

Exemption from provisions of Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017

In accordance with section 220 of the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 (the Act), I, Darren Handforth, Head of High Hazards, Energy and Public Safety at WorkSafe New Zealand, exempt **Gas Workz Limited** from compliance with regulations 15.13, 15.16 and 15.17 of the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017 (HS Regulations) for the requirements to have a design verification compliance certificate, a cylinder import compliance certificate and a cylinder pre-commissioning compliance certificate in respect to the Catalina cylinder with the serial number EL0029691.

I do so having regard to the prescribed requirements in regulation 15.18 of the HS Regulations and being satisfied that:

- The cylinder is an adequate match to an approved design that conforms to an internationally recognised design standard for cylinder manufacture; and
- It is not reasonably practicable for the cylinder to gain a pre-commissioning compliance certificate under regulation 15.17 of the HS Regulations.

An exemption is granted subject to the following conditions:

- 1. This exemption is limited to the Catalina cylinder with serial number EL0029691.
- Gas Workz Limited must, in addition to the requirements of regulation 15.40 of the HS Regulations, ensure that the cylinder EL0029691 is marked as follows:
 - a. The approval number LAB7720SP; and
 - b. The station mark of the approved test station that marked the cylinder with approval number LAB7720SP; and
 - c. The date the approval number LAB7720SP was marked on the cylinder.
- 3. Gas Workz Limited must not mark the approval number LAB7720SP on any other cylinder.

This exemption takes effect on 31 March 2021 and expires on 31 March 2026 unless it is sooner replaced or revoked.

Signed at Wellington thisday of March 2021.

Darren Handforth

Head of High Hazards, Energy and Public Safety

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