

## Exemption from provisions of Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017

In accordance with section 220 of the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 (the Act), I, Darren Handforth, Head of High Hazards, Energy and Public Safety at WorkSafe New Zealand, exempt CHUBB New Zealand from compliance with regulations 15.13, 15.16 and 15.17 of the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017 for the requirements to have a design-verification compliance certificate, cylinder pre-commissioning compliance certificate and a cylinder import compliance certificate in respect to the two Manchester fire extinguisher cylinders with the serial numbers AA402202 & AA359582.

I do so having had regard to the prescribed requirements in regulation 15.18 of the HS Regulations; and being satisfied that the extent of the exemption is not broader than is reasonably necessary to address the matters that gave rise to the proposed exemption, and that the exemption is not inconsistent with the purposes of the Act. An exemption is granted subject to the following conditions—

1. This exemption is limited to the two Manchester fire extinguisher cylinders with serial numbers AA402202 & AA359582.
2. The gas traffic for the two Manchester cylinders with serial numbers AA402202 & AA359582 is limited to FM200 ((Heptafluoropropane) & Propellant gas being Nitrogen).
3. CHUBB New Zealand must in accordance with regulation 15.60, stamp the cylinder as follows:
  - a. Fire extinguisher cylinders AA402202 & AA359582 with the approval number LAB7735SP the station mark of the approved test station that marked the two fire extinguisher cylinders with approval number LAB7735SP; and the station mark of the approved test station that marked the two fire extinguisher cylinders with approval number LAB7735SP; and
  - b. The date the approval number LAB7735SP was marked on the cylinder.
4. CHUBB New Zealand must not stamp the approval number LAB7735SP on any other cylinder.

This exemption takes effect on 29 **March 2022** and expires on 29 **March 2027** unless it is sooner replaced or revoked.

Signed at Wellington this 22nd day of March 2022.



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