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OAQS/2 – SCHEDULE OF APPROVED QUALIFYING AGENCIES

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The Criteria for assessment and BINDT approval of Outside and Inside Qualifying Agencies is published in BINDT document [OAQS1](#). Organisations that have satisfied all prerequisites for approval under the scheme will be formally approved by BINDT to deliver specified services, including the provision of NDT Level 3 services, and for qualification of NDT personnel against EN 4179, AIA-NAS-410 and other criteria.

This issue reflects the recommendations of the UK National Aerospace NDT Board to separately list the BINDT approved Outside Qualifying Agencies and the Inside Qualifying Agencies. Outside or Inside agencies are required to fully satisfy BINDT criteria for approval of training examinations.

Outside Qualifying Agencies	Scope of approval	Expiry date
The South West School of NDT Merton House Croescadarn Close Pentwyn, Cardiff CF23 8HF www.minton.co.uk/sth-west.htm	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	31/10/2019
Lavender International NDT Unit 7, Penistone Station Sheffield S36 6HP www.lavender-ndt.com	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	16/12/2019
ImechE Engineering Training Solutions 4 Europa View Sheffield Business Park Sheffield S9 1XH www.imeche.org/arl	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	16/03/2020
Applus Aerospace UK Ltd Inspection House 61 Albert Road North Reigate, Surrey RH2 9RS	Training (not initial) and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	03/09/2019



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Aerospace Inspection Training Ltd Units 9 &10 Takeley Business Centre, Dunmow Rd, Takeley Essex, CM22 6SJ	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	08/12/2020
ATH NDT Ltd The Workshop, Kelbrook, Barnoldswick, Lancashire, BB18 6TE	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	19/04/2019
International School of Aerospace NDT Unit 2, Beech Avenue Taverham, Norwich, NR8 6HW	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	25/10/2019
NDT Consultants Limited Middlemarch House Siskin Drive Coventry CV3 4FJ	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	11/12/2020
Element Materials Technology Sheffield Maltravers Road Sheffield S2 5AD	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	23/11/2019
Xiamen United Technology Centre limited (UTC) Wu Han Building, 261 Jai He Lu Room 9C, Xiamen, PR China	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	20/04/2020
Setsco Services PTE Ltd 18 Teban Gardens Crescent Singapore, 608925	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	31/05/2020
Testia Ltd Quadrant Campus Celtic Springs Coedkernew, Newport, NP10 8FZ	Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	15/05/2019

Inside Qualifying Agencies	Scope of approval	Expiry date
Tai Koo Aircraft Engineering Co. Ltd. (TAECO), 20 Dailiao Road, East Gaoqi International Airport, Xiamen 361006, P.R. China.	Inside Agency for NDT Personnel employed within the Swire Group of companies. Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	01/11/2018
GKN Aerospace Services Materials Laboratory Ferry Road, East Cowes, PO32 6RA Isle of Wight	Inside Agency for: NDT Personnel employed within GKN (Cowes). Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	31/10/2020
Tri-Service School of NDT 71 (IR) Sqn Building 716 RAF Wittering Peterborough Cambs. PE8 6HB	Inside Agency for NDT Personnel employed within Tri-school of NDT (Cardiff). Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	22/11/2019
Moog Aircraft Company Ltd Valiant Way, Wolverhampton, WV9 5GB	Inside Agency for NDT Personnel employed within Moog Aircraft (Wolverhampton). Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	12/12/2020
Liberty Steel Stocksbridge, Sheffield, S36 2JA,	Inside Agency for NDT Personnel employed within Liberty Steel (Stocksbridge). Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	15/04/2019
Aerotech Inspection & NDT Ltd Charlton Drive, Corngreaves Trading Estate, Cradley Heath, West Midlands B64 7BJ	Inside Agency for NDT Personnel employed within Aerotech Inspection Training (not initial) and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	02/02/2019
Arconic/Firth Rixson Dale Road North Darley Dale Matlock, DE4 2JB	Inside Agency for NDT Personnel employed within Arconic Training (not initial) and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer based certification in accordance with EN4179.	23/04/2019