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Relation to PED:  Point 1.3 of Annex I,	CABF Recommendation
Question:	Is it acceptable to CE-mark pressure equipment designed in a way that involves a known or obvious risk for misuse?  Example: A safety valve has a disc that is connected to a rod as indicated in the picture. An external force or load applied to the rod (position 6 in the
	picture) will increase the set pressure or block the function of the safety valve.
Answer:	No.  The design of the pressure equipment must be modified to eliminate the hazards which can be reasonably foreseen and identified in the Hazard Analysis.
Reason:	PED in point 1.3 of Annex I requires that an adequate warning against misuse of the equipment must only be regarded as a solution to the problem in cases where it is not possible to modify the equipment.

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