Fire suppression and extinguishing systems

- components: hydrants  
external, sensors / switches  
water flow sensors /  
pressure switches, valves  
fire hydrants, connections for  
fire brigade, fire pumps  
and fire pump units, nozzles / sprinklers / sprinklers / components  
outlet, valve assemblies  
water control and alarm systems,  
control valve units  
- air alarms,  
excitation valve assemblies,  
stimulants,  
tank valve assemblies  
pressure vessels and their devices  
triggering,  
directional valves and their devices  
triggering, non-electric  
locking devices, fasteners  
flexible, pressure gauges and connectors

pressure, mechanical devices  
scales, check valves  
and one-way, devices  
control and signaling sources  
power supply, detergent dispensers  
foam generator, nozzles  
foam, installation pumps  
fire water supply,  
flexible hose couplings, couplings  
grooved pipe fittings, grooved fittings  
for pipes, plastic piping systems  
plastics, valves and gate valves  
inlets, handles and sets  
pipe fittings fastening,  
restriction and regulation valves  
pressure, media tanks  
firefighting, inlet manifolds  
and distribution, filters, control panels  
for the fire brigade