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## **Supplementary Certificate of Approval**

### **No S490**

Issued by the Chief Metrologist under Regulation 60  
of the  
*National Measurement Regulations 1999*

This is to certify that an approval for use for trade has been granted in respect of the

Eurocell Model CPD-M Load Cell

submitted by           National Weighing & Instruments Pty Ltd  
                                  1/88 Magowar Road  
                                  Girraween    NSW    2145.

**NOTE:** This Certificate relates to the suitability of the pattern of the instrument for use for trade only in respect of its metrological characteristics. This Certificate does not constitute or imply any guarantee of compliance by the manufacturer or any other person with any requirements regarding safety.

This approval has been granted with reference to document NMI R 60, *Metrological Regulation for Load Cells*, dated July 2004.

#### **CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

This approval becomes subject to review on 1 March 2012, and then every 5 years thereafter.

Instruments purporting to comply with this approval shall be marked with approval number 'NMI S490' and only by persons authorised by the submittor.

Instruments incorporating a component purporting to comply with this approval shall be marked 'NMI S490' in addition to the approval number of the instrument.

It is the submittor's responsibility to ensure that all instruments marked with this approval number are constructed as described in the documentation lodged with the National Measurement Institute (NMI) and with the relevant Certificate of Approval and Technical Schedule. Failure to comply with this Condition may attract penalties under Section 19B of the National Measurement Act and may result in cancellation or withdrawal of the approval, in accordance with document NMI P 106.

The National Measurement Institute reserves the right to examine any instrument or component of an instrument purporting to comply with this approval.

The values of the performance criteria (maximum number of scale intervals etc.) applicable to an instrument incorporating the pattern approved herein shall be within the limits specified herein and in any approval documentation for the other components.

#### DESCRIPTIVE ADVICE

**Pattern:** approved 22 February 2006

- A Eurocell model CPD-M digital load cell of 20 000 kg maximum capacity.

**Variant:** approved 22 February 2006

1. Load cells of other capacities and characteristics as listed in Tables 1 and 2.

Technical Schedule No S490 describes the pattern and variant 1.

#### FILING ADVICE

The documentation for this approval comprises:

Supplementary Certificate of Approval No S490 dated 23 February 2007  
Technical Schedule No S490 dated 23 February 2007 (incl. Tables 1  
and 2)  
Figures 1 and 2 dated 23 February 2007

Signed by a person authorised by the Chief Metrologist  
to exercise his powers under Regulation 60 of the  
*National Measurement Regulations 1999.*

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TECHNICAL SCHEDULE No S490

**Pattern:** Eurocell Model CPD-M Load Cell

**Submitter:** National Weighing & Instruments Pty Ltd  
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**1. Description of Pattern**

A Eurocell model CPD-M digital load cell of 20 000 kg maximum capacity (Figure 1 and Tables 1 & 2).

These load cells shall only be used with indicators which are approved for use with compatible Eurocell digital load cells.

Note: The load cell may also be known as a Bilanciai model CPD-M (it is manufactured by Societa' Cooperativa Bilanciai).

**1.1 Method of Mounting**

Mounting is to be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and as shown in Figure 2.

**1.2 Markings**

Each load cell is marked with the following:

Manufacturer's mark, or name written in full	Eurocell (or Bilanciai)
Model number	CPD-M ##
(where ## is the additional marking as shown in Table 2)	
Maximum capacity	..... kg (or t)
Serial number	.....
Pattern approval mark	S490

**1.3 Table of Specifications**

Specifications for the pattern are given in Tables 1 and 2.

**2. Description of Variant 1**

Load cells of other capacities and characteristics as shown in Tables 1 and 2.

TABLE 1

Common characteristics (see additional Table below for specific models)	
Type: Eurocell model CPD-M	
Class	C
Output rating (resolution)	200 000 counts at Emax (approx)
Supply voltage (DC)	18 V maximum
Communication	RS485
Cable length	1200 m (*)
Junction box	Eurocell/Bilanciali part numbers OC0235 or OC0236 (The submitter should be consulted regarding the acceptability of alternative junction box arrangements.)
Digital indicator	Indicators approved as suitable for use with compatible Eurocell digital load cells
Apportionment factor, pLC	0.8

(\*) The load cell is provided with a 6 pin socket to which a cable up to 1200 m in length may be fitted to connect to the junction box or indicator.

TABLE 2

Type: Eurocell Europe CPD-M ## (where ## is additional marking)						
Additional marking nLC	C1 1000	C2 2000	C3 3000	C4 4000	C5 5000	C6 6000
Emax (kg)	20000	20000	20000	20000	20000	20000
vmin (kg)	4.00	2.86	1.11	1.11	1.00	1.00
DR (kg)	3.33	3.33	3.33	3.33	3.33	3.33
Emax (kg)	35000	35000	35000	35000	35000	35000
vmin (kg)	7.00	5.00	1.94	1.94	1.75	1.75
DR (kg)	5.83	5.83	5.83	5.83	5.83	5.83
Emax (kg)	50000	50000	50000	50000	50000	50000
vmin (kg)	10.00	7.14	2.78	2.78	2.50	2.50
DR (kg)	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33

Where nLC = Maximum number of verification intervals  
 Emax = Maximum capacity  
 vmin = Minimum value of verification interval  
 DR = Minimum dead load output return value

Note: The load cell markings may include the vmin value. Be aware that the values in the above table are rounded values, whereas the marked value may be unrounded and may be expressed in different units and using a 'decimal comma' rather than a decimal point (e.g. the marking may be 1111,111 g where the value in the above table is 1.11 kg)

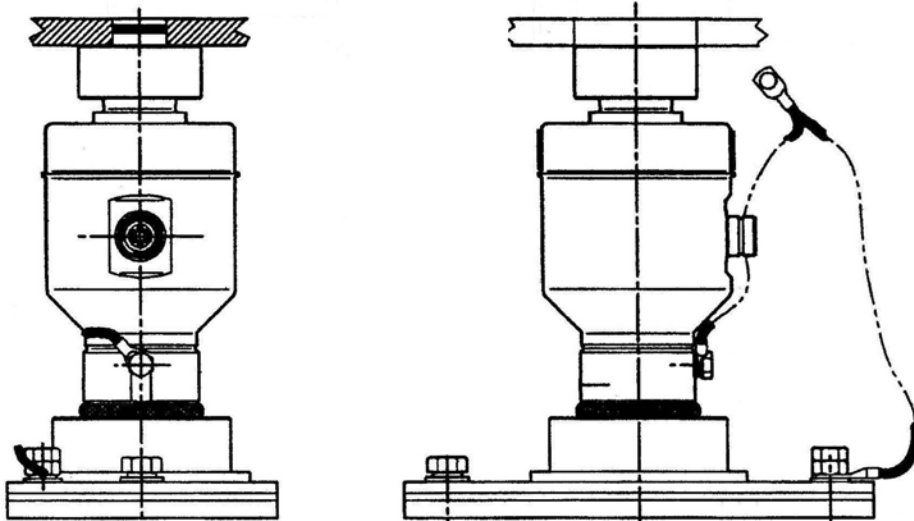
FIGURE S490 – 1



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FIGURE S490 – 2



Mounting Arrangement