



Herewith it is confirmed that the

Squirter® Direct Tension Indicators (DTIs) M36, M42 and M48 for Flange Splice Bolts in Wind Turbine Towers

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have the ability to indicate adequate tightening of a bolted connection to achieve the target preload with a precision of $\pm 10\%$, after application of the calibration processes, as described in the Certification Report. The Squirter® DTI is a Direct Tension Indicator washer with silicon rubber in the protrusions.

The assessment was on the basis of the state of the art and the following references

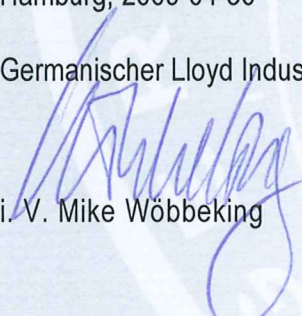
“High-strength structural bolting assemblies for preloading”,
prEN 14399-9:2007 Part 9: System HR or HV - Bolt and nut assemblies with direct
tension indicators

“Guideline for the Certification of Wind Turbines”,
Edition 2003 with Supplement 2004 of Germanischer Lloyd

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