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## EUROVENT CERTIFICATION LAUNCHES THE 1ST CERTIFICATION PROGRAM FOR VARIABLE REFRIGERANT FLOW (VRF) SYSTEMS

After nearly 2 years, the Launching Committee - 8 manufacturing companies - has finished its task and drew up the Operational Manual and Rating Standards for Variable Refrigerant Flow (VRF) systems.

Companies willing to join the VRF certification programme long awaited and very much sought for by the market are invited to contact us at apply@eurovent-certification.com

Operational manual and rating standard are available upon request at :apply@eurovent-certification.com

The following schedule is being proposed:

- Signing of agreement by manufacturers for VRF programme, from now onwards. There is no deadline as this is a voluntary registration.
- Declaration file for products below 50 kW to be provided by applicant before 31 Jan. 2013
- Selection of products to be tested sent by ECC by 28 Feb. 2013
- Declaration file for products above 50 kW up to agreed scope of programme (to be defined) before 30 April 2013
- Delivery of products below than 50 kW before 30 April 2013
- Selection of products to be tested with participant laboratories before 30 May 2013
- Test reports to be made available to Participants before 30 Sept. 2013, this date being also the deadline for Eurovent Certification to publish certified performance for the full scope of the programme.
- Also like any other certified data since end of November 2012, those data are made available to the common database EDIBATEC being used as a data library by major thermal calculation software for building

## **About Eurovent Certification**

Founded in 1993, Eurovent Certification Company is recognized as a world class leader in the field of industrial third party product performance certification for Heat Ventilation Air Conditioning and Refrigeration products. Offering HVAC consultants, Energy Engineering offices, Architects and product end-users the most comprehensive certification program that covers up to 15 product families, Eurovent Certification delivers performance certificate and energy efficiency labeling according to European and international standards.

Product families covered by our certification program are: Heat Pumps, Liquid Chilling Packages, Comfort Air-conditioners, Fan Coils units, Rooftop, Close Control air conditioners, Air Handling units / Dedicated Outdoor Air System, Air to Air Plate Heat Exchangers, Air to Air rotary Heat Exchanger, Air filters F5-F9, Chilled beams, Cooling and heating coils, Heat exchanger for refrigeration, Refrigerated display cabinets.



As an accredited certifier (certificate #5-0527 Industrial Product Certification), Eurovent Certification product performance certificate is recognized with a legal ground in a very large number of countries<sup>(2)</sup>.

Eurovent Certification COFRAC accreditation was granted according to ISO/IEC guide 65:1996 or EN 45011:1998, see scope and validity at <a href="https://www.cofrac.fr">www.cofrac.fr</a>. This accreditation is compliant with the European co-operation for Accreditation (EA) also member of International Accreditation Forum (IAF) with mutual recognition agreement signed by the following countries (2) - see short list below.

(2) short list: ACCREDIA ITALY, AKKREDITIERUNG AUSTRIA, BELAC BELGIUM, CAI CZECH REPUBLIC, COFRAC FRANCE, DAKKS GERMANY, DANAK DENMARK, ENAC SPAIN, FINAS FINLAND, INAB IRELAND, IPAC PORTUGAL, NA NORWAY, PCA POLAND, RVA THE NETHERLANDS, SAS SWITZERLAND, SWEDAC SWEDEN, TURKAK TURKEY, UKAS UNITED KINGDOM, ...

(3) www.european-accreditation.org

(4) www.iaf.nu

Certified product lists and certified product performances are available at

www.eurovent-certification.com or at www.certiflash.com