

OP19 Appendix 1: ICNDT Multilateral Agreement on Recognition of NDT Personnel Certification

Master Schedule 2: Personnel Certification Bodies Registered under the ICNDT MRA

Commitments of Registered Bodies

The NDT Personnel Certification Bodies (PCBs) listed below have satisfied all of the eligibility criteria for registration under the ICNDT Multilateral Recognition Agreement (MRA) for PCBs, including having undertaken to abide by the ICNDT Code of Practice, and has been nominated and accepted for registration within the terms of the Agreement signed by those Members of the International Committee for NDT (ICNDT) listed in Schedule 1 to the Agreement.

These Personnel Certification Bodies may therefore announce that holders of their certificates issued under these arrangements are certificated by a PCB which is registered by the ICNDT as meeting the requirements of the applicable Standards (including ISO 9712 and ISO 17024) and Technical Documents referenced in the schedule of conformity (scope) issued by the accreditor and/or the ICNDT.

All signatories to the Agreement, and all PCBs registered under the Agreement, are bound to promote the recognition and acceptance of the certificates issued by all other ICNDT Registered NDT Personnel Certification Bodies.

Liability

- 1. ICNDT accepts no liability for the use of certification awarded by Registered Personnel Certification Bodies. In accordance with the international standard EN ISO 9712, the responsibility for the quality of NDT rests with the employer of the certificated person.
- 2. The ICNDT MRA and Personnel Certification Body assessment systems are subject to the jurisdiction of Austrian law.

Further Information

For further information, please contact the Secretary of the ICNDT Certification Executive Committee at icec-secretary@icndt.org.

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Note: Registrations shown past the published expiry date may be in progress of renewal. Contact the Secretary of the ICEC Certification Committee for further information.

NDT PCB	Accreditation or Conformity Assessment Body	In compliance with Standards	Date of initial registration (and renewal)	Expiry of Registration
Argentinian Institute for Standards and Certification - IRAM	Argentinian Organisation for accreditation	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	12 June 2019 (12 June 2022)	12 April 2025
Associação Brasileira de Ensaios Não Destrutivos e Inspeção (ABENDI)	INMETRO (National Institute of Metrology, Standardization, and Industrial Quality Brazil	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	19 July 2015 (21 January 2022)	21 January 2025
Australian Institute for Non-destructive Testing (AINDT)	JAS-ANZ – Joint Accreditation System of Australia and New Zealand	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	1 May 2014 (18 July 2020)	18 July 2023 *
Chinese Society for Non-Destructive Testing (ChSNDT)	ICNDT PCB Conformity Assessment	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	1 May 2015 (01 August 2018) (08 July 2021)	01 August 2027
Department of Skills Development, Ministry of Human Resources, Malaysia	Department of Standards, Malaysia.	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	26 September 2019 25 September 2022	25 September 2025
Inspecta Sertifiointi Oy (Finland)	FINAS - Finnish Accreditation Service	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	28 February 2014 (23 August 2023)	23 August 2026
National Certification Board of Indian Society for Non-Destructive Testing NCB – ISNDT (India)	National Accreditation Board for Certification Bodies NABCB	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	2 August 2021	2 August 2024
Korean Society for Nondestructive Testing KPCN KSNT	KAB Korea Accreditation Board	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	28 February 2021	28 February 2024

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Mexican Institute for NDT (IMENDE), Mexico	Mexican Accreditation Institute (EMA)	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	26 September 2019 (26 September 2022)	26 September 2025
National Certification Body for Non-Destructive Testing, Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	27 October 2017 (26 October 2020)	26 October 2026
Non-Destructive Testing Society (Singapore) - NDTSS	Singapore Accreditation Council	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	18 July 2017 (18 July 2020)	18 July 2026 *
PCN – British Institute of NDT	UKAS - United Kingdom Accreditation Service	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	14 July 2014 (29 December 2023)	13 July 2026 *
RELACRE - Associação de Laboratórios Acreditados de Portugal	IPAC – Portuguese Accreditation Institute	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	28 January 2014 (16 January 2023)	16 January 2026
SAIW Certification (South Africa)	SANAS – South African National Accreditation System	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	17 February 2016, (17-February 2022)	16 February 2025
SECTOR Cert - Gesellschaft für Zertifizierung mbH	DAkkS (Deutsche Akkreditierungsstelle GmbH)	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	7 June 2016 (30 November 2022)	30 November 2025
The Society for Non Destructive Testing and Certification of Taiwan	TAF Taiwan Accreditation Foundation - ROC, Taiwan	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2021	28 February 2021	28 February 2024
TÜV NORD Czech, s.r.o.	Czech Institute for Accreditation	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	28 June 2019 27 June 2022)	27 June 2025
TWI Certification Ltd (UK)	UKAS - United Kingdom Accreditation Service	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	28 December 2020	28 March 2024
The Ukrainian Scientific Research Institute for NDT (UkrSRINDT)	The National Accreditation Agency of Ukraine	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	5 July 2013 (11 January 2020)	Expired

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Urząd Dozoru Technicznego Jednostka Certyfikująca Osoby UDT-CERT (Poland)	Polish Centre for Accreditation	ISO 17024:2012 ISO 9712:2012	27 February 2014 (11-July 2023)	11 November 2026

* It is noted that some PCB's are having difficulties implementing some of the changes going from ISO9712:2012 to ISO9712:2021. These organisations are in the process of re-registering. ICEC discussed these difficulties during the next ICEC meeting in September 2023 with the aim of resolving the clear challenges created by these changes in the standard. Whilst these discussions are in progress a 3 month extension has been granted.