



EU Type Examination Certificate

Date: 2023/09/13

n. **1044233701/OE**

Validity: 2028/09/12

The hereunder described items of Personal Protective Equipment have overcome positively the "EU type examination" (Module B), proving their conformity to the safety and health requirements of the Regulation (EU) 2016/425 (Annex II)

Manufacturer: **NEAR BIRDS**
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Type of PPE: **Impact pad for paragliding harness**

Category of PPE: **II** : "medium" risks.
This certificate is based on reference standards listed below: its validity is no longer ensured should new version of the standards come into force.

Model **"VATB_0101_protect"**

Description: Impact protector to be fitted into paragliding harness. This impact protector is removable, and therefore it can be detached from the harness.



The complete material description and construction can be found in the Technical File of reference.

This impact protector is associated with the reference paragliding harnesses:

- **VIBE**
- **ATACMS**
- **TANDEM PASSENGER MUSEBAG.**

See pictures on page 2.

Technical Standard: **EN 1651:2018+A1:2020** Paragliding equipment – Harnesses – Safety requirements and strength tests

Intended use: reduce the compression damage to the spine of the pilot in case of wrong landing in paragliding activities.

Size range: One size

Technical File: **DC-17300**

Test report: **AIR TURQUOISE SA n° MISC_263.2023 revision 01**





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Functions and performance levels:

Prevent injuries caused by impacts that may occur in paragliding activities, by absorbing the impact energy to the body of the pilot.

The protector passed the impact testing performed with a test dummy (min. 50 Kg) lifted up to a minimum height of 165cm (measured from the impact surface to the lowest point of the dummy).

Requirements:

- maximum peak value: 50 g;
- maximum duration at 38 g: ≤ 7 ms;
- maximum duration at 20 g: ≤ 25 ms.

Marking:

on a stitched label displaying the following information:

- **CE Marking;**
- name/logo and full address of the Manufacturer;
- item designation;
- nr. and year of the European Standard (EN 1651:2018+A1:2020);
- size indication;
- date of manufacture;
- serial number;
- notice inviting the user to read the user manual;
- notice on degradation and inspection of the PPE;
- additional info: test report number, website and contact information of the Manufacturer, care symbols and product lifespan.



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One size

Harness protector (impact pad) VATB_0101_protect
Impact pad type: Foam
Impact pad report number: MISC_263.2023 revision 01

Serial number: _____
Production date (year / month): _____ Product Lifespan: 10 years

Tested in accordance with the following standards : **EN1651:2018+A1:2020**
This model corresponds with the tested sample
The impact damping characteristics of impact pads degrade through use and ageing.
Periodically check the impact pad's function and condition in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.



Warning : Read the operating manual before using this equipment!

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Reference paragliding harnesses:

VIBE



ATACMS



TANDEM PASSENGER MUSEBAG



NOTE: the Technical File contains a more detailed description of the PPE (material, method of assembly, photographs or drawings), performance data, safety functions and level of protection, elements of conformity to the basic and supplementary requirements.
The Technical File is integral part of the present Certification, which has to be kept available by the applicant to be forwarded - upon request - to the entitled person (supervising body, Controlling Officer).

