

केन्द्रीय मुहर विभाग -2

संदर्भ -: के मू वी-2/16 : 3450

29 12 2022

विषय : संशोधित IS 3450 : 2022 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 : 3450

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Subject : Guidelines for implementation of IS 3450 : 2022 Carbon Papers – Handwriting - Specification

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/CHD/LRMD

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1. IS 3450 : 1994 has been revised and published as IS 3450 : 2022. The last date for implementation of the revised Standard is **04 Februry 2023** after which the old Standard shall stand withdrawn.
2. All BOs shall inform the Applicants and Licensees under their jurisdiction about implementation of the revised Standard within a week of issuance of these guidelines.
3. The significant changes in the revised Standard as listed below are given for the purpose of general guidance. BOs shall ensure that the product conforms to all the requirements, as applicable, as per the revised Standard.

Clause	Change
2	References to the referred test method Standards have been updated
Clause 5.6, Table 1	Requirement of coating and durability (minimum number of impressions at the same spot) for Grade A, has been modified.
Annex B	Test method for determination of substance of base paper and mass of coating, has been updated

4. Consequent upon the issuance of the revised Standard, the existing product manual has been revised which is being circulated separately as **PM/ 3450 / 2 December 2022**.
5. The guidelines for implementation of the revised Standard are given below :

A. LICENSEES :

- (i) All Licensees shall implement the revised Standard by **04 Februry 2023**. Any difficulty in implementation shall be brought to the notice of CMD 2. BOs shall ensure that no Licences are under operation as per old Standard after 04 Februry 2023. The status of implementation of the revised Standard shall be confirmed by Head (BO) to CMD-II within two weeks of the last date of concurrent running.

- (ii) Licensees shall submit evidence of conformity to the modified requirements through In-house/Independent Test Report. Verification of implementation of the revision, shall be done through a surveillance visit within 30 days of confirmation of implementation of the revised standard by licensee.
- (iii) If the Licensee fails to complete all actions by 04 February 2023 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 as per the old Standard. However, if the Applicant is desirous of considering the application as per the revised Standard, 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 in new test requirements, Licence will not be granted by BIS as per the old version.
- (ii) Applications which are recorded henceforth may be processed as per the old Standard or the revised Standard. Processing of Applications as per the old Standard shall be permitted only upto 04 February 2023 and for such cases Applicant shall give a declaration that they will implement the revised Standard by 04 February 2023.
- (iii) Beyond 04 February 2023 no Licence shall be granted as per the old Standard.

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 as per the old Standard shall be permitted only upto the date of implementation of the revised Standard or upto 04 February 2023 whichever is earlier.

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

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