1. **The General Administration of Market Supervision Issues a Notice on the Adjustment of Compulsory Requirements of Motorcycles**

In order to strengthen the quality and safety supervision of motorcycles, the Certification and Accreditation Administration decided to incorporate the mandatory national standard GB34660 “Electromagnetic Compatibility Requirements and Test Methods for Road Vehicles” into the mandatory certification standards for motorcycle products. The relevant requirements are as follows:

I. According to “Implementation Rules for Compulsory Certification-Motorcycles” (CNCA-C11-02) and “Catalogue of Descriptions and Table of Definitions for Compulsory Certification” (2014 Revision) (Announcement No.45 [2014]) issued by the Certification and Accreditation Administration of the People’s Republic of China (CNCA), GB34660 “Electromagnetic Compatibility Requirements and Test Methods for Road Vehicles” is added to the mandatory certification standards for motorcycles.

II. From January 1, 2020, motorcycles (new stereotypes) commissioned by the new certificate shall be certified according to the standard before they can be put on the market, sold, imported or used in any other business activities.

China Compulsory Certification (CCC) requires that all products in the CCC catalogue must be CCC certified before they can be sold or imported. There are 21 categories of products covered in the latest CCC catalogue of 2019. STC is a designated testing laboratory authorized by the Certification and Accreditation Administration of the People’s Republic of China (CNCA) to undertakes CCC testing for toys, AV products, lighting, and IT equipment. For more information, please email hkstc@stc.group


2. **The General Administration of Customs, P.R. China Announces the Product Scope Subject to Random Inspections on some Imported and Exported Commodities other than Statutory Inspection Commodities in 2019**

**Affected Product Scope:**

- **Imported goods:** Stationery, sun umbrellas, baby & child textile products (gloves, socks, cloth shoes, scarves, bibs, urine pads, bedding items, etc.), children’s wear, sunglasses, health pillows, health pads.

- **Exported goods:** Holiday string, electric razor, electric faucet, hairdryer, appliance switch, electric baking pan (electric oven, air fryer, etc.), LED lighting source, simulation jewelry, children scooter, electric baby carriage, plush toys, children bicycle.

Source: http://www.c-ncap.org/crs/content/1b94f427d6be74dd186706a84a4a177c9

The new standard will be officially implemented on February 28, 2020. There will be 7107 residue limits in 483 kinds of pesticides in 356 kinds of foods. Compared with the 2016 version, there are additional 50 new pesticide varieties and 2,967 residue limits. The pesticide varieties and limited quantities have covered exceeded the standards of the Codex Alimentarius Commission for the first time which means China’s pesticide residue limit has reached a new level.


4. China's First Local Cosmetics Regulation will be Implemented on July 1, 2019

China’s "Regulations on Cosmetic Hygiene Supervision" has not been revised in the past 30 years, and there is a lack of supervision on the relevant developed cosmetics market in Guangdong. In order to protect consumer rights, Guangdong Province has formulated the "Guangdong Cosmetics Safety Regulations", which will be implemented on July 1, 2019.

STC Laboratory has passed the national CMA qualification certificate and the import and export commodity inspection and certification qualification certificate and has outstanding cosmetic testing and certification services. For more information, please email dgcfd@stc.group.

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5. China Issued the "Opinions on Accelerating the Development of Circulation and Promoting Commercial Consumption" and Proposed 20 Measurements to Promote Domestic Demand and Stabilize Economic Policies.

Affected by the multiple factors of China's domestic and foreign economies, the current circulation consumption sector still faces some bottlenecks and shortcomings. In particular, the innovation transformation of traditional circulation enterprises has to be strengthened, the effective supply of goods and living services are insufficient, the consumption environment has to be further optimized, and the urban and rural consumption growth potential still have to improve. In order to promote the development of circulation innovation, optimize the consumption environment, promote commercial prosperity, and stimulate domestic consumption growth potential, the “opinions” mentioned:

- a) Cultivate four new consumption models to encourage recycling
- b) Optimize community convenience facilities
- c) Release rural consumption power
- d) Meeting the consumption needs of high-quality foreign goods
- e) Gradually relax or cancel car purchase restrictions
- f) Reduce the cost of circulation enterprises
- g) Expanding market access for refined oil products
- h) Increase financial support for new consumption areas