

OAQS/2 – SCHEDULE OF ACCREDITED QUALIFYING AGENCIES

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The Criteria for assessment and BINDT accreditation of External and Internal Qualifying Agencies is published in BINDT document [OAQS1](#). Organisations that have satisfied all prerequisites for accreditation 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 accredited External Qualifying Agencies and the Internal Qualifying Agencies. External or Outside agencies are required to fully satisfy BINDT criteria for accreditation of training examinations.

External 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	Outside Agency for: 1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	07/09/2011
Lavender International NDT Unit 7, Penistone Station Sheffield S36 6HP www.lavender-ndt.com	Outside Agency for: 1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	11/11/2011
Argyll-Ruane Ltd. Meadowbank Road Rotherham South Yorkshire S61 2NF www.ruanetpo.com	Outside Agency for: 1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	31/03/2012
Caparo Testing Technologies Inspection House 61 Albert Road North Reigate, Surrey RH2 9RS www.material-measurements.co.uk	Outside Agency for: 1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	10/06/2011
Aerospace Inspection Training Hangar A Norwich Airport Norwich NR6 6EG	1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	23/02/2011

External Qualifying Agencies	Scope of approval	Expiry date
International School of Aerospace NDT 9 Hurricane Way Norwich Airport Norwich NR6 6HB www.isandt.co.uk	Outside Agency for: 1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria	20/01/2011
NDT Consultants Limited Middlemarch House Siskin Drive Coventry CV3 4FJ	Outside Agency for: 1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	06/07/2011
NDT Ltd. Maltravers Road Sheffield S2 5AD	Outside/Internal Agency for: 1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	21/08/2010
Test NDT International 16 Tolley Drive, Hutton, Lancashire, PR4 5SH	Outside Agency for: 1. Qualification of NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	08/12/2010

Internal Qualifying Agencies are not required to satisfy BINDT criteria for accreditation of training examinations.

Internal Qualifying Agencies	Scope of approval	Expiry date
Tai Koo Aircraft Engineering Co. Ltd. (TAECO), 20 Dailiao Road, East Gaogi International Airport, Xiamen 361006, P.R. China. www.taeco.com	Internal Agency for: Conducting Qualification Examinations for NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria within TAECO and associated companies.	19/12/2010
GKN Aerospace Services Materials Laboratory Ferry Road, East Cowes, PO32 6RA Isle of Wight	Internal Agency for: 1. Conducting Qualification Examinations for GKN employed NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria	02/09/2010
Sharp End Testing 2 Love's Lane, Willingham Cambridge CB24 5LW	Internal Agency for: 1. Conducting Job-specific Training and Qualification Examinations for NDT Personnel against EN 4179 criteria 2. Level III Consultancy Services	26/11/2010