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Dear Mr Fantozzi,

**2014/90/EU implemented by:
The Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) Regulations 2016**

The Reassessment visit was carried out by the United Kingdom Accreditation Service (UKAS) on 05/06/2017 of

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as to its ability to carry out the duties of a notified body under the terms of the above Regulation.

The assessment was carried out under accreditation in accordance with ISO/IEC 17065:2012 and taking account of other standards under the EA Alternative Approach and taking into account EA 2/17 - EA Guidance on the horizontal requirements for the accreditation of conformity assessment bodies for notification purposes.

In accordance with ISO/IEC 17011, an independent review and decision for accreditation has been successfully undertaken. The scope of accreditation in support of Notified Body status is as defined in accreditation schedule **issue 029 dated 27 March 2018**.

UKAS therefore recommends that TUV SUD BAPT UNLIMITED continues to be appointed by the Secretary of State as a notified body under the terms of the Guidelines for the additional activities detailed above.

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As an accredited Conformity Assessment Body, the organization is subject to surveillance and reassessment activities in accordance with UKAS standard assessment procedures. Should any change in the organization's status be noted, UKAS will inform you accordingly

A copy of our Assessment Summary Report (AR), a copy of the Improvement Action Report (IAR) which describes any non-compliances and observations that were raised during the assessment and a copy of the Accreditation Certificate and Schedule of the organisation are attached. Satisfactory responses to these reports have now been received.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G. Cheevers', followed by a horizontal line and a period.

Grainne Cheevers
Assessment Manager - Corporate - (Section)

CC Mark Jenkins, TUV SUD BAPT UNLIMITED

Encs:

- Assessment Report (AR)
- Improvement Action Report (IAR)
- Accreditation Certificate
- Accreditation Schedule