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## TYPE APPROVAL CERTIFICATE

*This certificate is issued to*

**Bachofen AG**

Uster - SWITZERLAND

*for the type of product*

**LEVEL SWITCH**

Trimod Besta Level Switches.

**Requirements:**

Bureau Veritas Rules for the Classification of Steel Ships

*This certificate is issued to attest that BUREAU VERITAS did undertake the relevant approval procedures for the product identified above which was found to comply with the relevant requirements mentioned above.*

**This certificate will expire on: 20 Apr 2020**

**For BUREAU VERITAS,**

At BV HAMBURG, on 13 Oct 2015,

Sandro Schmidt



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## THE SCHEDULE OF APPROVAL

### 1. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

The **Trimod-Besta** series are level switches with electric switch elements.

#### **- Switch modules:**

- Consisting of: .A...-B...-C...-I...-IN...-IE9...-Z...-X...-P...-M...  
and combinations there of

#### **- Flange modules types:**

- 01, 011, 03, 04, 06 Trimod-Besta, standard and special flanges

- with flanges according to international standards:

- 21... to 64... DIN (a)
- 301... to 604... DIN (b)
- 131... to 164... ANSI (a)
- 1313... to 1614... ANSI (b)
- 230R... to 264R... BS (a)
- 2303... to 2604... BS (b)
- 320... to 354... JIS (a)
- 3303... to 3604 JIS (b)

(a) = SS, Hastelloy C, CS range

(b) = Plastic range

#### **- Float modules types:**

- 01... to 900... (SS, Monel, Hastelloy C, plastic, glass)

#### **Accessories:**

- counterflanges for Trimod-Besta standard and special flanges
- test actuators

#### **Float chambers:**

- Various float chamber types are available according to Trimod-Besta and international standards.

### 2. DOCUMENTS AND DRAWINGS:

Catalogue LTXEN 2015.10, English

Note: Documents filed in AP0428.

### 3. TEST REPORTS:

Note: Test reports filed in AP0428.

### 4. APPLICATION/LIMITATION:

- 4.1 - Bureau Veritas Rules and Regulations for the Classification of Steel Ships.
- 4.2 - Approval valid for ships intended to be granted with the following additional class notations: **AUT-UMS, AUT-CCS, AUT-PORT and AUT-IMS.**
- 4.2 - May not be used for flammable oil tanks in passenger ships where penetration below tank top would be necessary.

### 5. PRODUCTION SURVEY REQUIREMENTS:

- 5.1 - The above mentioned products are to be supplied by **Bachofen AG** in compliance with the type described in this certificate.
- 5.2 - This type of product is within the category HBV of Bureau Veritas Rule Note NR320.
- 5.3 - **Bachofen AG** has to make the necessary arrangements to have its works recognised by Bureau Veritas in compliance with the requirements of NR320 for HBV products:

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- 5.4 - Equipment is to be supplied with manual(s) for installation, use and maintenance.

### 6. MARKING OF PRODUCT:

- Maker's name or trademark.
- Equipment type or model identification.
- Date of manufacture and/or serial number.

**7. OTHERS:**

7.1 - This approval is given on the understanding that the Society reserves the right to require check tests to be carried out on the units at any time and that **Bachofen AG - SWITZERLAND**, will accept full responsibility for informing shipbuilders, ship owners or their sub-contractors of the proper methods of use and general maintenance of the units and the conditions of this approval.

7.2 - This certificate cancels and replaces the previous one issued by the Society on 20 Apr 2015, under ref. N° 03482/H0 BV.

**\*\*\* END OF CERTIFICATE \*\*\***