

<b>PAS 2012 Technical Interpretation</b>		<b>Interpretation number</b>	<b>012</b>
Title	Recording of type approval route under 8.1 (d) of PAS 2012		
PAS Version	2012 : 2015		
Clause(s)	8.1	(d)	
Enquiry	Section 8 specifies a variety of “product Information” that needs to be made available (either as printed matter and on the website). Item (d) includes “the approval route used for the WAV”. This causes problems in some cases where a particular WAV might NORMALLY be type approved but some examples of such a vehicle might be individually approved. This situation might arise on occasions where one vehicle has been subject to pre-registration modifications that dictated the use of an IVA instead of the normal type approval, or where a “type” approval temporarily loses its validity for a period of time. Is it really necessary to record this information in such a rigid manner?		
Decision	No. The provision of approval route information can be regarded as optional with immediate effect		
Rationale	This information is of little relevance to the end user and does not affect the safety of the WAV with regard to whether or not it meets the technical requirements of PAS 2012. It was only ever included for information and should therefore not be mandatory.		
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