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Subject: PI marked receptacle used as static receptacle**Question:** According to Guideline 1/33 of the Commission's Working Group "Pressure" accepted on 2001-04-04 (see CLAPT 34), a PI marked receptacle may be used as a static pressure equipment (under the scope of the PED) without being CE marked.

May such a receptacle be re-used as transportable pressure equipment ?

Answer: YES provided that :

- the re-use as transportable pressure equipment is under user's responsibility ;
- a periodic inspection is carried out at the moment of the re-use as transportable pressure equipment and that :
 - * the user informs the notified body (see Annex 4, Part II, § 2 of the TPED), and
 - * special attention is paid, in particular, to short lifecycle receptacles and to the special conditions to which the equipment has been exposed during the operation as static equipment, such as cycling, weakness, etc.