

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

This is to certify that the Quality Management System of:

KME IBERTUBOS, S.A. Santa Perpetua de Mogoda, Barcelona Spain

has been approved by Lloyd's Register Quality Assurance to the following Quality Management System Standards:

ISO 9001:2000

The Quality Management System is applicable to:

Manufacture and commercialization of tubes of copper and copper alloys.

Approval

Certificate No: 953407

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