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### **General Part**

| Technical Assessment Body issuing the<br>European Technical Assessment:                                            | Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik                                           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Trade name of the construction product                                                                             | BR 104 EU                                                                   |
| Product family to which the construction product belongs                                                           | Kit for closure systems for conveyor systems                                |
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### Specific Part

### 1 Technical description of the product

This European Technical Approval applies for the closure system "BR 104 EU" as hanging flap (hinges located at the top) for conveyor systems, hereinafter referred to as "BR 104 EU". The closure system can be designed for installation at floor level or for installation at raised position.

"BR 104 EU" primarily consists of the following components1:

- Single-leaf flap leaf

The approx. 48 mm thick flap leaf consists of an inner framework of steel hollow profiles (30 mm x 20 mm x 2 mm), filled with a 30 mm thick calcium silicate board and both-sided covered with a 9 mm thick calcium silicate board. The sliding leaf may be covered with  $\leq$  1 mm thick steel plate or wood veneer. The calcium silicate boards are secured with water glass adhesive and steel cramps.

The flap leaf is fixed to the wall by a L steel section (60 mm x 60 mm x 6 mm) and steel hinges. Wall covering of the flap leaf at the side and at the top amounts to 100 mm.

- Fixed panel with clearance for the conveyor

The 170 mm thick fixed panel consists of several calcium silicate boards or gypsum boards which are secured with water glass adhesive. The fixed panel is secured to the wall via brackets. The clearance in the fixed panel is configured for the respective conveyor technology. Various intumescent materials are used in the necessary functional gaps.

- Wall frame and locking device of the flap leaf

The closed flap leaf is enclosed by a wall frame of L steel sections (60 mm x 40 mm x 5 mm). The flap leaf will be locked by two locking devices on the wall frame.

Seal system

In the overlap of the flap leaf and adjacent wall on the side of the flap leaf facing the wall strips of an intumescent material are positioned (see annex 3).

On the lower edge of the flap leaf a sealing segment with strips of an intumescent material is positioned above the conveyor system. Strips of an intumescent material are positioned in the conveyor technology area in the fixed panel (see annex 4).

The sealing segments on the flap leaf consist of several strips of calcium silicate board. The fixed panel in the conveyor technology area consist of several strips of calcium silicate board or gypsum board. Strips of an intumescent material must be positioned in the residual gaps.

Closing device (closing weight system)
 "BR 104 EU" shall be closed via stored mechanical energy (deadweight of the flap leaf).

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The documents describing the structure of "BR 104 EU" in detail and the product specifications of the building materials used are deposited with DIBt.



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# 2 Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable European Assessment Document

In accordance with this European Technical Approval, the "BR 104 EU" was assessed as closure to seal necessary openings of trackbound conveyors (see table 2) in internal walls (see table 1).

When the intumescent materials<sup>1</sup> are used, the verified ambient conditions (e.g. the category stated in TR024<sup>2</sup>) are to be observed.

The "BR 104 EU" is not intended for passenger transportation. The normal position of the closure shall be opened or closed.

The "BR 104 EU" shall only be used if the following conditions apply:

- The normally-open closure (open in the normal position; closes in the event of a fire) shall be equipped with a hold-open system suitable for the closure where applicable in conjunction with the national regulations.
- The normally-open closure, which cannot be opened from a fixed position (floor, pedestal etc.), is to be equipped with a drive to open the closure.
- It is to be ensured that the closing of the closure is not obstructed by conveyed goods or other objects.
- It is to be ensured that the closed closure cannot be damaged by conveyed goods or other objects.

The verifications and assessment methods on which this European Technical Assessment is based lead to the assumption of a working life of the "BR 104 EU" of at least 10 years. The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer, but are to be regarded only as a means for choosing the right products in relation to the expected economically reasonable working life of the works.

NOTE: Other requirements and other EU Directives may be applicable to the product(s) falling within the scope of this document.



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Table 1: Permitted dimensions of the clearance of the opening in internal walls

| Component (supporting                                                                                                                                  | Maximum fire                      | Clearance of the component opening |                        |                        |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| construction) in which the closure can be installed <sup>a)</sup>                                                                                      | resistance<br>class <sup>b)</sup> | clear width                        | clear height           | clear surface          |
| High-density solid wall<br>Masonry or solid concrete<br>with an overall density of<br>$\ge 800 \text{ kg/m}^3$ and a<br>thickness $\ge 200 \text{ mm}$ | E 90<br>El₂ 90<br>EW 60           | min. 500<br>max. 1.500             | min. 500<br>max. 1.500 | min. 0,25<br>max. 2,25 |
| Low-density solid wall<br>Aerated concrete with an<br>overall density of<br>≥ 450 kg/m <sup>3</sup> and a<br>thickness ≥ 200 mm                        | E 90<br>El₂ 90<br>EW 60           | min. 500<br>max. 1.500             | min. 500<br>max. 1.500 | min. 0,25<br>max. 2,25 |
| a) Supporting construction to EN 1366-7 <sup>3</sup> , section 7.2 or EN 1363-1 <sup>4</sup> , section 7.2                                             |                                   |                                    |                        |                        |

b) Fire resistance class per EN 13501-2<sup>5</sup> in accordance with the Evaluation Report

Table 2: Permitted sealing systems for the continuous conveyor technology<sup>6</sup>

| Sealing system<br>for | Fixed panel<br>thickness<br>(gypsum<br>boards) | Minimum penetration<br>seal depth of the seal on<br>the fixed panel<br>(Penetration seal via<br>calcium silicate boards) | Minimum<br>penetration seal<br>depth at the flap<br>leaf | Maximum<br>fire<br>resistance<br>class |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Roll conveyor         | 170 mm                                         | 170 mm<br>between the rollers:<br>2 x 20 mm webs                                                                         | 124 mm                                                   | EI 90                                  |
| Belt conveyor         | 170 mm                                         | 170 mm                                                                                                                   | 124 mm                                                   | EI 90                                  |
| Chain conveyor        | 170 mm                                         | 170 mm                                                                                                                   | 124 mm                                                   | EI 90                                  |

The conveyor tracks shall be positioned at the bottom and can be continuous in the closing area of the flap leaf.

### 3 Performance of the product and references to the methods used for its assessment

### 3.1 Safety in case of fire (BWR 2)

| Essential characteristic                           | Performance                 |
|----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Fire resistance<br>(EN 13501-2)                    | see clause 2, table 1 and 2 |
| Mechanical durability of self-closing (EN 13501-2) | C5                          |
| Reaction to fire<br>(EN 13501-1)                   | see following table 3       |

<sup>3</sup> EN 1366-7:2004

Fire resistance tests for service installations - Part 7: Conveyor systems and their closures

- <sup>4</sup> EN 1363-1:2012 Fire resistance tests Part 1: General requirements
- <sup>5</sup> EN 13501-2:2016 Fire classification of construction products and building elements Part 2: Classification using data from fire resistance tests, excluding ventilation services

6 see Annex 4



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| Table 3: | Reaction t | o fire of | the used | materials |
|----------|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
|          |            |           |          |           |

| component              | material                            | class according to<br>EN 13501-1 |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| flap leaf, fixed panel | calzium silicate boards             | A1                               |
|                        | gypsum boards                       | A1                               |
|                        | water glass adhesive                | at least class E                 |
| hinges, guide          | steel                               | A1                               |
| seal system            | Intumescent material – Promaseal PL | at least class E                 |
| closing device         | steel                               | A1                               |
| fixing material        | steel                               | A1                               |

### 3.2 Hygiene, health and the environment (BWR 3)

No performance assessed.

# 4 Assessment and verification of constancy of performance (AVCP) system applied, with reference to its legal base

In accordance with EAD No. 350022-01-1107, the applicable European legal act is: 1999/454/EG.

The system to be applied is: 1

In addition, with regard to e.g. reaction to fire of components and materials for products covered by this EAD the applicable European legal act is: 1999/454/EG.

The systems to be applied are: 1 / 3 / 4 (dependent on classes of reaction to fire)

# 5 Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided for in the applicable EAD

Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited with Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.

The manufacturer shall provide installation instructions and maintenance instructions for every "BR 104 EU". The maintenance instructions shall clearly indicate which work is to be performed to ensure that the installed closure system continues to perform its task after long-term use.

The manufacturer shall provide instructions on processing, packaging, transport, storage and use, maintenance and repair of the construction product.

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