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According to related regulations and laws of the People's Republic of China, AQSIQ (General Administration of Quality Supervision Inspection and Quarantine) has issued the *Supervision Administration Regulation for Manufacture of Boiler and Pressure Vessel* (Directive No. 22 of AQSIQ) and three attached practical documents:

- Requirements for Boiler and Pressure Vessel Manufacture Licensing*
- Procedures for Manufacture Licensing of Boiler and Pressure Vessel*
- Supervisory Inspection Rule for Safety Performance of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Products.*

In accordance with relative procedures, the above documents have already been notified to WTO and has completely implemented since January 1st, 2004. Simultaneously, the previous *Implementation Regulations of Import Boiler and Pressure Vessel Safety Quality Licensing System* and related regulations issued by the Ministry of Labour of the P.R. of China on September 29, 1993 were abolished.

Accordingly, it is notified that the licenses are still valid within their expiration dates for those of the overseas manufacturers that obtained "Safety Quality License For Import Boiler and Pressure Vessel" or "Manufacturing License of Boiler and Pressure Vessel" before December 31st, 2003 or whose applications were submitted to SELO (Special Equipment Licensing Office) ahead of December 31st, 2003.

However, it is required for those overseas manufacturers that the manufacturing requirements of their boilers or pressure vessels planned to export to China must meet the related requirements of the *Supervision Administration Regulation for Manufacture of Boiler and Pressure Vessel*, the *Requirements for Boiler and Pressure Vessel Manufacture Licensing*, the *Procedures for Manufacture Licensing of Boiler and Pressure Vessel*, and the *Supervisory Inspection Rule for Safety Performance of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Products*.

The current regulations are as follows:

- 1) *Regulations on Safety Supervision of Special Equipment*
- 2) *Supervision Administration Regulation for Manufacture of Boiler and Pressure Vessel*

- Requirements for Boiler and Pressure Vessel Manufacture Licensing*
- Procedures for Manufacture Licensing of Boiler and Pressure Vessel*
- Supervisory Inspection Rule for Safety Performance of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Products.*

They can be scanned and downloaded on our website: www.cbpvi.org(English) or www.aqsiq.gov.cn or www.csei.org.cn (Chinese).

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