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**INTRODUCTION**

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| **Country** |  |  |
| AUSTRALIA | YES |  |
| BRAZIL | YES | See Annex A |
| CANADA | YES |  |
| CROATIA | YES |  |
| CZECH REPUBLIC | YES |  |
| DENMARK | YES |  |
| FINLAND | YES |  |
| FRANCE | YES |  |
| GERMANY | YES |  |
| GREECE | YES |  |
| HUNGARY | YES |  |
| INDIA | YES |  |
| ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN | YES | See Annex A |
| ISRAEL | YES |  |
| ITALY | YES |  |
| JAPAN | YES |  |
| KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA | YES |  |
| MALAYSIA | YES |  |
| NETHERLANDS | YES |  |
| NEW ZEALAND | YES |  |
| NORWAY | NR |  |
| PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA | YES |  |
| POLAND | NR |  |
| REPUBLIC OF KOREA | YES |  |
| ROMANIA | YES |  |
| RUSSIA | YES |  |
| SINGAPORE | YES |  |
| SLOVENIA | YES |  |
| SOUTH AFRICA | YES |  |
| SPAIN | YES |  |
| SWEDEN | ABSTAIN |  |
| SWITZERLAND | ABSTAIN |  |
| TURKEY | YES |  |
| UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | YES |  |
| UNITED KINGDOM | YES |  |
| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA | YES |  |
| **Members Voting: 36**  **Members in favour: 32**  **Abstain: 2**  **NR: 2** | **Final decision: Approved** | |
| **Status on 22 09 05** | |

Do you agree with the recommendation from the IECEx Assessment Team for Competency Training Australia (ACT), Australia, to become an Accepted Ex Certification Body (ExCB) in the IECEx 05 Scheme - CoPC?

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

**Annex A**

BR

BR NC suggests that the Assessment Reports of bodies seeking acceptance to the CoPC Scheme that are also RTPs have a clear statement that the separation and the impartiality of the two activities were verified and confirmed.

Secretariat response

BR Comments are noted. It was hoped that mention by the IECEx Assessment Team that separation between training and assessment was checked and confirmed during the assessment, re items 2.3, 8.10.3 item 1. and 8.14 of the report would have given reassurance that this issue was thoroughly checked and confirmed during the assessment.

However, BR comments are noted and future reports of ExCBs and that perhaps additional mention of this checking could also have appeared under item 2.7 of the Report.

IR

Approved with consideration of notes on 1.4.2 &2.17

In 1.8 deleting of consideration on unit Ex 005 is ambiguous.

Secretariat response

The deletion of Unit Ex 005 is meant to show that this Unit of Competence is not in the scope of the ExCB’s application and hence not included the final scope of acceptance.