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2020 Cylinder Filling Requirements

PLEASE READ TO MAKE SURE WE WILL FILL YOUR CYLINDERS **DO NOT IGNORE**

CYLINDER TESTING

In 2018 the testing standards EN1802 (aluminium cylinders) and EN1968 (steel cylinders) were replaced by BS EN ISO 18119:2018. In the new standards testing requirements for steel and aluminium cylinders are amalgamated. The hydrostatic test period remains at 5 years while the visual inspection period is now yearly.

If you test your cylinders to these standards there is no requirement for your cylinders to be stamped for visual inspections.

However, the in the UK it has been agreed to apply an industry risk assessment to visual inspections allowing the visual inspection period to revert to the previous standards of 30 months/2.5 years.

The new standards will run alongside the old standards until 2022

In order to safeguard our crew and customers Huskyan Ltd will require the following in order to fill your cylinders:

A stamp on each cylinder within the last 2.5 years & a sticker on each cylinder indicating the next test date.

or

A stamp on each cylinder within 5 years indicating a hydrostatic test and a sticker on each cylinder indicating a visual inspection within 2.5 years.

If your stickers are damaged or unreadable, we will not fill your cylinders unless you provide test certificates.

O2 CLEANING

If you want to use Nitrox, O2 or Trimix your cylinders must also be O2 clean.

- O2 cleaning in the UK is to industry standards and must be within 15 months.
- Each cylinder should be marked with a sticker from the facility with the O2 cleaning information.
- If your stickers are damaged or unreadable, please bring proof of O2 cleaning from your test centre.
- For non-UK cylinders please bring proof of O2 cleaning from your test centre within 15 months.

IF IN DOUBT PLEASE BRING YOUR TEST CERTIFICATES

Lack of organisation on your part will not constitute an emergency on ours