

Circular

For approved bodies by the authority with the program (acceptance of conformity assessment bodies)

After reviewing the Authority's Board of Directors' Decision No. (09/180/2021) in its meeting No. (179) held on 15/06/1443, regarding the adoption of a number of technical regulations, including the "Technical Regulation for Restriction of hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment", Published in the Official Gazette on 09/07/2021, which is scheduled to enter into force on 01/05/2022.

And reference to the meeting of The Conformity Steering Committee No. (17-21) held on 05/12/2021 AD, after studying the requests of the private sectors and international organizations to consider postponing the implementation of Technical Regulation for Restriction of hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment to correct their actions in accordance with the provisions of this Technical Regulation.

We would like to inform you that the authority decided to postpone the implementation of the Technical Regulation for Restriction of hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment for a period of six months, after which the implementation will be carried out in stages according to the table below:

Category		Mandatory date for product covered by the regulation scope
1- Electrical Home Appliances	1-A: Small Electrical Home Appliances	05/12/1443 - 04/07/2022
	1-B: Large Electrical Home Appliances	06/03/1444 - 02/10/2022
2- Information and communication technology equipment		07/06/1444 - 31/12/2022
3- Lighting equipment		09/09/1444 - 31/03/2023
4- Electrical and electronic tools and equipment		11/12/1444 - 29/06/2023
5- Games, entertainment devices, and sports equipment		12/03/1445 - 27/09/2023
6- Monitoring and control tools.		13/06/1445 - 26/12/2023

Please accept my best regards

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