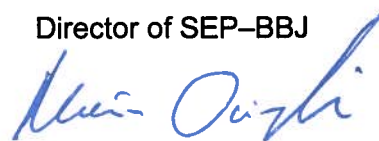


Impartiality Declaration
Association of Polish Electricians Quality Testing Office
SEP-BBJ

The management of SEP-BBJ, understanding and valuing the importance of impartiality in the area of the conducted product testing and certification as a third party, based on the requirements of accreditation standards PN-EN ISO/IEC 17065:2013-03, PN-EN ISO/IEC 17025:2018-02 and requirements of the European (ETICS) and international (IECEE) organisation declares, that SEP-BBJ:

- acts impartially, fairly and independently, applying the same rules and procedures to all clients;
- guarantees impartiality at the policy, evaluation and decision levels in product testing and/or certification processes;
- manages conflicts of interest on an ongoing basis, identifying, analysing and documenting potential conflicts of interest resulting from the conducted processes of testing and/or certification and organisational links of SEP-BBJ and takes steps to eliminate them or bringing them to an acceptable level;
- presents the results of analysis of conflicts of interest to the Certification Committee, which is the body that supervise the impartiality of SEP-BBJ by ensuring the participation of all stakeholders in the development of policies and rules for the scope and operation of certification schemes;
- does not undertake the carrying out of the testing and/or certification process where a conflict of interest represents an unacceptable threat to impartiality;
- staff involved in testing and/or certification processes are required to disclose any situation that could give rise to a conflict of interest for them or the SEP-BBJ, giving rise to appropriate restrictions on the performance of certain functions certification and laboratory activities;
- does not consult or cooperate with consulting organisations and does not suggest that testing and/or certification could be easier or cheaper if the services of the consulting organisation were used;
- does not advise on informing clients on how to deal with obstacles to a positive test and/or certification result;
- does not design, manufacture or supply products which it tests and/or certifies and it does not certifies products that could compromise the impartiality of certification activities;
- ensures that the activity of the Association of Polish Electrical Engineers does not threaten the impartiality of SEP-BBJ's activity.

Director of SEP-BBJ



Marcin Ocioszyński

Warsaw, 10th August 2020