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1 PREAMBLE

The main objective is to provide information to users about the use of certified insulating materials.

They will thus have the option of searching for certified products for a given use or finding all the uses for which a certified product is designed.

2 PRINCIPLES

For each product family/use pair, a description of the minimum expected characteristics was created in accordance with §1.2 of the ACERMI General Guidelines.

The minimum levels for compliance with usage requirements are indicated in the USE matrix available on the www.acermi.com website.

Including the use appendix in the ACERMI certificate is optional.

It is the responsibility of the project owner, project supervisor and/or company to verify that use of this certificate is in line with the version of the applicable standard practices.

Uses indicated in the USE matrix, and for which the "State of the Art Rules" refers to an "Avis Technique" or an equivalent document acc. to §1.2 of the General Rules, are granted only after the applicant has provided the corresponding document, and after it has been verified.

3 OBSERVATIONS

The proposed list of products and uses is not exhaustive and may be supplemented according to new types of insulating materials receiving ACERMI certification or new guidelines for use.

In this way, after ACERMI Certification Committee consultation, it will be possible to enhance the USE matrix according to new types of insulating materials receiving ACERMI certification or based on new uses.



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4 OPERATION

4.1 Admission

Any applicant who wishes to add a use appendix to their certificate shall submit their request to the ACERMI administrator, using the relevant ACERMI request form. The applicant indicates the Uses that are claimed, according to the Matrix of Uses in force, available online on the ACERMI website (https://www.acermi.com/)

Any relevant proof required to demonstrate the conformity of the requested Use(s) according to the Matrix of Uses is attached to the form by the applicant. Characteristics that are certified by ACERMI are considered as a proof for such demonstration whenever they are a criteria for the requested Use(s).

For each requested Use, and for each requested product, the pilot member verifies that the certified characteristics and/or the proofs are sufficient to demonstrate that requirements are met according to the Matrix of Uses that is in force at the date of the verification.

If everything is compliant, the pilot member creates, or adds, the claimed Use(s) in the "Intended Uses" annex of the holder's certificate(s), according to the Matrix of Uses.

If not, the administrator informs the applicant. The applicant decides how to follow up on their application:

- either by completing or cancelling it, or
- by requesting the addition of a new use. In this case, the holder provides the administrator with the necessary information contained in the present paragraph.

4.2 Monitoring

For Use(s) related to a D.T.U. (Unified Technical Document), Professionale Rules or Recommandations accepted by ACERMI committee (i.e. indicated in the Matrix of Uses), the applicant must keep an upto-date list of claimed uses, along with the standard practices to which they relate.

For uses based on Technical Appraisals, Technical Application Documents or Technical Experimentation Assessments (case A), the applicant must have these documents.

The validity of these documents will be verified during ACERMI monitoring audits.