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Part 3: Definition of parties involved

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Foreword

This document EN 764-3:2002 has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 54 "Unfired pressure vessels", the secretariat of which is held by BSI.

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Part 1 Definitions of pressure, temperature and volume;

Part 2 Quantities, symbols and units;

Part 3 Definition of parties involved;

Part 4 Establishment of technical delivery conditions for metallic materials;

Part 5 Inspection documentation of metallic materials and compliance with the material specification;

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1 Scope

This European Standard defines terms and definitions of parties involved in the design, manufacture, testing and inspection of pressure equipment and assemblies addressed by the European Directive 97/23/EC.

2 Terms and definitions

2.1

material manufacturer

individual or organisation that produces material in the basic product forms used in the manufacture of pressure equipment

2.2

material supplier

individual or organisation, that may or may not be the material manufacturer, who supplies material or parts used in the manufacture of pressure equipment and assemblies

2.3

manufacturer

individual or organisation that is responsible for the design, fabrication, testing, inspection, installation of pressure equipment and assemblies where relevant

NOTE 1 The manufacturer can subcontract one or more of the above mentioned tasks under its responsibility.

NOTE 2 In EU member states the manufacturer is responsible for compliance with the Pressure Equipment Directive 97/23/EC. For those manufacturers outside of the EU their authorized representative inside the EU assumes this responsibility.

2.4

designer, fabricator and/or installer, subcontractor of the manufacturer

individual or organisation that respectively performs design, fabrication, testing, installation where relevant, of pressure equipment under contract to the manufacturer

2.5

first party

individual or organisation that designs, manufactures or supplies the pressure equipment or the assembly

2.6

second party

individual or organisation that uses and/or operates the pressure equipment or the assembly

2.7

third party

individual or organisation independent of the first and second party

NOTE Inspectors of the suppliers of material, manufacturers, fabricators/installers or their subcontractors are not third party inspectors.

2.8

user and/or operator

individual or organisation that uses and/or operates pressure equipment or assemblies

2.9

purchaser

individual or organisation that buys pressure equipment, assemblies or pressure parts on behalf of the user and/or operator or for its own use

2.10**inspector**

individual who is independent from production responsible for carrying out inspections to verify that the requirements of the technical specification(s) are met

2.11**responsible authority**

competent organisation which is independent of the manufacturer. For application within the jurisdiction of the European Union this organisation may be a notified body, a recognised third-party organisation or an user inspectorate. For application outside the jurisdiction of the European Union this organisation may be a government regulating body or an independent inspection authority. For the purpose of this standard all these organisations have been collectively termed responsible authority (RA)

2.12**notified body**

organisation according to the Article 12 of the Pressure Equipment Directive 97/23/EC

NOTE The names and tasks of the notified bodies are published in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

2.13**recognized third-party organization**

organisation according to the Article 13 of the Pressure Equipment Directive 97/23/EC

NOTE The names and tasks of the recognised third-party organisations are published in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

2.14**user inspectorate**

organisation according to the Article 14 of the Pressure Equipment Directive 97/23/EC

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