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Co-opted Membership of the UK NAndtB

1 Introduction:

1.1 The constitution of the Board permits the co-opting of members to serve in an advisory capacity, non-voting, where specific expertise is felt to be of value. The Board may add further specific requirements as considered appropriate for any particular group/area.

2 Guidelines:

- 2.1 The Board will identify areas where co-option will benefit the operation of the UK NAndtB.
- 2.2 Co-option may be on a 'permanent' basis or for a specific period, in the case of a particular working group.
- 2.3 Organisations representing interested parties may express an interest in participation in meetings of the Board as co-opted members, but co-option will be at the invitation of the Board.
- 2.4 When directed to do so by the Board, the Secretary will notify all the companies within the sector concerned that the Board wish to co-opt a representative from that sector.
 - 2.4.1 This could be from a trade or user group who may nominate to the Board an individual to act as spokesperson for that sector.
 - 2.4.2 Where a trade or user group or other association is not totally representative of all organisations in that sector, they should publicise the activity to the wider population prior to making a nomination.
- 2.5 Nominated representative must be acceptable to the Board i.e. meet the requirements set out in section 3 and 4 below.
- 2.6 As with other Board members any 'permanent' co-opted person will serve for a period of two years. The sector or association represented may re-nominate the individual for a further term of co-opted membership.
- 2.7 A co-opted representative(s) shall be invited from EN4179 Training and/or Examination Providers and be nominated by the BINDT Outside Agency/Inside Agency User Group.
- 2.8 A co-opted representative shall be invited from the group of Part 145 Service Inspection companies.
- 2.9 The Board may co-opt representatives from other organisations as the need arises.
- 2.10 The generic terms of reference for co-opted members are detailed in appendix A.

Change History:

| Issue | Summary of Change | Date |
|---------|---|------------|
| 1 | | 12-07-2005 |
| 1 rev A | No tracked changes | 23-11-2006 |
| 1 rev B | No tracked changes | 29-03-2010 |
| 1 rev C | Changes of email to Nicole Scutt | 22-06-2011 |
| | Signature of Jon Biddulph added | |
| 2 | No tracked changes | 01-06-2012 |
| 3 | Clauses 3 and 4 updated regarding co-opted member being invited fro EN4179 training and/or examination providers and be nominated by OA/IA. | 11-06-2015 |
| | Numbering changed. | |
| | Appendix A gengeric TOR added. | |
| 4 | Two year document review: | 20-06-2017 |
| | Clause 2.4, added 'user' group. Clause 2.7, added 'BINDT'. Clause 2.8, changed user group to Part 145 Service Inspection companies. Deleted old clause 2.6. | |
| | Numbering changed. | |

Signed for the Board

Jon Biddulph

Chairman of the NAndtB

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Appendix A

Generic Terms of Reference for the NANDTB co-opted members

The co-opted representative will:

- 1. Provide support and guidance to the Board in achievement of its objectives.
- 2. Promote polices, strategies and activities of the Board in a positive manner.
- 3. Contribute to the work of the Board both during and outside of Board meetings.
- 4. Act as a two-way communication conduit between the Board and the group represented.
- 5. Register concerns of the group that they represent with the Board.
- 6. Contribute to continuing development of the Boards activities based upon views of the group which they represent.
- 7. Maintain good working relationships.
- 8. Regularly attend Board meetings.
- 9. Maintain confidentiality.
- 10. Declare or otherwise register any conflict of interest.

| Co-opted Representative of [name of group]: | UK NANDTB Chairman |
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| Name | Name |
| Signature | Signature |
| Date | Date |