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- a) the dimensions in Tables 2 and 3 have been adapted;
- b) safety requirements and test methods have been modified;
- c) entrapment has been included;
- d) requirements and test methods for endurance have been deleted.

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