

CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY TRADING WITH GABON

Intertek's Total Quality Expertise supporting Exporters and Importers to comply with the Conformity Assessment Programme in Gabon Exporters/Importers trading with Gabon need to comply with the requirements of the Gabon government's office, Agence Gabonese de Normalisation (AGANOR) **Conformity Assessment Programme called Programme** Gabonais d'Evaluation de la Conformite (PROGEC) in order for their goods to clear customs. Failure to do so can result in severe delays in goods clearance, penalties, or even shipments being returned. **PROGEC** will be enforced from 1st August 2015.

The programme in Gabon has been implemented to assure Gabon's consumers of the quality and safety of imported goods.

AGANOR requires that all imports of regulated products comply with mandatory safety and related standards. Every consignment of imported regulated goods must comply with the PROGEC.

The requirements for Gabon are:

- Every consignment of imported goods must be accompanied by a Conformity Certificate. Intertek is authorised to issue these certificates.
- Certificates are needed to ensure customs clearance of shipments.
- The Certificate confirms that the products comply with the relevant Gaboni technical regulations, national, regional or international standards.
- The authorities in Gabon may take random samples from imported consignments to verify compliance.

Further details of the new requirements are available at www.intertek.com/government

The Intertek Solution helping you export to Gabon

Intertek has experience in providing solutions to businesses exporting a wide range of products to Gabon. We have undertaken more assessments of more products for longer than any other organisation.

Intertek has a global network of offices that have operated Conformity Assessment Programmes for over eighteen years, issuing over 1.5 million certificates and test reports.

- Our staff are experts on international standards and requirements, as well as understanding the needs of exporters and importers.
- Intertek has one of the world's largest networks of laboratories, authorised to test to Gabon's requirements including electrical, chemical, cosmetic, toy, automotive goods and many others.
- The Intertek Certificate of Conformity (CoC) is recognised and trusted by the authorities and Customs in Gabon.
- Intertek can provide a tailor-made service that meets your particular requirements, including:
 - Submission of assessment requests online
 - Automated e-mails for status of certificates

- Flexibility of three alternative routes to compliance (licensing, registration, and shipment-by-shipment evaluation)
- Flexible certificate delivery solutions for high volume users



Exporter routes to certification for Gabon



