

PRE-INSPECTION, TESTING AND ISSUING CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY PROGRAMME

EXPORTER AND IMPORTER GUIDELINES REPUBLIC OF IRAQ

OVERVIEW

Intertek has been appointed by Central Organization for Standardization and Quality Control (COSQC) as one of the Certification Bodies (CBs) authorised to issue Certificates of Conformity (CoC) for Regulated Product Shipments exported to Iraq under the Pre-Shipment Inspection, Testing and Issuing Certificate of Conformity Programme.

Exporters of all Regulated Products under this programme would need to ensure that the products comply with the applicable Iraqi Technical Regulations and standards or in its absence International standards.

The implementation of this programme would require all Regulated Products imported to Iraq to have a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) for Iraqi Customs clearance. Each consignment of Regulated Products shall be required to have satisfactory conformity supporting documents which shall cover the essential requirements and demonstrate that the product in question complies with the relevant Iraqi Technical Regulations and standards or in its absence International standards.

4 STEPS TO EXPORTING YOUR PRODUCT



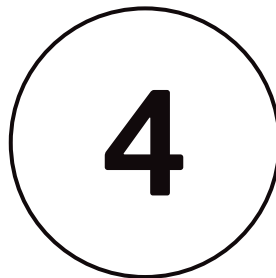
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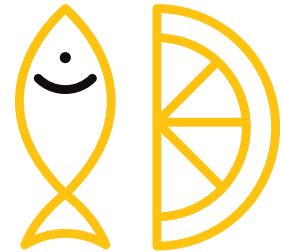
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Products requiring a Conformity Document

Certificate of Conformity (CoC) is required for the clearance of the Regulated Products at the Iraqi Ports/ Borders. These Regulated Products include but not limited to:

- Toys
- Electrical and Electronic Products
- Vehicle Tyres
- Construction and Building Products
- Chemical Products
- Cosmetics and Perfumery Products
- Articles in Contact with Food
- Stationery
- Tobacco Products
- Baby Care Items
- All Food Products (Except Fresh Food)
- Textile Products
- Safety Products
- Plastic and Rubber Products



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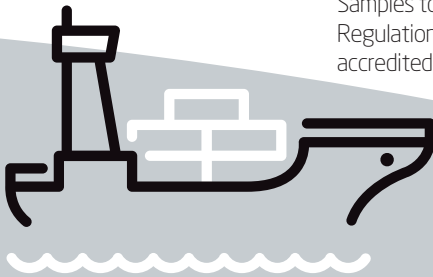
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Route A Unregistered Products (For Occasional Exporters)

All shipments of Regulated Products are required to have a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) in order to clear the shipments at the Ports/Borders of Iraq.

Intertek offers services in the evaluation of products according to the requirements mandated by the Iraq Authorities.

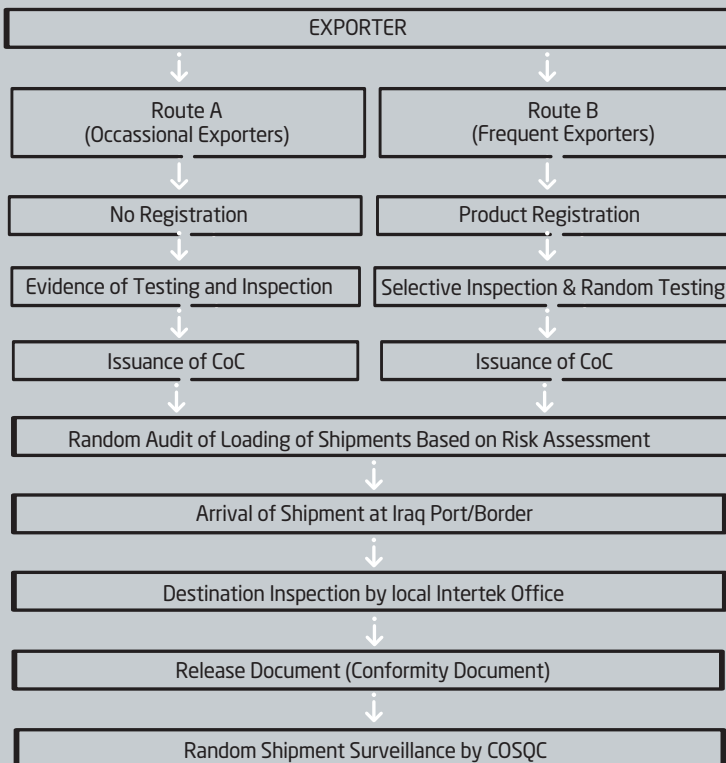
The evaluation process includes the following:

- Physical inspection of goods which includes verification of the product labeling, instruction manuals, packaging, and other necessary markings and physical requirements mandated by the Iraqi Technical Regulations and standards or in its absence International standards.
- Review of existing valid Test Reports or in its absence Testing of representative Samples to the applicable Iraqi Technical Regulations and standards by an accredited laboratory such as Intertek.

Route B Registered Products (For Frequent Exporters)

Registration is issued to an Applicant under Route B and can be used for multiple shipments for a period of one year from its date of issue:

- Manufacturer / Exporter must demonstrate that their products comply with the Iraqi Technical Regulations and standards or in its absence International standards.
- An assessment to be made that products meet the required level of compliance before Statement of Registration (SoR) is granted.
- CoC will be issued on the basis of the valid Statement of Registration (SoR) and successful selective inspection of shipments.



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The party applying for conformity assessment and certification services is responsible for the payment of fees to Intertek.



1. Registration - Fees for Registration is payable by the party submitting the application.

2. Shipment Certification - Fees for Shipment Certification is mandated by COSQC and are tabulated below.

Fees for CoC issuance at the Country of Origin/Export

Shipment FOB Value Range (USD)	Applicable Certification Fees (USD)
Up to 80,000	USD 320
80,001 - 200,000	USD 320 + 0.004 (FOB - USD 80,000)
200,001 - 1,000,000	USD 800 + 0.003 (FOB - USD 200,000)
1,000,001 & above	USD 3,200 + 0.0015 (FOB - USD 1,000,000)

Fees for Destination Inspection at the Iraqi Ports/Borders

Declared FOB Value of the Truck/Container (USD)	Applied Fees for each Truck/Container (USD)
Up to 5,000	USD 50
5,001 - 10,000	USD 75
More than 10,000	USD 100
Fees for Sea Bulk Consignments/Shipments	USD 250/Shipment

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Key:

CoC Certificate of Conformity
RFC Request For Certification
SoR Statement of Registration
PRL Request for Product Certificate, Registration and Licence

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