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- 3.4 The manufacturer shall undertake to fulfil the obligations arising from...
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- 4.1 The purpose of surveillance is to make sure that the...
- 4.2 The manufacturer shall for assessment purposes allow the approved body...
- 4.3 The approved body shall carry out periodic audits to make...
- 4.4 Additionally, the approved body may pay unexpected visits to the...
- 5. UK marking and Declaration of conformity
- 5.1 The manufacturer shall affix the UK marking, and, under the...
- 5.2 The manufacturer shall draw up a written declaration of conformity...
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 - 4.2 The installer shall, for assessment purposes, allow the approved body...
 - 4.3 The approved body shall carry out periodic audits to make...
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 - 5. The installer shall, keep at the disposal of the enforcing...
 - 6. Each approved body shall inform the Secretary of State of...
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 - 7.1 The installer shall affix the UK marking in the car...
 - 7.2 The installer shall draw up a written declaration of conformity...
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