

[LEGAL NOTICE NO. 25]

TRADE STANDARDS AND QUALITY CONTROL ACT 1992

Trade Standards (Steel Reinforcing Materials) (Amendment) Order 2025

IN exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 26 of the Trade Standards and Quality Control Act 1992 and on the recommendation of the Trade Standards Advisory Council and in the public interest, I hereby make this Order—

Short title and commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Trade Standards (Steel Reinforcing Materials) (Amendment) Order 2025.

(2) This Order comes into force on the date of publication in the Gazette.

(3) In this Order, the Trade Standards (Steel Reinforcing Materials) Order 2020 is referred to as the “Principal Order”.

Order 2 amended

2. Order 2 of the Principal Order is amended by—

(a) before the definition of “accredited laboratory”, inserting the following new definition—

““accredited certification body” means an independent organisation that certifies or gives written assurance that a product, service or system meets specific standards or requirements;”;

(b) in the definition of “compliance evidence”, after “laboratory” inserting “or an accredited certification body”.

Order 3A amended

3. Order 3A of the Principal Order is amended by deleting paragraph (b).

Order 4 amended

4. Order 4(3) of the Principal Order is amended by—

(a) after “laboratory”, inserting “or an accredited certification body”; and

(b) deleting “and the validity period for compliance evidence is 12 months”.

Order 6 amended

5. Order 6 of the Principal Order is amended by—

(a) in paragraph (3)—

- (i) after “laboratory”, inserting “or an accredited certification body”;
and
- (ii) deleting “and the Regulator must seek assistance from the Department of National Trade Measurement and Standards to verify evidence provided by the person”; and

(b) in paragraph (4) after “laboratory”, inserting “or an accredited certification body”.

Made this 13th day of May 2025.

M. S. N. KAMIKAMICA
Deputy Prime Minister and
Minister for Trade, Co-operatives and
Small and Medium Enterprises