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## Foreword

This Amendment EN 777-3:1999/A1:2001 to EN 777-3:1999 has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 180 "Non-domestic gas-fired overhead radiant heaters", the secretariat of which is held by BSI.

This Amendment to the European Standard EN 777-3:1999 shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by August 2001, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by August 2001.

This Amendment to the European Standard EN 777-3:1999 has been prepared under a mandate given to CEN by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association, and supports essential requirements of EU Directive(s).

This Amendment modifies EN 777-3:1999. It has been prepared to incorporate requirements and test methods concerning NO<sub>x</sub> emissions of non-domestic multi-burner gas-fired overhead radiant tube heater systems.

According to the CEN/CENELEC Internal Regulations, the national standards organizations of the following countries are bound to implement this European Standard: Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom.

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'Annex H (informative) Example of calculation of the weighting factors for a system with several rates

Annex I (informative) Calculations of conversions of NO<sub>x</sub> '

*In the list, after 'Annex ZA (informative) Clauses of this European Standard addressing essential requirements or other provisions of EU Directives' insert the following:*

'Bibliography'

## 2 Normative references

*Add the following reference:*

'CR 1404: 1994 Determination of emissions from appliances burning gaseous fuels during type-testing'

## 6 Operating Requirements

*Add 6.8 as follows:*

### '6.8 Measurement of oxides of Nitrogen, NO<sub>x</sub>

The manufacturer shall declare the NO<sub>x</sub> class in Table 9 that is applicable to the system.

When measured in accordance with the method of test in 7.4.1, the NO<sub>x</sub> concentration(s) in the dry, air free products of combustion shall be such that the weighted NO<sub>x</sub> value, determined as appropriate in accordance with 7.4.2, does not exceed the maximum NO<sub>x</sub> concentration of the NO<sub>x</sub> class declared by the manufacturer.'

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Table 9 - NO<sub>x</sub> classes

NO <sub>x</sub> Classes	Maximum NO <sub>x</sub> concentration mg/kWh
1	260
2	200
3	150
4	100

## 7 Test Methods

Add 7.4 as follows:

### 7.4 Other pollutants

#### 7.4.1 General

The system is installed as specified in **7.1.6** and connected to a flue as described in **7.1.6.2**.

For systems intended to use second family gases, the tests are carried out using test gas G 20, if the system category is such that this test gas is used as a reference gas. If G 20 is not used as a reference gas, the tests are carried out using G 25 exclusively.

For systems intended to use all gases of the third family, the tests are carried out with reference gas G 30 and the maximum NO<sub>x</sub> concentration (see Table 9) is multiplied by a factor of 1,30.

For systems intended to use propane only, the tests are carried out with reference gas G 31 and the maximum NO<sub>x</sub> concentration is multiplied by a factor of 1,20.

The system is adjusted to its nominal heat input.

The NO<sub>x</sub> measurements are carried out when the system is at thermal equilibrium, conforming to details given in CR 1404:1994.

No wet meters are used.

The reference conditions for the combustion air are:

- temperature: 20 °C;
- relative humidity  $H_0$ : 10 g(H<sub>2</sub>O) /kg(air).

If the test conditions are different to these reference conditions, it is necessary to correct the NO<sub>x</sub> values as specified below.

$$\text{NO}_{x,\text{reference}} = \text{NO}_{x,m} + \frac{0,02 \text{ NO}_{x,m} - 0,34}{1 - 0,02 (h_m - 10)} (h_m - 10) + 0,85 (20 - T_m)$$

where:

$NO_{x,reference}$  is the value of  $NO_x$  corrected to the reference conditions expressed in milligram per kilowatthour (mg/kWh);

$NO_{x,m}$  is the  $NO_x$  measured at  $h_m$  and  $T_m$  expressed in milligram per kilowatthour (mg/kWh) in the range 50 mg/kWh to 300 mg/kWh;

NOTE. Where  $NO_x$  is measured in ppm, convert it to mg/kWh in accordance with Annex I.

$h_m$  is the humidity during the measurement of  $NO_{x,m}$  expressed in gram per kilogram (g/kg) in the range 5 g/kg to 15 g/kg;

$T_m$  is the ambient temperature during the measurement of  $NO_{x,m}$  expressed in degrees Celsius ( $^{\circ}C$ ) in the range 15  $^{\circ}C$  to 25  $^{\circ}C$ .

The measured  $NO_x$  values are weighted in accordance with 7.4.2.

It is checked that the weighted  $NO_x$  values comply with the values of Table 9, depending on the  $NO_x$  class chosen.

## 7.4.2 Weighting

### 7.4.2.1 General

The weighting of the  $NO_x$  measured values shall be as described in 7.4.2.2 to 7.4.2.5, on the basis of the values in Table 10.

**Table 10 - Weighting factors**

Partial heat input $Q_{pi,\%}$ as % of $Q_n$	70	60	40	20
Weighting factor $F_{pi}$	0,15	0,25	0,30	0,30

For range rated systems  $Q_n$  is replaced by  $Q_a$ , the arithmetic mean of the maximum and the minimum input of the range, as stated by the manufacturer.

### 7.4.2.2 On/off systems

The  $NO_x$  concentration is measured (and possibly corrected as specified in 7.4.1) at the nominal heat input,  $Q_n$ .

### 7.4.2.3 Systems with several rates

The  $NO_x$  concentration is measured (and possibly corrected as specified in 7.4.1) at the partial heat input corresponding to each of the rates and weighted in accordance with Table 10.

If necessary, the weighting factor specified in Table 10 is recalculated for each rate as specified below.

If the heat inputs of two rates are between the partial heat inputs specified in Table 10, it is necessary to apportion the weighting factor between the heat inputs of the higher and lower rates, as follows:

$$F_{p, \text{high rate}} = F_{pi} \cdot \frac{Q_{pi, \%} - Q_{\text{low rate, \%}}}{Q_{\text{high rate, \%}} - Q_{\text{low rate, \%}}} \cdot \frac{Q_{\text{high rate, \%}}}{Q_{pi, \%}}$$

$$F_{p, \text{low rate}} = F_{pi} - F_{p, \text{high rate}}$$

If the heat inputs of two rates cover more than one partial heat input specified in Table 10, then it is necessary to apportion each weighting factor between the heat inputs of the higher and lower rate as indicated above.

The weighting  $\text{NO}_x$  value,  $\text{NO}_{x, \text{pond}}$ , is then equal to the sum of the products of the measured  $\text{NO}_x$  values at the different rates, multiplied by their weighting factor, calculated as specified below:

$$\text{NO}_{x, \text{pond}} = \sum (\text{NO}_{x, \text{mes high}} \cdot F_{p, \text{high rate}})$$

(See calculation example in Annex H and calculation of conversions of  $\text{NO}_x$  in Annex I.)

#### 7.4.2.4 Modulating systems in which the minimum modulating heat input is no greater than 0,20 $Q_n$

The  $\text{NO}_x$  concentration is measured (and possibly corrected as specified in 7.4.1) at the partial heat inputs specified in Table 10.

The weighted  $\text{NO}_x$  value,  $\text{NO}_{x, \text{pond}}$ , is determined as specified below:

$$\text{NO}_{x, \text{pond}} = 0,15 \times \text{NO}_{x, \text{mes}(70)} + 0,25 \times \text{NO}_{x, \text{mes}(60)} + 0,3 \times \text{NO}_{x, \text{mes}(40)} + 0,3 \times \text{NO}_{x, \text{mes}(20)}$$



#### 7.4.2.5 Modulating systems in which the minimum modulating heat input is greater than 0,20 $Q_n$

The  $NO_x$  concentration is measured (and possibly corrected as specified in 7.4.1) at the minimum modulating rate and at the partial heat inputs  $Q_{pi,\%}$ , specified in Table 10, which are greater than the minimum modulation rate.

The weighting factors for the partial heat inputs in Table 10, which are no greater than the minimum modulation rate are added and multiplied by this heat input.

The weighted  $NO_x$  value,  $NO_{x,pond}$ , is therefore determined as specified below:

$$NO_{x,pond} = NO_{x,mes,Qmin} \cdot \sum F_{pi} (Q \leq Q_{min}) + \sum (NO_{x,mes} \cdot F_{pi})$$

where:

- $Q_{min}$  is the minimum modulating heat input, expressed in kilowatt (kW);
- $Q_n$  is the nominal heat input, expressed in kilowatt (kW);
- $Q_a$  is the arithmetic mean heat input of  $Q_n$  and  $Q_{min}$ , expressed in kilowatt (kW);
- $Q_{pi,\%}$  is the partial heat input for weighting, expressed in percent of  $Q_n$ ;
- $F_{pi}$  is the weighting factor corresponding to the partial heat input  $Q_{pi,\%}$ ;
- $NO_{x,mes}$  is the measured (and possibly corrected) value, expressed in milligram per kilowatthour (mg/kWh):

- at the partial heat input :  $NO_{x,mes(70)}$  ,  $NO_{x,mes(60)}$  , ... ;

- at the minimum heat input (modulating systems) :  $NO_{x,mes,Qmin}$ ;

- at the heat input corresponding to a single rate :  $NO_{x,mes(rate)}$ ;

$Q_{high\ rate,\%}$  is the heat input rate greater than  $Q_{pi,\%}$ ;

$Q_{low\ rate,\%}$  is the heat input rate less than  $Q_{pi,\%}$ ;

$F_{p,high\ rate}$  is the apportioned weighting factor, high rate;

$F_{p,low\ rate}$  is the apportioned weighting factor, low rate.'