

**Kurdistan region –Deviations to International Standards
Pre-Import Inspection, Testing & Certification Program
of Goods into the Republic of Iraq (ICIGI)**

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group I - Toys			EN 71-x	Marking / Labeling*

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group II – Electric and electronic products ***			IEC standards for electrical safety Conformity to EN equivalents is also accepted	Marking / Labeling* Voltage 230 V (220 & 240 V also accepted) Climatic class Tropical

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group III - Vehicles, tyres and parts				
Vehicles			UN ECE for vehicles (Certifications +Test reports to other standards will be studied as soon as safety and emission are included)	Manual in Arabic
Safety parts (tires, glazing, safety belts, brake pads...)			Safety parts: applicable standard (ECE) - related ECE certificate and E mark shall be on the parts. Other products certifications may be studied	Manual labeling in Arabic
Other parts with applicable ISO/IEC standard (spark plugs...):			applicable standard ISO/IEC. Relevant TR shall be provided	Manual labeling in Arabic
Other parts (not safety, with no ISO/IEC standard applicable): a. Parts from original manufacturer			ECE certificate of the whole vehicle for which this part is made shall be provided. Declaration from original manufacturer that these parts are dedicated to this vehicle is required	Manual labeling in Arabic
Other parts (not safety, with no ISO/IEC standard applicable): b. Not original parts:			acceptable if from a manufacturer that is ISO/TS 16949 certified or ISO 9001 certified with additional satisfactory assessment regarding ISO/TS is required	Manual labeling in Arabic

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Group IV – Construction products			ISO or EN for safety	Labeling*
Cement			EN 197 series	Labeling*, Shelf-life and SO3 requirements as per IQS 5 and Iraq requirements

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group V – Food products			Codex alimentarius EN & CE	Labeling*

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group VI – Cosmetics, personal hygiene products** and cleaning agents			European Directive 76/768/EC	Labeling*

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Group VII - Household hardware ***		EN & ISO	Labeling*
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Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group VIII – Kitchenware			EN & ISO	Labeling*

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group IX - Chemicals			European Directive 1999/13/EC	Labeling*

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group X – Textile and footwear			ISO & Directive 96/74/EEC	Labeling*

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group XI - Household burning fuels Appliances			EN & ISO	Labeling*

Category	Products	Details	International Standard	National Deviation
Group XII - Others				Labeling*

***National deviation Labeling requirements**(in addition to the applicable standard)

- 1) A - All products which enter to the region should have the requirements (except alcoholic drinks, cosmetics, perfumes, home appliances and electrical and mechanical household appliances and house hold tools):
 First – label marking in Arabic or Kurdish, at least for the following requirements should be mentioned in the specifications when mentioned in the Iraqi specified or approved by the International Standardization which is approved by KSQCA :
 - 1 - Product Name
 - 2 – Component
 - 3 - How to use
 - 4 – Warnings
 Second - labeling Arabic or English when the request is specified in the specifications of Iraq or the international standards adopted by the KSQCA
 - 1 - Name of the manufacturer or the producers
 - 2 - Date of production and the validity period
 - 3 - No the batch
 - 4 - Country of Origin
 - 5 - Net weight and volume
 - 6 - Name and address of the importer

B - Must be accompanied with mechanical and electrical appliances and household products and the other house hold tools machinery operating manual or to use in Arabic or Kurdish language as for to the English language is (optional). And the Marking on the product itself and the outer cover keeper of the product (cartoons) in Arabic or Kurdish or English, at least.

C - It is not necessary to put code or number for the Iraqi the standard unless if it was requested by KSQCA or published on its official website
- 2) It is not essential to mention the number of the Iraqi standard on the exported products to Iraq / Kurdistan Region.

3) Marking of the country of origin is required on products or its individual retail packaging
The CoO marking abbreviation is only acceptable for the below mentioned countries and any
abbreviation of CoO other than the ones listed, a request to COSQC shall be sent for approval:

EU : For any country member of the European Union

UK : United Kingdom of Great Britain

USA : United States of America

****For Toilet paper, Facial tissues paper, Towels, paperNapkin, table paper and wet Hygienic Tissue Paper, the following national deviations could be applied when conformity compliance are according to IQS/TR requirements :**

- Softness test is not required
- 3 plies products shall apply to 2 plies product requirements
- Dimensions:When minor NC is detected regarding dimensions, BV shall accept such NC in condition that all dimensions shall be marked on the retailed packaging of the products.
(RC and HO shall be notified before accepting such NC)

***** Commercial and industrial appliances are not included (As soon they are obviously not for household use)**