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THE UNITED KINGDOM VEHICLE APPROVAL AUTHORITY

COMMUNICATION CONCERNING THE GRANTING OF EEC TYPE APPROVAL AS A COMPONENT OF MECHANICAL COUPLING DEVICES FOR MOTOR VEHICLES AND THEIR TRAILERS PURSUANT TO DIRECTIVE 94/20/EC OF 30 MAY 1994 (STU)

Type Approval No(1): e11*94/20*8127*00

Reason(s) for Extension: Not Applicable

Section I

- 0.1 Make(trade name of manufacturer): PCT Limited
- 0.2 Type and general commercial description(s): FD4143A Ford Transit
- 0.3 Means of identification of type if marked on the component(2):
(i) Label/Indelible dot mark attached to near side of main section of towbar OR
(ii) Label/Indelible dot marking to electrical mounting bracket
- 0.3.1 Location of that marking: See manufacturer's documentation
- 0.5 Name and address of manufacturer:
PCT Limited
New Street
Sheffield
S20 3GH United Kingdom
- 0.7 In the case of components and separate technical units, location and method of affixing of the EEC approval mark: See manufacturer's documentation
- 0.8 Name(s) and address(es) of assembly plants: See section 0.5

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Section II

1	Additional information (where applicable):	See Appendix I
2	Technical service responsible for carrying out the tests:	Vehicle Certification Agency
3	Date of test report:	17 February 2011
4	Number of test report:	VSL226323
5	Remarks (if any): See Appendix I	None
6	Place:	BRISTOL
7	Date:	17 FEBRUARY 2011
8	Signature:	 A. W. STENNING Head of Technical and Quality Group

9 The index to the information package lodged with the competent authority that has granted type approval, which may be obtained on request, is attached.

- (1) The EEC type approval number appearing on this document shall consist of all sections outlined in Annex VII to Directive 70/156/EEC as last amended by Directive 92/53/EEC.
The component itself shall be marked as prescribed in the relevant separate Directive.
- (2) If the means of identification of type contains characters not relevant to describe the component types covered by this type approval certificate such characters shall be represented in the documentation by the symbol '?' (e.g. ABC??123??).

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to EEC Type Approval Certificate No: e11*94/20*8127*00
concerning the component type-approval of mechanical coupling devices with
regard to Directive 94/20/EC

1	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
1.1	Class of type of coupling:	A50 - X	
1.2	Categories or types of vehicles for which the device is designed or restricted:	Ford Transit	
1.3	Maximum D-value*:	17.81	kN
1.4	Maximum vertical load S at the coupling point*:	140	kg
1.5	Maximum load U at the fifth wheel coupling point*:	Not Applicable	tonnes
1.6	Maximum V-value*:	Not Applicable	kN
1.7	Instructions for attachment of the coupling type to the vehicle and photographs or drawings of the fixing points at the vehicle given by the manufacturer; additional information if the use of the coupling type is restricted to special types of vehicles:	See Manufacturer's Documentation	
1.8	Information on the fitting of special towing brackets or mounting plates*:	Not Applicable	
5	Remarks(1):	None	

* Delete where inapplicable

(1) Including information as to whether fifth wheel couplings are unsuitable for positive steering.

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