**INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION SYSTEM FOR CERTIFICATION TO STANDARDS RELATING TO EQUIPMENT FOR USE IN EXPLOSIVE ATMOSPHERES (IECEx SYSTEM)**

**Title:** **IECEx – Summary of Voting results on ExAG/012/DV**

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**Introduction**

This document contains a summary of the voting results for ExAG/012/DV Vote on the acceptance of Mr Hong ZHAO as an Assessor for IECEx 02 Certified Equipment Scheme for both ExCB and ExTL assessments.

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**ExAG Convenor**

**Dr Jim Munro**

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##### Ballot Vote Summary

##### Ballot Question: Do you agree with approving Mr Hong ZHAO to be an IECEx assessor in the IECEx02 Certified Equipment Scheme for both ExCB and ExTL assessments?

##### Yes 14 Votes | 82% of total votes

##### No 1 Vote | 6.0% of total votes

##### Abstain 0 Vote | 0.0% of total votes

15 votes out of 17

Summary of voting results for ExAG/012/DV, IECEx Assessor Application – Mr Hong ZHAO, Assessor Application for IECEx 02 Certified Equipment Scheme for both ExCB and ExTL assessments.

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| **ExAG Member** | **Vote** | **Comment** |
| John Allen | Yes |  |
| Alexander Zalogin | Yes |  |
| Yulia Tikhonenko | Yes |  |
| Jim Munro | Yes |  |
| Jianping Xu | Yes |  |
| Thierry Houeix | Yes |  |
| Bernard Piquette | Yes |  |
| Ronald Webb | Yes |  |
| Katy Holdredge | Yes |  |
| Marino Kelava | Yes |  |
| Julien Gauthier | Yes |  |
| Ralph Wigg | Yes | Whilst supporting a yes vote I did find it difficult to see what schemes were applied for and fins a clear statement of recommendation |
| Michel Brenon | Yes |  |
| Ajay Maira | No | 1. The assessment for recommendation mentions “English claimed as good”. I would prefer the assessment for recommendation to include an interview and change this observation to “English level is good” 2. There is only one reference given in the application form - the second reference is not completed. I would prefer a second reference t be included. |
| \*Klauspeter Graffi | Yes |  |
| \*NB: KG could not access IECEx Ballot and submitted vote manually to the Secretariat |  |  |
| **Member Voting: 15**  **Member in favour: 14**  **Members against: 1**  **NR: 2, Abstain: 0** | **Final Decision: Approved Status on: 2022-06-03** | |

**Yes = In favour No = Against NR = Not received Abstain**

**ANNEX A**

**Outcome:**

Mr Hong ZHAO is approved as an assessor in the IECEx 02 Certified Equipment Scheme for both ExCB and ExTL assessment.