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Subject: Assembly – Safety accessories and assemblies

Question:

Is it permissible to place on the market a CE marked assembly not equipped with protective devices where there is a risk of exceeding the allowable limits?

Answer:

No, see CLAP 65 - Guideline 3/8, CLAP 167 - Guideline 3/9, CLAP 168 - Guideline 3/10 and CLAP 226 - Guideline 5/6.

NOTE 1: As required in Annex I § 3.2.3, the final assessment of the assembly includes checking of the safety devices. In some cases, this can be done only after assembly at the user's premises.

NOTE 2: The Declaration of Conformity shall not be drawn up for the assembly until the checking of safety devices has been completed.

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