

September News Brief



This monthly news brief presents a summary of the regulatory updates announced by the Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO). As we are keen to keep you informed with all news and updates regarding the Saudi market.



الهياكل السعودية
Saudi Standards

SASO approves updating 53 standards

The Official Gazette published the Saudi Standards, Metrology, and Quality Organization approval on updating 53 Saudi standards set in Arabic based on the international and American Standards including 4 standards based on the American Society for Testing and Material (ASTM), 35 standards based on the standards of the International Standardization Organization (ISO), 7 standards based on the standards of the Independent Electoral Commission, and 7 standards based on the international standards (ISO/IEC).



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Saudi Standards

SASO updates the Technical Regulation for Front, Rear, and Side Barriers for Trucks and Trailers

The official Gazette published SASO's decision to update the Technical Regulation for Front, Rear, and Side Barriers for Trucks and Trailers including:

- Article 1: updating and adding to Terms and Definition.
- Article 2: adding new categories to the scope.
- Article (4-5-6): updating the requirements.
- Annex 1: updating standards
- Annex (2-4): updating HS Codes and procedures.



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Saudi Standards

SAO adopts a number of technical regulations

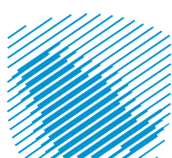
The official Gazette published SASO's decision to adopt a number of technical regulations including the Technical Regulation for Ornaments and Accessories and the Technical Regulation for Pressure Vessels.



هيئة التقييس
G.S.O.

The GSO signs a memorandum of understanding with the Refrigeration and AC Industry Association

The GCC Standardization Organization has signed a Memorandum of Understanding with Refrigeration and AC Industry Association to promote cooperation in the areas of standards, technical regulations, capacity-building programs, mutual recognition, exchange of information and experts, and support for regional and international standardization, for a better life.



هيئة الزكاة والضريبة والجمارك
Zakat, Tax and Customs Authority

The Customs Clearance System continues its efforts to implement the expansion of the "clearance within two hours" initiative

Zakat, Tax and Customs Authority has concluded making all the necessary preparations to expand the implementation of the "clearance within two hours" initiative in collaboration with 26 government agencies, which serve as customs clearance agencies.

Through the expansion of the implementation of the initiative, the Authority aims to increase the flexibility of customs operations and related logistics services by raising the level of coordination between the entities associated with the clearance and continuing the efforts of the clearance system to facilitate cross-border trade in line with the objectives of the Kingdom's Vision 2030 and its aspirations to become a global platform for logistics services.



الهياكل السعودية
Saudi Standards

SASO organizes a workshop in cooperation with Cybersecurity

The Saudi Organization for Standardization, Metrology and Quality, in cooperation with the National Authority for Cybersecurity, organized an awareness workshop in the field of cybersecurity, as part of its efforts to protect its data and align with the objectives of Vision 2030, and raise the awareness of the employees of Saudi standards of the dangers of cyber threats, and how to protect from them.



الهياكل السعودية
Saudi Standards

SASO signs an agreement with the Local Content and Government Procurement Authority

The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization signed a cooperation agreement with the Local Content and Government Procurement Authority with the aim of enhancing the quality of national products, stimulating economic segments to buy local products, raising awareness of local content, and promoting cooperation and participation in awareness campaigns related to the launch and modernization of mandatory list sectors through various communication channels.



هيئة الغذاء والدواء
SFDA

Al-Ahsa Chamber is known clarifies the import and export requirements of the Food and Drug Authority

The Al-Ahsa Chamber, in cooperation with SFDA, organized an expanded introductory workshop "Import and Export Requirements of SFDA" in the presence of a number of owners of companies and institutions working in the sectors of food, medicine, medical devices, cosmetics, importers, and customs clearance offices in Al-Ahsa.

The workshop addressed the requirements of clearance and obtaining permissions to import unregistered medicines, export to local factories, import medical devices and supplies, chemicals, laboratory reagents, and the most important updates made during the year 2021 regarding the requirements of import and export in the Authority.



هيئة الزكاة والضريبة والجمارك
Zakat, Tax and Customs Authority

Zakat, Tax and Customs Authority, and "Mawani" sign an agreement on the Regulation of Joint Activities in Jeddah Port

Zakat, Tax and Customs Authority, and the General Authority of Ports "Mawani" signed the service level agreement, which aims to organize joint activities, prepare and implement a service level for operations and automation mechanism in Jeddah Islamic Port, which contributes to enhancing competitiveness, raising operational efficiency and improving customer experience.

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