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SEST-Nucleo Central, 307 Tagus Park, Parque de Ciencia e Tecnologia 2780 Oeiras

Att. Mr. Jorge Antunes

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letters of 24 March 1997 and 12 May 1997, in which you detailed the qualifications of company's personnel, equipment lists and calibration records, please be advised that your request to be recognized as an external specialist on **CONDITION MONITORING** has been reviewed. The qualifications, experience and equipment of your staff is considered appropriate, and the work undertaken by your company would be considered acceptable to ABS.

Should your company employ new staff, they are to be suitably qualified to provide the appropriate services, and this Office should be advised accordingly of their qualifications for appraisal. Additionally, please advise this Office when appraised staff terminate their employment with your company so that we may update our records.

Very truly yours, ABS EUROPE LTD.

António L. Salgado Principal Surveyor for Portuga BON