Our Ref: CMD-III/16:4923

Subject: Implementation of Amendment No. 6, June 2011 to IS 4923:1997

Amendment No. 6, June 2011 to IS 4923:1997, Specification for Hollow Steel Sections for Structural Use, has been published (copy enclosed). This amendment does not require any change in the existing Scheme of Testing and Inspection (Doc:STI/4923/8, July 2008).

Hence it has been decided to implement the above amendment with immediate effect.

All ROs/BOs are requested to inform the licensees of IS 4923:1997 operating under their jurisdiction about implementation of the amendment and ensure compliance.

Encl: As above.

Circulated All ROs/BOs, & BIS Labs

CC to i) CMD-1
  ii) MTD for arranging gazette notification
  iii) ITSD- For posting on BIS Intranet
AMENDMENT NO. 6 JUNE 2011 TO
IS 4923 : 1997 HOLLOW STEEL SECTIONS FOR STRUCTURAL USE — SPECIFICATION
(Second Revision)

(Page 2, clause 10) — Substitute the following for the existing:

‘10 COATING

10.1 Hollow sections may be varnished, painted or oiled externally or may be galvanized as agreed between the purchaser and the manufacturer. In case of galvanizing, the mass of zinc coating shall be as per the agreement between the manufacturer and purchaser.’

(MTD 19)

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