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All Addl. General Managers,
Deputy General Managers,
Asst. General Managers,
Project Directors,
Managers/Chief Engineers/Chief Accountants/Chief QS
Secretary to the Board of Management,
Chemists/Sociologists,
Other Heads of Divisions including
OICs

Implementation of Revised SLS Standards SLS 147:2013 for u-PVC pipes and SLS 659:2015 for u-PVC Pipe Fittings for Water Supply

Sri Lanka Standard Institution has revised the standards for u-PVC pipes in year 2013 and u-PVC fittings in year 2015 respectively in line with ISO standards. A grace period has been provided by the Sri Lanka Standard Institution (SLSI) to the industries for implementation of these revised standards up to 31st December 2015 for PVC pipes and 30th June 2016 for u-PVC fittings. The new standards specifies pipes and fittings by PN_T class (not the type 600 and type 1000). Corresponding PN_T classes for type 600 and type 1000 pipes are PN_T 7 and PN_T 11 respectively. Corresponding PN_T classes for type 600 and type 1000 fittings are PN_T 7 and PN_T 11 respectively. Corresponding PN_T class for 20mm dia pipes and fittings is PN_T 14.

Therefore when preparing Bills of Quantities for u-PVC pipe supply contracts, Supply and Laying contracts, Laying contracts or works contracts, you are advised to use the relevant PN_T class of Pipes and Fittings.

Specification for u-PVC pipes and fittings has already been included in the SBD's in the NWSDB Web site. You are advised to use the updated SBD's in the NWSDB Web site.

For further details please contact AGM (P&D-Documentation).

General Manager