



APPLICATION FOR PRE-IMPORT QUALITY CERTIFICATE

(Compulsory Standards Act No. 3 of 2017)

Please complete all the applicable sections in BLOCK CAPITALS or in TYPE. The information you provide on this document is collected by the Zambia Compulsory Standards Agency under the authority of the Compulsory Standards Act for the purpose of issuing a permit.

Type of application New ☐ Renewal ☐ Existing Reg. No. (If applicable) TPIN

Exporter/Manufacturer Information

What is the Manufacturer Name (state one manufacturer only):

What is the country of origin (state one country only):

Physical Address: City/Town:

Postal Address: E-mail:

State the Manufacturer Locations:

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Importer Information

Legal Status Private ☐ Limited ☐ Corporation ☐ Partnership ☐ Individual ☐ Cooperative ☐ Family ☐ Other ☐

Legal Name of Company:

Contact person: Title:

Physical Address: City/Town:

Postal Address: Email:

Telephone: Mobile: Fax:

Product Information

Which product are you applying a Pre-Import Quality Certificate for: (STATE THE NAME OF ONE PRODUCT ONLY) _____
Applicable Standard: _____

What are the BRAND names for the Product: (ATTACH SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY)

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Have any previous imported consignments been cleared by ZCSA? Yes ☐ No ☐

What quantity do you plan to import in the next 6 months: (STATE NUMBER AND TYPE OF PACKAGING) _____

What is the estimated invoice value (FOB): _____

Which ports of entry do you intend to use: _____

Declaration

I have read and understood the ZCSA terms and conditions for Pre-Import Quality Certificate and agree to comply with the requirements. I have enclosed an application fee for the brands of product applied for.

I declare that I am authorized, on behalf of the company, to submit this application, and that the information contained herein is both correct and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I hereby apply for a Pre-Import Quality Certificate to Supply the product brand(s) specified above.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Application Number: _____

Product Conformity Summary:

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Fee Calculation	Unit Cost	No.	Total Cost
Application Fee			
Random Inspection & Sampling			
Random Verification Testing			
Certification	0.50%		
Sub-Total			
VAT	0%		
Total Fees Payable			

Prepared by

Signature: _____ Designation: _____ Date: _____

Verified by Finance Department

Signature: _____ Designation: _____ Date: _____

HoD Approval

The application for a Pre-Import Quality Certificate has been **approved** ☐ / **rejected** ☐

Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The validity of the certificate expires six (6) months from the date of full payment or upon full importation of the declared quantity before the stated duration.
2. Validity of the certificate covers products from the supplier and country of origin stated above. This certificate cannot be used to cover other suppliers of the same product.
3. This form shall only be used for products from the same supplier and country of origin. Use a separate copy for a different country of origin.
4. Application for renewal of the certificate must be done at least 30 days before the expiry date or exhaustion of quantities, whichever comes earlier.
5. The Agency shall conduct random inspections to ensure conformity to stipulated standards.
6. FALSE or MISLEADING INFORMATION will result in the rejection of the application.
7. The Agency shall withdraw the certificate issued to an importer on the following grounds:
 - a) If upon random sampling of a product covered by the certificate and imported by the holder is found to be non-conforming to the standards declared under the Act;
 - b) If the importer contravenes any provisions of the Act.

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