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Foreword

This European Standard (EN 12259-3:2000/A2:2005) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 191 "Fixed firefighting systems", the secretariat of which is held by BSI.

This Amendment to the European Standard EN 12259-3:2000 shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by May 2006, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by August 2007.

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EN 12259-3:2000/A2:2005 (E)**2 Normative references**

Delete the following references:

ISO 7-1, *Pipe threads where pressure-tight joints are made on the threads – Part 1: Dimensions, tolerances and designation.*

ISO 228-1, *Pipe threads where pressure-tight joints are not made on the threads – Part 1: Designations, dimensions and tolerances.*

4 Dry alarm valve assembly construction and performance**4.4 Body and cover**

Replace 4.4.1.1 with the following text:

4.4.1.1 The body and any cover shall be made of cast iron, bronze, brass, monel metal, stainless steel, titanium or other materials with equivalent physical and mechanical properties.

Insert new subclause 4.4.1.2 as follows and renumber the old 4.4.1.2 as a new subclause 4.4.1.3:

4.4.1.2 Cover fasteners shall be made of steel, stainless steel, titanium or other materials with equivalent physical and mechanical properties.

Replace 4.4.3.2 with the following text:

4.4.3.2 The normal design load of any fastener, excluding the force required to compress the gasket, shall not exceed the minimum tensile strength specified in EN ISO 898-1 and ISO 898-2 or other appropriate European Standards for materials not covered by ISO 898, when the dry alarm valve is pressurised to four times the rated working pressure. The area of the application of pressure shall be calculated as follows:

- a) if a full-face gasket is used, the area of force application is that extending out to a line defined by the inner edge of the bolts;
- b) if a toroidal sealing ring or ring gasket is used, the area of force application is that extending out to the centre line of the toroidal sealing ring or ring gasket.

Replace 4.5.1.1 with the following text:

4.5.1.1 The dry alarm valve shall be provided with a connection to drain water from the valve body downstream of the sealing assembly when the valve is installed in any position specified or recommended by the supplier. The minimum nominal size shall be 20 mm.

4.9 Clearances

Replace 4.9.1 with the following text:

4.9.1 The radial clearance (see Figure 1 a)) between the sealing assembly, including the hinge boss areas, and the inside walls of the body (excluding moving catches and latching mechanisms) in every position except the wide open position shall be not less than 12 mm if the body is cast iron or 6 mm if the body and sealing assembly are of non-ferrous metal, stainless steel, titanium or materials having at least equivalent physical, mechanical and corrosion resistant properties.