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Annex II

Annex III

Subject: Classification - Application of a module from a higher category

Question: When is it possible for a manufacturer to apply a module from a higher category and what are the consequences?

Answer: Article 14 § 3 states that manufacturers can choose to apply one of the procedures which apply to a higher category if available. The words 'if available' make it clear that if an item of pressure equipment was classified as category IV, then a module from a higher category is not available. Even for those tables in Annex II where categories III and/or IV are not listed, such procedures can be chosen.

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