

Water quality — Detection and enumeration of *Legionella* —

**Part 2: Direct membrane filtration
method for waters with low bacterial
counts**

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National foreword

This British Standard is the UK implementation of EN ISO 11731-2:2008. It is identical with ISO 11731-2:2004. It supersedes BS ISO 11731-2:2004 which is withdrawn.

The UK participation in its preparation was entrusted by Technical Committee EH/3, Water quality, to Subcommittee EH/3/4, Microbiological methods.

A list of organizations represented on this subcommittee can be obtained on request to its secretary.

Additional information

This British Standard is not suitable for cooling tower waters. In addition, laboratories using this method should satisfy themselves that the method works as well in their laboratory for their samples as BS 6068-4.12:1998 (ISO 11731:1998).

This publication does not purport to include all the necessary provisions of a contract. Users are responsible for its correct application.

Compliance with a British Standard cannot confer immunity from legal obligations.

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