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To whom it may concern:

Requalification and Repair of Welded UN Pressure Receptacles

I have a couple of questions regarding the requalification and repair of welded UN pressure receptacles. It appears 49CFR180.207 and 180.211 do not address welded UN pressure receptacles, like how 180.207 and 180.212 do for seamless UN pressure receptacles. In reviewing UN Model Regulations and CSA B341, it appears that ISO 10460:2018 would be the applicable ISO standard for periodic inspection and repair of welded UN pressure receptacles. ISO 10460:2018 is not listed in 49CFR171.7.

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Question #1: Are welded UN pressure receptacles required to be requalified per 49CFR180.207?

Answer #1: Yes.

Question #2: Should ISO 10460:2018 be used for the requalification and if required repair of welded UN pressure receptacles?

Answer #2: Yes.

A reply as soon as possible would be appreciated. Should you have additional questions or need to discuss, please call 618-444-7628.

Sincerely,

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co.