

VERIFICATION OF CONFORMITY PROGRAMME (VOC) KINGDOM OF MOROCCO


1. REGULATION

Authority:	Ministry of Industry, Trade, Green and Digital Economy (Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de l'Economie Verte et Numérique - MICEVN).
Notification:	Convention for the provision of services of verification of conformity of industrial products imported into Morocco, signed on 16/12/2019, pursuant to Law No. 24-09 relating to the safety of products and services supplemented by Decree No. 02-212-502 and Order No. 3873-13.
Starting date:	1 st February 2020 Transitory period until 20 th April 2020 - date of arrival in Morocco
Regulatory Framework	http://www.mcinet.gov.ma/fr/content/surveillance-du-march%C3%A9
Scope of Verification:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Documentary review • Control testing (if necessary) • Physical inspection • Facilitation procedures • Conclusion of the assessment

2. PRODUCTS




Products subject to Verification:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Electrical appliances 2. Other electrical products 3. Construction materials (pipes, sheets, sanitary equipment, insulation, wooden panels, cement, windows, glass...) 4. Gas/oil appliances 5. Toys, parks and baskets for children, baby diapers, furniture 6. Textiles, shoes, leather, clothing 7. Chemical products (detergents, paint, bitumen, matches, lighters ...), 8. Plastic products (plastic packaging/bags...), 9. Products in contact with food (kitchenware, crockery...), 10. Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), helmets for motorcycles, 11. Automotive spare parts (tyres, automotive parts) <p>Second hand goods subject to Verification of Conformity Personal belongings exempted according to local procedure.</p> <p>List of products for VOC http://www.mcinet.gov.ma/sites/default/files/liste%20des%20produits%20contr%C3%B4l%C3%A9s%20a%20l'importation%20au%20maroc.pdf</p> <p>List of products VOC in Morocco http://www.mcinet.gov.ma/sites/default/files/Liste%20des%20produits%20contr%C3%B4l%C3%A9s%20au%20MAROC%20V1.pdf</p>
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3. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

Conformity requirements:	<p>Compliance of goods with the applicable standards in force* shall be demonstrated through conformity documents issued by accredited entities, in-house laboratories of certified manufacturers and/or testing.</p> <p>*The applicable standards are the Particular Technical Regulations and other regulations adopted by Order of the MICEVN in accordance with Article 9 of Law No. 24-09 and the Technical Specifications relating to the required safety characteristics of a product.</p> <p>Regulatory details on the site of the Ministry: http://www.mcinet.gov.ma/fr/content/surveillance-du-march%C3%A9</p>
National deviations:	Electrical products: Plug and socket in accordance with NM 06.6.090 (type C / E), rated voltage: 220V, frequency 50 Hz.
Marking:	<p>Markings and instructions in Arabic,</p> <p>Marking CeMim  compulsory on electrical products and toys, pursuant to orders no.- 2573-14 (electrical safety), 2574-14 (Electromagnetic Compatibility), 2575-14 (safety of toys) and 3228-13 (marking).</p>
Other specific requirements	Mandatory Declaration of Conformity and technical file for electrical products and toys pursuant to orders no. 2573-14, 2574-14, 2575-14 et 3228-13.

4. APPLICATION

Applicant:	Exporter for verification in exporting countries
Application name:	Request for Certificate (RFC)
Required documents:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Final invoice (pro forma invoice is acceptable for the application only), • Conformity documents (test reports, product certifications, analysis reports, Certification of the Quality Management System provided by exporters, in accordance with the technical requirements) • Packing list.
Required information:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Customs codes (HS) according to the Moroccan Gazette • FOB value • Import Licence Number, Unique Goods Declaration ("DUM")

<p>Application Route:</p>	<p>ROUTE A</p>  <p>ROUTE B</p>  <p>ROUTE C</p> 
<p>Application Office(s)</p>	<p>Applus+ Fomento Contrôle</p>

5. TESTING

<p>Applicable cases:</p>	<p>Within the framework of the control on the Moroccan territory or the verification in the countries of export when the conformity documents are not available or not satisfactory</p>
<p>Laboratory criteria:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Laboratory approved by the MICEVN in application of Law 24-09 for tests and analyses carried out within the framework of a Conformity Assessment on Moroccan territory, or, • ISO/IEC 17025 accredited laboratory for tests and analyses carried out as part of a Conformity Assessment in the country of export
<p>Testing:</p>	<p>According to the requirements of applicable Technical Regulations</p>

6. PHYSICAL INSPECTION

<p>Scope of inspection:</p>	<p>Within the framework of the control on the Moroccan territory or the verification in the countries of export when the conformity documents are not available or not satisfactory</p>
<p>Destination inspection:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Laboratory approved by the MICEVN in application of Law 24-09 for tests and analyses carried out within the framework of a Conformity Assessment on Moroccan territory, or, • ISO/IEC 17025 accredited laboratory for tests and analyses carried out as part of a Conformity Assessment in the country of export
<p>Witness of loading:</p>	<p>Not required</p>
<p>Sealing of container:</p>	<p>Not required</p>
<p>Sampling:</p>	<p>In case of testing (see section 5 above)</p>

Type de report issued:	PSI Report of Findings (RF)
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7. FACILITATION PROCEDURES

<p>For the verification in countries of export :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration • Licensing <p>Transitory period until 20th April 2020 - date of arrival in Morocco</p>
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8. CONCLUSION OF THE ASSESSMENT

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certificate of Conformity (CoC) • Report of findings (RF)
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9. FEES*

	Inspection of Goods in Morocco	Inspection of Goods in the Exporting Countries
Fees to be carried by	Importer	Exporter
Procedure	Control at the Moroccan territory (local inspection) or Review of CoC (Certificate of Conformity) issued abroad	Verification of Conformity for goods in the exporting country
Fees*	350 Moroccan Dirhams	<p>Percentage of the shipment's FOB value:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Route A: 0.45% (Minimum USD 315 - Maximum USD 2,500) • Route B: 0.40% (Minimum USD 300 USD - Maximum USD 2,500 USD) • Route C: 0.25% (Minimum USD 280 USD - Maximum USD 2,400 USD)

* Fees are exclusive of tax

* Fees do not include:

- Testing: to be quoted on a case-by-case basis.
- Reinspection in case of unsuccessful inspection or if the inspection duration is extended beyond 4 hours.
- Costs incurred by the exporter when presenting the goods for inspection and/or testing.
- Supervision of loading and sealing of containers.
- Audits.
- Industrial technical inspections.
- Other expenses not mentioned above.

10. CONTACT

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