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Comments

I do not see why the regulation exists if the bottle meets the standard for DOT specifications and has the proper mounting hardware for the SCBA it should be allowed. Our scotts currently have SCI bottles that came with them when we purchased them. A couple of years ago we purchased to new bottles from scott that are Luxfer brand bottles. So from what im reading is that if it is okay for scott to swap brands and sell you a different type bottle for the pack.It shouldnt matter what type the bottle is as long as they meet the current standards and does not sacrafice safety. The standard as it sits allows these companies to monopolize the sales of the bottle and doesnt give the customer much options to save money in this economic climate.