


Based on the Accreditation and Designation Ordinance dated 17 June 1996, on the proposal of the Swiss Accreditation Service (SAS) and on the opinion of the Federal Accreditation Commission, the Swiss Federal Office of Metrology and Accreditation grants to

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Accreditation as

Testing laboratory for analysis of explosive materials, papers and polymeric samples by means of spectroscopical, chromatographical, thermoanalytical and wet chemical methods

in accordance with the Standard ISO/IEC 17025. The scope of accreditation is defined in the Official Directory of the Accredited Testing Laboratories.

Accreditation mark and number:  STS 039

Date of accreditation: 9 November 1993

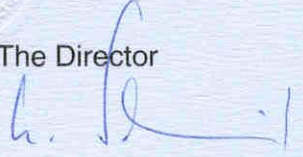
Date of the last renewal of accreditation: 13 October 2003

The accreditation is valid until: 12 October 2008


CH-3003 Berne-Wabern, 25 September 2003

Swiss Federal Office of Metrology and Accreditation

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