

【Saudi Arabia】 Introduction of SASO Registration Procedure and New requirements for RoHS

- Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organisation (SASO) announced that the **RoHS** (Restriction of Hazardous Substances) technical regulations, originally scheduled to be implemented on 1/5/2022, will be implemented based on product items as following

time table:

Products	Implement Date	Applicable MW product category
- Small home appliances - Large home appliances	2022/7/4 2022/10/2	NPP,NPB Series PB-300,360,600
Information and communication technology equipment	2022/12/31	GST Series OWA E/U Series.....
Lighting equipment	2023/3/31	All LED Driver
Electrical and electronic tools and equipment	2023/6/29	-
Games, entertainment devices, and sports equipment	2023/9/27	-
Monitoring and control tools	2023/12/26	-

Exempted Products
Medical devices
Weapons and Military Equipment
Equipment designed to be sent into space
Large-scale stationary industrial tools (LSSIT)
Large Scale Fixed Installations (LSFI)
Means of Transporting for people or goods
Batteries and accumulators

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Maximum Permissible Concentration Values by Weight in Homogeneous Materials for Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment and Devices :

Types of Hazardous Substances	Maximum Allowable Limits(wt%)
Lead(Pb)	0.1
Mercury(Hg)	0.1
Cadmium(Cd)	0.01
Hexavalent chromium (CrVI)	0.1
Polybrominated biphenyls(PBB)	0.1
Polybrominated biphenyls ethers(PBDE)	0.1

The product must have technical files as follows :

1. Provide one kind of report from (A) or (B) :
(A) **EU RoHS Report**, issued by ISO/IEC 17025 certified laboratories. Please refer to the cost for application °
(B) **Test report and risk assessment for 3 critical components** , and please contact the GROUP CE for more details.
2. **ISO 9001** or equivalent management system certificate.
3. **Declaration of Conformity** of Supplier (Manufacturer/Importer) in accordance with Annex 4 (page.27) ([Link](#))
4. **Instruction manual** including: warnings, cautions and installations for the use of products.