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National Type Evaluation Program Certificate of Conformance for Weighing and Measuring Devices

For: Load Cell Double-ended Shear Beam Model: 603053-AC 25K n_{max}, Multiple Cells: 10,000 Capacity: 25,000 lb Accuracy Class: III L Submitted by: Intercomp Corporation 14465 23rd Avenue, North Minneapolis, MN 55447-3438 Tel: (763) 476-2531 Fax: (763) 476-2613 Contact: Matt Young

 Standard Features and Options

 The specific model of load cell covered by this certificate is identified below:

 <u>Capacity (lb)</u>
 vmin (lb)
 Minimum Dead

 <u>Load (lb)</u>
 25,000
 0.75
 1,250

 Temperature Range: -10 °C to 40 °C (14 °F to 104 °F)

This device was evaluated under the National Type Evaluation Program (NTEP) and was found to comply with the applicable technical requirements of Handbook 44, "Specifications, Tolerances, and Other Technical Requirements for Weighing and Measuring Devices." Evaluation results and device characteristics necessary for inspection and use in commerce are on the following pages. Effective Date: September 12, 2001

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Intercomp Corporation Double-ended Shear Beam Model: 603053-AC 25K

- **Application:** The load cells may be used in III L scales for multiple cell applications consistent with the model designations, number of scale divisions, and parameters specified in this certificate. Load cells of a given accuracy class may be used in applications with lower accuracy class requirements provided the number of scale divisions, the v_{min} values, and temperature range are suitable for the application. The manufacturer may market load cells with fewer scale divisions (n_{max}) and with larger v_{min} values than those listed on the certificate. However, the load cells must be marked with the appropriate n_{max} and v_{min} for which the load cell may be used.
- <u>Test Conditions:</u> This Certificate supersedes Certificate of conformance Number 94-121 and was issued without additional testing to reactivate Certificate of Conformance Number 94-121 without lapse. Changes were also made to update the contact information.

<u>Certificate of Conformance 94-121</u>: This device is identical to the device listed on Certificate of Conformance (CC) Number 92-151. This CC is issued without additional testing based on testing performed in conjunction with CC No. 92-151. The test conditions for CC No. 92-151 are listed below for reference.

<u>Certificate of Conformance Number 92-151</u>: Two 50,000-lb capacity load cells were tested at NIST using dead weights as the reference standard. The data were analyzed for class III L multiple load cell applications. The cells were tested over a temperature range of -10 to 40 $^{\circ}$ C. Three tests were run on Certificate Number 92-151 each cell at each temperature. The temperature effect on zero was measured and a time dependence (creep) test was performed. The barometric pressure test was waived due to the insensitivity of the load cell design to changes in barometric pressure.

Representatives from the National Institute of Standards and Technology analyzed the data. The results indicate that the load cells comply with the applicable requirements of NIST Handbook 44.

Evaluation Criteria Used: NIST Handbook 44, 1994 Edition

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