

**Subject: Postponement of implementation of IEC 60335-2-24:2020 latest version**

**To all GSO Notified Bodies,**

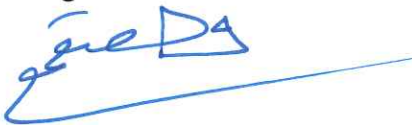
GSO would like to inform Notified bodies that GSO technical Committee TC03 on 20 Jun 2022 has taken the decision to postpone the implementation of the latest version of IEC 60335-2-24 (Ed8-2020).

The Technical Committee is still studying the new release of the standard (IEC 60335-2-24) and the project is scheduled under the 2023 work program, therefor the release of the 2020, Ed 8 version is not approved by GSO, you may check GSO webstore ([www.gso.org.sa/store](http://www.gso.org.sa/store)) and search for the standard, only the old version is listed: [GSO IEC 60335-2-24:2014/Amd 1:2012 - Standards Store - GCC Standardization Organization](http://www.gso.org.sa/store)

GSO ask all the Notified Bodies to postpone the implementation of IEC 60335-2-24:2020 until the new edition publish on GSO standards store and to reactivate any certificate that has been suspended or terminated due to the expiry of the Ed 7 standard, as the aforementioned will mean it is not necessary to update the current certificates from the Ed 7 standard to the latest version, Ed 8 until further notice.

Hence, in addition ask all the Notified Bodies to accept the test reports according the valid as GSO version which is (i.e. IEC 60335-2-24:2010+AMD1:2012+AMD2:2017), all certificates or test reports already issued according to IEC 60335-2-24 (Ed.8-2020) are still acceptable on a voluntary basis and will not require any revision to go back to the Edition 7.2.

Best Regards



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