

Message 001

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Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délai - Kein Fristbeginn - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nezahtuje prodlení - Fristerne indledes ikke - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - No abre el plazo - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Ne otvara razdoblje kašnjenja - Nem nyitja meg a késésekét - Non fa decorrere la mora - Atidējimai nepradedami - Atlikšanas laikposms nesākas - Ma jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dewmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Não inicia o prazo - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nezačína oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Inleder ingen frist - Ní osclaíonn sé na moilleanna

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4. 2025/0766/SE - I10 - Metrology

5. The Swedish Board for Accreditation and Conformity Assessment's Regulations on the inspection of thermal energy meters

6. Thermal energy meters and their sub-assemblies (flow sensors, integrated circuits and temperature sensors)

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8. The Regulations contain provisions on the requirements for and inspection of thermal energy meters used for billing delivered thermal energy. They regulate, among other things:

- fault indication requirements for in-service thermal energy meters and their sub-assemblies;
 - sampling points and limits for non-conformity at inspection, including special provisions for statistical control;
 - requirements for the installation, sealing and handling of meters before and after inspection;
 - inspection intervals and circumstances triggering inspection;
 - documentation requirements for meters and sub-assemblies during their operational life;
 - requirements for inspection bodies, including accreditation, participation in comparative tests and notification obligations towards the Swedish Board of Accreditation and Conformity Assessment (Swedac);
- and
- a sampling plan in the annex, with sample sizes and conditions for acceptance and rejection of batches in statistical control.

The Regulations supplement the requirements applicable to thermal energy meters when placed on the market (STAFS 2022:5, previously notified) through national provisions on periodic in-service inspections.

The draft does not include a mutual recognition clause. The Regulations govern inspections of in-service thermal energy meters. They do not affect market access for goods placed on the market, but relate to in-service inspection of installed meters in accordance with national legislation. The provisions are aimed at district heating companies and inspection bodies and thus do not constitute requirements for product design or marketing.

— Directive 2014/32/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 February 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of measuring instruments.

The draft does not contain any special provisions in relation to the Measuring Instruments Directive and does not impose stricter or more extensive requirements than those laid down in that Directive.

9. The purpose of the Regulations is to ensure that thermal energy meters used for billing thermal energy, measure accurately and reliably throughout their entire service life. The regulation should contribute to:

- consumers and other end users being charged on the basis of correctly measured thermal energy;
- district heating companies using meters that meet metrological requirements over time; and
- meters that show excessive errors being taken out of service or repaired

The regulation is deemed necessary as it supplements harmonised EU rules on the design of thermal energy meters with in-service inspections of these meters. The requirements are proportionate to the purpose and do not entail more intrusive measures than are needed to ensure adequate consumer protection and reliable metering.

10. Reference(s) to basic text(s):

11. No

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13. No

14. No

15. Yes

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TBT aspects: No

SPS aspects: No

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