REGULATION 31(4)(A) OF THE WATER SUPPLY (WATER QUALITY) REGULATIONS 2016 SI No 614 (AS AMENDED)& THE WATER SUPPLY (WATER QUALITY) REGULATIONS 2018 (WALES) SI No 647

## APPROVED PRODUCT CHANGE ACCEPTANCE

Product name/designation	Steel Pipe coated with EuroKote 468 Thixo	
Approval Holder	BAIKA Steel Tubular Systems, S.L., Gasteizbide S/N Alegría-	
(Name & Address)	Dulantzi (ALAVA), Spain 01240	
Instructions for Use	IFU Eurokote 468 Thixo, Issue No.2 - 21st March 2019	
DWI Ref Number	DWI 56.4.1203	
Agreed Change	Change of company name from STS Tubular Group to BAIKA Steel	
	Tubular Systems S.L.	

T The Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs in respect of relevant water suppliers¹ whose area of supply is wholly or mainly in England, and the Welsh Ministers in respect of relevant water suppliers whose area of supply is wholly or mainly in Wales, in exercise of their powers under Regulation 31(4)(a) of the Water Supply (Water Quality) Regulations 2016 and Regulation 31(4)(a) of the Water Supply (Water Quality) Regulations 2018 (Wales) respectively hereby accept changes made in respect of the product detailed above, in accordance with the following Conditions of Use & Approval.

## **CONDITIONS OF USE & APPROVAL**

The above named product is approved for application in England and Wales<sup>2</sup> by a water supply company for public water supply purposes subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Water undertakers and water supply licensees shall be provided with a copy of the Instructions for Use (IFU) detailed above and use of the approved product must be in accordance with the IFU.
- 2. The Drinking Water Inspectorate (DWI) must be notified, in advance and in writing, by the approval holder detailed above, in respect of any **further** change(s) in
  - a) The Instructions for Use
  - b) The formulation of the approved product, including change in source or identity of raw materials
  - c) The manufacturing process, including location of manufacture
  - d) The designation of the approved product
  - e) The name, address or ownership of the organisation holding the approval

Failure to notify such further changes will result in approval being withdrawn.

- 3. The producer shall ensure that the product is tested for conformity with its formulation, and the source or identity of its raw materials, at such intervals and by such persons, as may be determined by the Authorities. The results of such testing shall be sent to DWI.
- 4. The use of either the Drinking Water Inspectorate or DEFRA logos, in respect of any approved product (including on the product or in editorial or advertising/trade copy) is not permitted.
- 5. The following changes to any product specific condition(s) apply None
- 6. This letter replaces any Approval Letter/Confirmation issued previously for this product

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State and the National Assembly for Wales

Date of issue: 24 April 2019 Date of Expiry: 2 March 2021

Marcus Rink

Chief Inspector of Drinking Water England and Wales

<sup>1</sup> Relevant water suppliers shall include water undertakers, water supply licensees and inset appointees.

<sup>2</sup> Separate approval arrangements apply in Scotland and Northern Ireland

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF APPROVED PRODUCT CHANGE ACCEPTANCE & CONDITIONS OF USE

Product name/designation	Steel Pipe coated with 3M Scotchkote epoxy coating 162 PWX BAIKA Steel Tubular Systems, S.L., Gasteizbide S/N Alegría-Dulantzi (ALAVA), Spain 01240	
Approval Holder (Name & Address)		
Section in the "List of Approved Products"	B.1.9	
DWI Ref Number	DWI 56.4.1203	

Please carefully read the accompanying Product Approval document, together with the accompanying letter. If there is any error please notify us as soon as possible. Please confirm, by ticking the boxes below and then signing and returning this form, the safe receipt of this documentation and your agreement to the conditions of use and approval set out in it.

On behalf of the approval holder I confirm -		
The safe receipt of the approval documentation and EITHER –		
<ul> <li>All details are correct and no changes are required OR</li> </ul>		
Corrections concerning the approval product are needed and I am returning		
to you, a corrected copy of the "Product Approval" for amendment and reissue		
Our agreement to comply with the conditions of use and approval set out in the		
"Product Approval", including –		
<ul> <li>Ensuring that a copy of the appropriate Instructions for use is always</li> </ul>		
provided with the approved product as sold		
<ul> <li>Ensuring that the Drinking Water Inspectorate is informed of any further</li> </ul>		
proposed change(s) to the approved product		
Not using either the Drinking Water Inspectorate or the DEFRA logos in		
association with the approved product.		
We understand that the approval of this product under Regulation 31 relates only to potential effects on drinking water quality. It does NOT imply fitness-for-purpose or		
an endorsement of the product, and no general claim of "Drinking Water		
Inspectorate (DWI) approval" should be made.		
Signed		
Name Date		
TENACIO GONZÁLEZ MARTÍN MAY 13TH	2019	

## **IMPORTANT NOTES**

- 1. Upon receipt of this completed acknowledgement we will notify the Scottish Government and the Department for Regional Development, Northern Ireland of the approval; these bodies are responsible for issuing their own approvals for use of the product in Scotland and Northern Ireland, under Regulation 33 of the Public Water Supply (Scotland) Regulations 2014 and Regulation 33 of the Water Supply (Water Quality) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2017, respectively.
- 3. If we do not receive this signed acknowledgement with acceptance by you of all conditions of approval within 6 months, the acceptance of the change(s) to this approved product will lapse automatically.
- 4. <u>Please return the signed form to reg31.enquiries@defra.gov.uk or Regulation 31 Enquiries, Area 5B, Nobel House, 17 Smith Square, London SW1P 3JR, U.K.</u>