

**Respiratory protective devices
for self-rescue —
Self-contained closed-circuit
breathing apparatus —
Chemical oxygen (NaClO₃)
escape apparatus —
Requirements, testing,
marking**

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- British Safety Industry Federation
- Chemical Industries Association
- Chief and Assistant Chief Fire Officers' Association
- Electricity Association
- Health and Safety Executive
- Home Office
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- Institution of Mechanical Engineers
- Ministry of Defence
- National Association of Fire Officers
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- Safety Equipment Distributors' Association
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