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1 Requirements for recognised testing laboratories

Recognised testing laboratories shall participate actively in the Physical Security KEYMARK Scheme Group, i.e. participate in the network meetings relevant for their activities in Physical Security KEYMARK testing.

Every recognised testing laboratory shall be listed on the Physical Security KEYMARK website.

Upon request of Physical Security KEYMARK Scheme Group, recognised testing laboratories might have to perform a round robin test.

2 Recognition of testing laboratories

Testing laboratories that apply for recognition shall be accredited according ENISO/IEC 17025 for one or more of the relevant standards and test methods as defined and used in Physical Security KEYMARK.


The evaluation of the testing laboratories by the certification body is not an alternative to accreditation.

Testing laboratories that comply with the requirements above will be considered as a recognised testing laboratory of the corresponding empowered certification body after an assessment and a contract has been signed between the laboratory and the empowered certification body. The recognition is visualized by publishing the name on the Physical Security KEYMARK website.

The assessment conducted by the empowered certification body is the fulfilment of the additional requirements above. This will normally be performed with a visit on site.

The contract between the test laboratory and the empowered certification body shall at least include the following:

- open communication regarding the actual project between the testing laboratories and the certification body
- test plan shall be approved by the certification body

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- confidentiality, except above, regarding the actual project
- commitment of following par. 6.1.3 in EN ISO/IEC 17065
- immediate information about changes in the accreditation

The contract may not involve any restrictions for the testing laboratory to have contracts with other empowered bodies. The empowered certification body assures that the contract meets these requirements when notifying the scheme administration.

3 Requirements for recognised testing laboratories to perform tests at the manufacturer's testing laboratory

Recognised testing laboratories can perform tests at a manufacturer's testing laboratory, that means outside the recognised testing laboratory's own laboratory, and issue a third-party test report, provided its accreditation permits this.

Based on the laboratory's accreditation, a testing at manufacturer's laboratory is possible but limited to the stage 1 and 2 according to IEC 60730 Ed 1.6.