TEST CODE SHEET CLARIFICATION

The following information should be read in conjunction with Test Code Sheet 6001.1. It is intended to aid the test laboratories and manufacturers in clarifying the test and acceptance criteria requirements.

NOTE: This clarification applies to TCS 6001.1 Issue 7 Clause (A)

ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA

All marking must be readily visible and distinguishable after installation and on an external surface. For concealed fittings, the marking must be visible when exposed for maintenance, repair or inspection.

Note: Where approval is sought for a component which is to be installed within a larger fitting/assembly, e.g. check valve cartridge or tap headwork, the marking must still be present but it does not need to be visible after assembly and installation. Components that have a material approval only, e.g. O-rings, seals and gaskets, do not require marking.

The identification mark must not be easily removed. Accepted methods are etched, cast, printed, moulded, embossed or data plate. These are examples of more commonly used marking types, but the list provided should not be regarded as exhaustive.

If the marking is on the rear of a tap assembly, the font or logo must have a minimum height of 5 mm and be visible after installation.

The mark must include reference to the manufacturers/factors name, Brand/Trade name or company logo.

- Shortened version or abbreviations of the manufacturer or factors name will be permitted as long as it is in the public domain and an often used reference.
- The manufacturer must be named on the approval if any marking makes reference to it (Name or logo), and this is the only marking.
- Logos must be in the public domain and traceable.

WRAS may request evidence of unfamiliar brands, tradenames or logos.

In addition the WRAS approval holder may choose to add the range or model name and the WRAS Approved product logo or WRAS approved.

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Applications submitted to the test laboratory on or after this date must meet requirements highlighted above when read in conjunction with TCS 6001.1

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