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Key words: identification of test samples			
Question: What measures should be adopted to ensure traceability and identification of specific PPE product to the original type?			
Solution: There must be no ambiguity regarding the identification of the PPE having been submitted as a type (model) to a notified body for EU type-examination. PPE placed on the market are the subject of the tested type declaration of conformity.  The following is recommended: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– the alphanumeric reference of the models must be provided by the manufacturer with an indication of its meeting</li><li>– the photographs needed for correct identification of the PPE must accompany the certificate and a copy of these photographs must be archived with the file by the notified body</li><li>– an example of the PPE in a finished state can be archived by the notified body when this is possible</li><li>– if this is not possible, representative samples will have to be stored.</li></ul>			