

# **CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMANCE**

## FOR METALLIC MATERIAL MANUFACTURER

This is to certify that the Quality Management System of:

### **Tube Forgings of America, Inc.**

#### 5200 N.W. Front Avenue Portland, OR U.S.A.

has been assessed by ABS Group and found to comply with the requirements of ISO 9001:2015 and the provisions of the Pressure Equipment Directive (PED) 2014/68/EU, Annex I, Paragraph 4.3.

#### Scope of supply:

Manufacture of carbon steel butt welded fittings

The manufacturer is authorized to issue certificates of specific and non-specific product control required by the Pressure Equipment Directive and the material specifications applied.

Certificate number:

41897

The certificate is valid until the expiry date shown below, subject to continued certification of the ISO 9001:2015 system and satisfactory annual PED material manufacturer audits.

Issue Date: Expiration Date: 01 August 2023 29 August 2026

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As The Pressure Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016 do not include specific requirements for the certification of manufactures of material, ABS Group use the equivalence principle that if the manufacturer complies with the requirements of Annex I, section 4.3, of The Pressure Equipment Directive (PED) 2014/68/EU, materials produced are deemed to also meet the requirements of The Pressure Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016. This will be subject to review if or when The Pressure Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016 include requirements for material manufacturers.

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