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To,

All concerned

Dear Madam/Sir,

The following document has been prepared by the Lubricants And their Related Products Sectional Committee, PCD 25. Please <u>click here</u> to view the document.

Document Number : PCD 25 (26883) WC Title of the document : MARQUENCHING OILS SPECIFICATION Document Type : Revision of Indian Standard (IS 4543 : 1977)

This document has following salient features which may require specific attention for your valuable comments:

1) Marquenching is a steel hardening process to produce finished products of high precision and quality from relatively less expensive low alloy steels. The finished products include gears, tools dies, bearing races, etc. The process of marquenching essentially consists of rapid hot quenching of the finished products in baths maintained at about 200 °C to ensure temperature equalization throughout the steel before conversion to the martensite structure during subsequent air or water cooling.

2) This second revision has been carried out to incorporate the following major changes: a) The oil suitable for marquenching should have a high and constant quench rate along with satisfactory steel hardening characteristics. Hence, a performance test based on a Quenchometer with Cooling Curve analysis has been included in the requirements. It should have high flash point and low volatility to minimize fire hazards. b) Globally, marquenching oils are specified and marketed on the basis of the kinematic viscosity at 40 °C. Additionally, viscosity index of a quenching oil is directly related to its performance, affecting its behaviour over varying temperatures. The base oils commonly

used in the manufacture of quenching oils inherently have a sufficiently high viscosity index. Hence, the viscosity and viscosity index requirements of marquenching oils have been revised to reflect the representative viscosity.

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Yours faithfully, (CHINMAY DWIVEDI) Head (Petroleum, Coal and Related Products Department) Email: pcd@bis.gov.in ×

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