

Criteria for national databases for MID Certificates
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All notified bodies for modules B, D, D1, E, E1, H, H1 should supply their certificates to a national database. If the member state does not operate an own database, the certificates should be supplied to database of another member state.

Minimum Criteria for national databases

- Web based
- Open access for basic data of certificates (certificate no., manufacturer)
- Searching possibility
- User interface operable in English language
- Central national access point with a short and unique internet address (direct link from portal)
- Clear indication of contact person for access application and requests (national contact person)
- No costs for market surveillance authorities and national inspection or verification bodies for instruments in use
- Contain information about withdrawals of type and design examination certificates
- Contain information about refusals and withdrawals of approvals of quality systems
- Unique reference number of certificates

Authorized users for download of certificates:

- Market surveillance authorities
- National inspection or verification bodies for instruments in use
- Notifying authorities
- Notified bodies

Useful Search Criteria:

- i) EC type examination certificates, EC design examination certificates
 - Instrument category
 - Ref. No. of certificate
 - Manufacturer
- ii) Quality Managements System Approvals
 - Ref. No. of certificate
 - Manufacturer

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