

CYPRUS ORGANIZATION FOR THE PROMOTION OF QUALITY  
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**ACCREDITATION CERTIFICATE no. L100-2**

The Board of Governors  
of the Cyprus Organization for the Promotion of Quality  
acting as the authorized Cyprus Accreditation Body  
according to the Article 7 of the Law 156(I)/2002

**grants accreditation to the**  
*National Guard Laboratory*

in Nicosia, Cyprus

which has been assessed according to the Accreditation Criteria for Testing  
Laboratories as defined in the standard

***CYS EN ISO/IEC 17025:2017***

as **competent to perform the Methods** defined in the Scope of Accreditation referred to in the **Annex** of this certificate; the said Annex represents inextricable part of the certificate. The **Accreditation Scope** can only be modified after a decision of the Cyprus Accreditation Body.

Cyprus Accreditation Body is a signatory to the European co-operation for Accreditation (EA) Multilateral Agreement (MLA) in the above-mentioned field.

The current Accreditation Certificate, no. **L100-2**, is valid from **11<sup>th</sup> of May 2022 till 10<sup>th</sup> of May 2026**

Accreditation was granted for the first time on **11<sup>th</sup> of May 2018**.

Antonis Ioannou  
Director

Date: 12<sup>th</sup> October 2023

*This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognised International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2017. This accreditation demonstrates technical competence for a defined scope and the operation of a laboratory quality management System (ISO-ILAC-IAF Communiqué, 04/2017).*



**Annex**  
**of the Accreditation Certificate number L100-2**

**Scope of Accreditation**  
**of**  
**National Guard Laboratory**

**Valid from 11<sup>th</sup> of May 2022**

**\*Valid until 06<sup>th</sup> of August 2022**

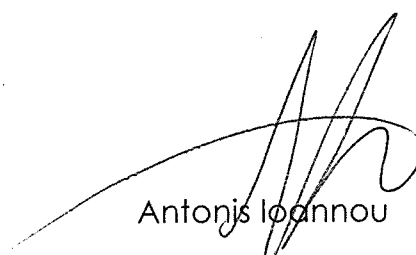
**\*\*Valid from 19<sup>th</sup> of June 2023**

<b>Materials / Products</b>	<b>Type of testing / Countable properties</b>	<b>Methods / Techniques</b>
Single- (SB), double- (DB) and triple base (TB) smokeless powder in propellants	Heat flow Calorimetry (Artificial ageing)	STANAG 4582, NATO
	Quantitative and Qualitative determination of stabilisers (Ethyl Centralite, Methyl Centralite Diphenylamine, Akardite-II, N-Nitrosodiphenylamine, 2-Nitrodiphenylamine, 4-Nitrodiphenylamine) in smokeless powder	M.01 Validated method based on AOP48, NATO

**Authorised persons to sign test reports are Dr. E. Papayianni, \*A. Hadjiantoniou, \*\*A. Goulas, Dr. M. Achilleos and Dr. C. Colocasidou.**

**General Remarks**

This Annex refers only for **testing** that is carried out at the **premises of the Laboratory**, at the following address, **National Guard Laboratory, Christos Samara army camp, Athalassas area, Nicosia, Cyprus.**

  
Antonis Ioannou  
Director

Date: 12<sup>th</sup> October 2023