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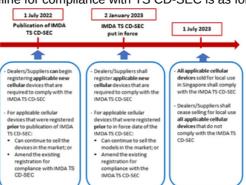
Global Compliance News



Singapore - Security Requirements Cellular Equipment

The Singapore regulator 'IMDA' has recently published the final Technical Specification for Security Requirements to Guard against Network Storms for Cellular Devices (IMDA TS CD-SEC) on 1 July 2022. The TS CD-SEC defines the minimum technical security requirements for the design and management of cellular devices to better safeguard communication networks from security threats in the area of connection efficiency.

The requirements under TS CD-SEC are applicable to cellular equipment that support Section 7 on Connection Efficiency Requirements of the GSMA TS.34 guidelines, and also subject to compliance either with IMDA TS IOT or IMDA TS CMT. Applicable cellular devices are required to comply with the above IMDA technical standards and register the equipment with IMDA. The online equipment registration has commenced since 19 September 2022. The timeline for compliance with TS CD-SEC is as follows:



For equipment registration, it will be a self-declaration process whereby equipment suppliers/manufacturers shall conduct its own technical assessment, and state its "Statement of Compliance" in this Implementation Table and submit it along during the online registration under SER/GER scheme. Should compatibility or other technical problem arises in connection with the use of the registered equipment (such as causing network storm to the network), suppliers/manufacturers shall make the necessary modifications, alternations or substitutions to the registered equipment. For more information on Equipment Registration Framework, please refer to IMDA's website at https://www.imda.gov.sg/equipmentregistrationframework

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UK – UKCA DEADLINE EXTENDED

The UK department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy has just published an update to the deadline for when businesses need to use the UKCA mark, the deadline has been extended. You can continue to use the CE marking and reversed epsilon marking on the GB market until 31 December 2024. Previously the deadline was the 31st December 2022.

Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

SRI LANKA – CLARIFICATION ON EQUIPMENT CERTIFICATION RULES

The Sri Lankan regulator 'TRCSL' has released a regulatory notice to state that they will not process applications for equipment certification until a complete application package (Application + TA Processing fees + Sample Units) has been submitted.

Applications will only be processed once the required supporting evidence is provided in full.



CHILE – UPDATED EQUIPMENT CERTIFICATION REGULATIONS

The Chile regulator SUBTEL just announce new updated regulations for equipment certification. SUBTEL has updated Resolucion 1985, below are some of the key changes to the regulation:

- The maximum radiated power of the equipment operating in the bands 40.66 to 40.70 MHz and 433.05 to 434.79 MHz must not exceed 10 mW.
- Radio frequency identification (RFID) equipment that operates in the following frequency bands with an electric field intensity that does not exceed the values indicated below:

13553 to 13567kHz 20mV/mA 433.5 to 434.5 MHz 30 meter 902 to 928 MHz 80 mV/mA 3 meters

•Access equipment, also referred to as AP, low power, band 5.925 to 6.425 MHz, must be for exclusive use indoors and meet the following transmission power requirements:

Maximum EIRP of 30 dBm.

Maximum spectral density of 5 dBm / MHz.



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
NATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

PHILIPPINES – ADDITIONAL SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR MOBILE PHONES

The communications regulator in the Philippines 'NTC' has published additional requirements for mobile phone equipment manufacturers.

The new requirements are as follows:

1 – Mobile phone manufacturers, distributors and dealers shall provide directions to their mobile phone user on how to block texts from mobile numbers not in their contacts list and how to create a spam folder in their inboxes. These directions shall be disseminated through the manufacturers be site and social media accounts.

2 - Mobile phone manufacturers, distributors and dealers shall put up posters in their physical stores to educate their mobile phone buyers on how to use, enable or activate text blocking, spam folder and other similar features.

3 - Mobile phone manufacturers, distributors and dealers shall include in each new mobile phone package an insert or leaflet containing directions on how to use, enable or activate the text blocking, spam folder and other similar features in their phones.

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