CENTRAL MARKS DEPARTMENT III

Our Ref: CMD III/16: IS 16333 (Part 3) 13-06-2017

Subject: Guidelines for Implementation of IS 16333 (Part 3): 2016 - 'Mobile Phone Handsets-Part 3 - Indian Language Support for Mobile Phone Handsets - Specific Requirements'

- 1. Indian Language Support for Mobile Phones as per IS 16333 (Part 3): 2016 has been mandated by MeitY with effect from 1 July 2017 vide Order dated 24 Oct 2016 bringing it under the provisions of "Electronics and Information Technology Goods (Requirements of Compulsory Registration) Order, 2012'.
- 2. The guidelines for implementation of IS 16333 (Part 3): 2016 have been developed and are as follows:

Registered Manufacturers:

- 3. All existing Registered Manufacturers of Mobile Phones as per IS 13252 (Part 1): 2010 shall ensure that all Models marked with Standard Mark/Self Declaration Compliance Statement conform to all the requirements of IS 16333 (Part 3): 2016 as well. Necessary approval shall be obtained from BIS on or before 30 June 2017. No Registered Manufacturer shall be under operation from 1 July 2017 without ensuring additional conformity of the Registered Models to the requirements of IS 16333 (Part 3): 2016.
- 4. For verification of additional compliance w.r.t IS 16333 (Part 3):2016, selection of Representative Model shall be from the existing Models covered in the scope of Registration. As such, Test Reports of any new Inclusion Model showing compliance to IS 16333 (Part 3):2016 shall not be accepted for the purpose of verification of additional compliance of the Models already covered in the scope of Registration.
- 5. All existing Registered Manufacturers of Mobile Phones as per IS 13252 (Part 1): 2010 shall give an *Undertaking* in the enclosed format (*Annex A*) indicating those Registered Models which can be grouped into series based on the same software solution/utility which supports Indian Official Languages as per IS 16333 (Part 3). From the groups of Models so formed, additional compliance to IS 16333 (Part 3) shall be ensured by testing one Model from each group to cover the entire Models in that group. All such cases for ensuring compliance to IS 16333 (Part 3) shall be processed based on Test Reports indicating conformity to IS 16333 (Part 3) from any BIS approved Laboratory.
- 6. In case any Manufacturer fails to ensure compliance to requirements of IS 16333 (Part 3) on or before 30 June 2017, all such Registrations shall be processed for cancellation. If compliance to requirements of IS 16333 (Part 3) is established for select Models only, the remaining Models shall be deleted from Scope of Registration w.e.f 1 July 2017.

Registered Manufacturers (Inclusion of new Models):

7. For Inclusion of any new Model(s), Registered Manufacturer shall confirm whether the new Model(s) fall in the groups as declared earlier where compliance to IS 16333 (Part 3) has already been established by testing a Model from the group. For this, the Registered Manufacturer shall give an *Undertaking* in the enclosed format (*Annex A*) stating that no

- design changes with respect to IS 16333(Part 3) compliance have been made in the new Model(s) and software solution/utility similar to the Registered Model(s) has been used which supports Indian Official Languages.
- 8. Inclusion of new Model(s) as per IS 13252 (Part 1) alone shall be processed only upto 30 June 2017. For such cases, if the Manufacturer fails to ensure compliance to requirements of IS 16333 (Part 3) through Test Report/Undertaking (Annex B) and approval is not obtained from BIS on or before 30 June 2017, all such Model(s) shall be deleted from the Scope of Registration w.e.f 1 July 2017.
- 9. After 30 June 2017, Inclusion of new Model(s) as per IS 13252 (Part 1) shall be processed only if additional compliance to IS 16333 (Part 3) has already been ensured.

Applications:

- 10. All Applications for Registration of Mobile Phones as per IS 13252 (Part 1) alone shall be processed only upto 30 June 2017. For such cases, if the Manufacturer fails to ensure compliance to requirements of IS 16333 (Part 3) through Test Report and Undertaking (Annex A) and approval is not obtained from BIS on or before 30 June 2017, all such Registrations shall be processed for cancellation. If compliance to requirements of IS 16333 (Part 3) is established for select Models only, the remaining Models shall be deleted from Scope of Registration w.e.f 1 July 2017.
- 11. After 30 June 2017, Applications for Registration of Mobile Phones shall ensure compliance to IS 13252 (Part 1) as well as IS 16333 (Part 3).
- 12. For verification of compliance of Mobile Phone Models as per IS 13252 (Part 1), existing guidelines of MeitY for Series Approval/Quantitative Selection of Samples shall be followed. For verification of compliance of Mobile Phone Models as per IS 16333 (Part 3), Applicant shall give an *Undertaking* in the enclosed format (*Annex B*) indicating the Models which can be grouped into series based on the same software solution/utility which supports Indian Official Languages as per IS 16333 (Part 3). From the groups of Models so formed, compliance to IS 16333 (Part 3) shall be ensured by testing one Model from each group to cover the entire Models in that group.

Testing of Models for compliance to IS 13252 (Part 1:2010) and IS 16333 (Part 3): 2016

- 13. For verification of compliance of Mobile Phone Models as per IS 13252 (Part 1): 2010, existing guidelines of MeitY for Series Approval/Quantitative Selection of Samples shall be followed.
- 14. For verification of compliance of Mobile Phone Models as per IS 16333 (Part 3): 2016, Manufacturers shall submit a 'Self-declaration' to BIS recognized lab stating the Model Numbers which use the same software solution/utility so that they can be grouped together in a series. The Lab shall then select Representative Model out of the series so proposed by the Manufacturer for checking/verifying compliance to IS 16333 (Part 3) by inputting of text in English, Hindi and at least one additional Indian Official Language along with capability of message readability for all 22 Indian Official Languages. Since the Manufacturers may sell the Mobile Phones in different States with different Languages for inputting, Lab shall test the same Model for inputting all the Indian Official Languages. However, as Feature Phones may

have memory constraint, sufficient number of samples of the same Model of Feature Phone shall be submitted for testing at BIS recognized labs to cover all the Indian Official Languages/scripts. Test Report would be generated by Lab based on the compliance.

Standard Mark

- 15. The '*Standard Mark*' for Mobile Phones has already been notified by BIS which directs that the Standard Number IS 13252 (Part 1)/IEC 60950-1 shall be displayed above the Standard Mark and Registration Number below the Standard Mark.
- 16. As the Indian Language Support for Mobile Phones as per IS 16333 (Part 3) has been mandated w.e.f 1 July 2017, Registered Manufacturers after obtaining necessary approvals from BIS shall display the Standard Numbers IS 13252 (Part 1)/IEC 60950-1 as well as IS 16333 (Part 3) above the Standard Mark. However, there shall be only a single Registration Number which shall be displayed below the Standard Mark.
- 17. The new Standard Mark for Mobile Phones with Indian Language Support is given below:

IS 13252(Part 1)/IEC 60950-1 IS 16333(Part 3)



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Annex A

UNDERTAKING FOR REGISTERED MANUFACTURER OF MOBILE PHONE

(on company letterhead)

- 1. Name and address of manufacturer
- 2. CRS No., BIS Registration No. and Brand Name
- 3. Model Nos. in scope of Registration:
- 4. a) We are aware that Indian language support for mobile phones as per IS 16333 (Part 3) has been mandated w.e.f. 01.07.2017.
 - b) Model nos. from existing scope of Registration (Sl. No. 3 above) which support Indian language as per IS 16333 (Part 3) using same software solutions/utility for grouping into series:

Sl.	Representative Model	Series models using same	Test Report No.	Test Report Date
No.		software solution/ utility		
1.				
2.				

5. New Models for considering inclusion (to be filled only in case of inclusion):

S1.	Representative Model	Series models using same	Test Report No.	Test Report Date
No.		software solution/ utility		
1.				
2.				

6.	BIS Standard Mark as notified vide	will be	affixed	on the	above	models	only	after	receivi	ing
int	imation from BIS.									

7.	Models nos. from existing scope of Registration/Inclusion which do not support Indian language as per
IS	16333(Part 3) are as follows:

8. We are aware that the above models shall stand deleted from the scope of registration with effect from 01 July 2017.

DECLARATION

We hereby undertake the following:

- a) Only Models conforming to IS 16333 (Part 3) and IS 13252 (Part 1) will be marked with Standard Mark after receiving intimation from BIS regarding approval on additional compliance w.r.t. IS 16333 (Part 3)
- b) From 1 July 2017, models as per IS 13252 (Part 1) not conforming to IS 16333 (Part 3) will not be marked with Standard Mark and agree for their deletion from Scope of Registration.

Signature of CEO/Authorized Representative Name & Designation: Seal

Counter Signature of Authorized Indian Representative (for foreign manufacturer) Name & Designation: Date:

Annex B

UNDERTAKING FOR APPLICANTS OF MOBILE PHONES

(on company letterhead)

- 1. Name and address of manufacturer
- 2. CRS No., and Brand Name:

S1.

- 3. Model Nos. of product applied for registration:
- 4. a) We are aware that Indian language support for mobile phones as per IS 16333 (Part 3) has been mandated w.e.f. 01.07.2017.
 - b) Model nos. of the product applied (Sl. No. 3 above) which support Indian language as per IS 16333 (Part 3) using same software solutions/utility for grouping into series:

Representative Model | Series models using same | Test Report No. | Test Report Date

	No.	•	software solution/ utility	1	•
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5. BIS Standard Mark as notified vide will be affixed on the above models only after grant of Registration by BIS.					
	Mode e as fol		lied for which do not suppor	rt Indian language a	s per IS 16333 (Part 3)

7. We are aware that the above models shall stand deleted from the scope of registration with effect from 01 July 2017.

DECLARATION

We hereby undertake the following:

- a) Only Models conforming to IS 16333 (Part 3) and IS 13252 (Part 1) will be marked with Standard Mark after receiving intimation from BIS regarding approval on additional compliance w.r.t. IS 16333 (Part 3).
- b) From 1 July 2017, models as per IS 13252 (Part 1) not conforming to IS 16333 (Part 3) will not be marked with Standard Mark and agree for their deletion from Scope of Registration.

Signature of CEO/Authorized Representative Name & Designation: Seal

Counter Signature of Authorized Indian Representative (for foreign manufacturer)
Name & Designation:
Date: