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Korea Gas Safety Code

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1.General

1.1 Scope

This code applies to the installations, technology and inspection of high-pressure gas storage places in conformity to the Enforcement Decree of the High-pressure Gas Safety Control Act (hereinafter referred to as "the Enforcement Decree"), Article 3, Clause 2.

1.2 Validity of Code

- **1.2.1** This Code has passed the deliberation and resolution by the Gas Technical Standards Committee (Bill No. 2022-6, July 15, 2022) in accordance with to the High-pressure Gas Safety Control Act (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"), Article 22-2, Clause 2, has been approved by the Minister of Trade, Industry & Energy Notification No. 2021-785 of the Ministry of Trade, Industry & Energy, August 30, 2022), and is valid and effective as the detailed standards in conformity to the Act, Article 22-2, Clause 1.
- **1.2.2** Conformity to this Code is deemed to conform to Attached Table 8, 1 of the Enforcement Rule of the High-pressure Gas Safety Control Act (hereinafter referred to as "Enforcement Rule") in accordance with the Act, Article 22-2, Clause 4.

1.3 Definitions

The meanings of the terms used in this Code are as follows:

1.3.1 "Combustible gases" mean acrylonytrile, acrylaldehyde, acetaldehyde, acetylene, ammonia, hydrogen, hydrogen sulfide, hydrogen cyanide, carbon monoxide, carbon disulfide, methane, methane chloride, methane bromide, ethane, ethane chloride, vinyl chloride, ethylene, ethylene oxide, propane, cyclo-propane, propylene, propylene oxide, butane, butadiene, butylene, methyl ether, mono-methylamine, di-methylamine, tri-methylamine, ethylamine, benzene, ethyl benzene, and