

केन्द्रीय मुहर विभाग -2

संदर्भ -: के मू वी-2/16 : 517

13 09 2022

विषय: IS 517 : 2020 के amendment no. 1 के अनुपालन के दिशा निर्देश

यह उपरोक्त विषय के संदर्भ में है।

सक्षम अधिकारी द्वारा अनुमोदित दिशा निर्देश अनुपालन हेतु संलग्न है।

सभी क्षेत्रीय/शाखा कार्यालयों से अनुरोध है की दिशा निर्देशों का तत्काल प्रभाव से अनुपालन सुनिश्चित करें।

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CENTRAL MARKS DEPARTMENT-2

Our Ref: CMD-2/16 : 517

13 09 2022

Subject : Guidelines for implementation of amendment no. 1 to IS 517 : 2020

This has reference to the subject mentioned above.

The Competent Authority has approved the enclosed Guidelines for implementation.

All ROs/BOs are requested to ensure the implementation of the above Guidelines with immediate effect.

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All ROs/BOs/Labs/PCD/LRMD

CENTRAL MARKS DEPARTMENT-2

Our Ref: CMD-2/16 : 517

13-09-2022

Subject: Guidelines for implementation of Amendment No. 1 to IS 517 : 2020 Specification for Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)

1. Amendment No. 1 to IS 517 : 2020 has been published. The last date for implementation of the amendment is 15 September 2022.
2. All BOs shall inform the Applicants and Licensees under their jurisdiction about implementation of the above amendment.
3. The significant changes in the standard through this amendment as listed in the Table are given for the purpose of general guidance. BOs shall ensure that the product conforms to all the requirements, as applicable, as per the amendment.

Clause	Change
Page 1, clause 1, Scope	Clause 1.2 under Scope has been added stating that this standard does not mention methanol for laboratory grades specifically, as these grades are pure methanol.
Page 2, Table 1, SI No. (x), Col (4)	Requirement of Purity for Methanol, Technical grade has been added. Earlier, purity for Methanol, Technical was not specified.

4. The existing Product Manual has been revised to incorporate the amendment and it is being circulated separately through BIS website, as Product Manual Doc : PM/ 517/ 3 September 2022.
5. The guidelines for implementation of the amendment is given below:

A. LICENSEES:

- (i) All Licensees shall implement the amendment by 15 September 2022. Any difficulty in implementation shall be brought to the notice of CMD 2 at the earliest. BOs shall ensure that no Licences are under operation as per IS 517 : 2020 without the amendment after 15 September 2022. The status of implementation of the amendment shall be confirmed by Head (BO) to CMD-II within two weeks of the last date of implementation of concurrent running.
- (ii) Licensees shall submit evidence of conformity to the modified requirement through In-house/Independent Test Reports or Test Certificates, wherever applicable. Verification of implementation of the amendment, wherever required, may be done during the next visit which may normally be completed within six months of the last date of concurrent running.
- (iii) If the Licensee fails to complete all actions by 15 September 2022 it shall be dealt

with as per the prevailing guidelines.

B. APPLICATIONS FOR GRANT OF LICENCE:

- (i) Existing Applications where Sample has been submitted in the Laboratory/Test Report has been issued by the Laboratory may be processed without consideration of the amendment. However, if the Applicant is desirous of considering the amendment, a declaration may be obtained from the Applicant to that effect and the Application may be processed accordingly. An undertaking shall also be obtained from such Applicants that if the sample fails while considering the provisions of the amendment, Licence will not be granted as per the old version.
- (ii) Applications which are recorded henceforth may be processed with or without consideration of the amendment. Processing of Applications without consideration of the amendment shall be permitted only upto 15 September 2022 and for such cases Applicant shall give a declaration that they will implement the amendment by 15 September 2022.
- (iii) Beyond 15 September 2022 no Licence shall be granted without consideration of the amendment.

C. CHANGE IN SCOPE OF LICENCE:

- (i) For change in scope of licence, the relevant provisions as given above for Applicants shall apply.
- (ii) However, processing of such applications for change in scope of licence without consideration of the amendment shall be permitted only upto the date of implementation of the amendment by the licensee or upto 15 September 2022 whichever is earlier.

6. The above guidelines come into force with immediate effect.

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