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EEC TYPE-APPROVAL CERTIFICATE

Communication concerning:

- ~~type approval~~
- extension of type approval
- ~~refusal of type approval~~
- ~~withdrawal of type approval~~

of a type of a component (towbar) with regard to Directive (94/20/EEC)

Type-approval number: e4*94/20*1724*01

Reason for extension: Change of D-value from 12.40 kN to 13.80 kN.

SECTION I

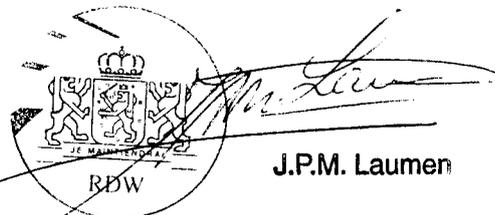
- 0.1. Make (trade name of manufacturer) : GDW
- 0.2. Type and general commercial description(s) : 1227
- 0.3. Means of identification of type marked on the component : Approval number
- 0.3.1. Location of that marking : On type plate
- 0.5. Name and address of manufacturer : GDW
Hoogmolenwegel 23
8790 Waregem Belgium
- 0.7. In the case of components and separate technical units, location and method of affixing of the EEC type approval mark : On type plate
- 0.8. Address(es) of assembly plant(s) : See information document
(annex III, item 0.8)



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SECTION II

1. Additional information (where applicable) : See Appendix I
2. Technical service responsible for carrying out the tests : RDW
Testbaan|Centrum
Talingweg 76
8218 NX Lelystad
3. Date of test report : 12-06-2001
4. Number of test report : RDW-94/20-2010
5. Remarks (if any) : See Appendix I
6. Place : Zoetermeer
7. Date : 12-06-2001
8. Signature :



The signature of J.P.M. Laumen is written in black ink over a circular stamp. The stamp features the RDW logo, which includes a crown and a shield with a lion and a unicorn, and the text 'RDW' below it.

J.P.M. Laumen

9. The index to the information package lodged with the competent authority that has granted type-approval, which may be obtained on request, is attached.
 - Application form relating to annex III and annexed drawings
 - Drawings and instructions for attachment
 - Fitting instructions
 - Test report as mentioned in item 4.

Appendix I
to EEC type-approval certificate No : e4*94/20*1724*01
concerning the components type-approval of mechanical coupling devices with regard to
Directive 94/20/EEC

1. Additional information
- 1.1. Class of the type of coupling : A50-X
- 1.2. Categories or types of vehicles for which the device is designed or restricted : See fitting instructions
- 1.3. Maximum D-value : 13,8 kN
- 1.4. Maximum vertical load S at the coupling point : 100 kg
- 1.5. Maximum load U at the fifth wheel coupling point : ----- ton
- 1.6. Maximum V-value : ----- kN
- 1.7. Instructions for attachment of the coupling type to the vehicle and photographs or drawings of the fitting points at the vehicle give by the manufacturer; additional information if the use of the coupling type is restricted to special types of vehicles : See fitting instructions
- 1.8. Information on the fitting of special towing brackets or mounting plates : See fitting instructions
5. Remarks: The installation of the coupling device to the vehicle must be checked according to requirements of Annex VII, see Annex I, par.5.10.

