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IRISH STANDARD

**HARDMETALS – DETERMINATION OF INSOLUBLE
(FREE) CARBON CONTENT – GRAVIMETRIC METHOD
(ISO 3908:1985)**

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DECLARATION

OF

SPECIFICATION

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HARDMETALS – DETERMINATION OF INSOLUBLE (FREE) CARBON CONTENT –

GRAVIMETRIC METHOD (ISO 3908:1985)

AS

THE IRISH STANDARD SPECIFICATION FOR

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Forfás in exercise of the power conferred by section 20 (3) of the Industrial Research and Standards Act, 1961 (No. 20 of 1961) and the Industrial Development Act, 1987 (No. 30 of 1987), and with the consent of the Minister for Enterprise and Employment, hereby declares as follows:

1. This instrument may be cited as the Standard Specification (Hardmetals – Determination of Insoluble (free) Carbon Content – Gravimetric Method (ISO 3908:1985)) Declaration, 1994.
2. (1) The Specification set forth in the Schedule to this declaration is hereby declared to be the standard specification for Hardmetals – Determination of Insoluble (free) Carbon Content – Gravimetric Method (ISO 3908:1985). The Schedule comprises the text of EN 23908 : 1993.

(2) The said standard specification may be cited as Irish Standard/EN 23908:1994 or as I.S./EN 23908:1994.

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English version

**Hardmetals - Determination of insoluble (free)
carbon content - Gravimetric method
(ISO 3908:1985)**

Métaux-durs - Détermination du carbone
insoluble (libre) - Méthode gravimétrique
(ISO 3908:1985)

Hartmetalle - Bestimmung des unlöslichen
(freien) Kohlenstoff-Gehaltes - Gravimetrisches
Verfahren (ISO 3908:1985)

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Foreword

In 1992 ISO 3908:1985 "Hardmetals - Determination of insoluble (free) carbon content - Gravimetric method" was submitted to the CEN Primary Questionnaire procedure.

Following the positive result of the CEN/CS Proposal ISO 3908:1985 was submitted to the CEN Formal Vote. The result of the Formal Vote was positive.

This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by October 1993, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by October 1993.

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