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TERMS OF REFERENCE

TOR Nr: CS-ETSO/003

Issue: 1 Date: 08 December 2004

Regulatory reference: CS-ETSO

Reference documents: JAA draft final rules for NPA TSO-9

1.Subject: Offshore safety and survivability equipment

2.Problem / Statement of issue and justification; reason for regulatory evolution (regulatory tasks):

In the absence of ETSO specifications ETSO-authorisations to manufacturers of this equipment cannot be granted and the only way to approve the equipment is by accepting foreign approvals or as part of TC or STC activity.

3.Objective:

Allow ETSO-authorisations for several offshore safety and survivability equipment.

4. Specific tasks and interface issues (Deliverables):

Transposition of JAA draft final rule into EASA NPA

5. Working Methods (in addition to the applicable EASA procedures):

Transposition of JAA draft final rule for NPA TSO-9 carried out by Rulemaking Directorate. Reduced consultation period (6 weeks)

6. Time scale, milestones:

NPA to be published December 2004

Abstract: The document contains the Terms of Reference on the task mentioned at the top of the document, part of the rulemaking work programme 2004, and established in accordance the requirements set out in the rulemaking procedure.

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