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Question:

If a product does not fulfil all requirements of a standard, is it allowed to mark a PPE with the wording "in reference to std. XXX" or a similar expression combined with the restriction?

Solution:

No. Marking with the standard number shall not be allowed on the product and on the packaging.

This can mislead the user.

The information for use may give a reference to the standard with proper explanation of the restrictions.