ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES / IN FORCE

Quality Control Order for commercial dispensing appliances and vending machines

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STANDARDS 1

IS 302 (Part 2/Sec 75): 2018

Safety of household and similar electrical appliances particular requirements – commercial dispensing appliances and vending machine

KEY FACTS

ORDER

Electrical Appliances for Commercial Dispensing and Vending (Quality Control) Order, 2025

CAME INTO FORCE

October 1, 2025, under the 2025 order (S.O. 2283(E)); the 2024 order it superseded came into force on publication with a date of implementation in general of April 1, 2025, and the 2023 order before that was to come into force on the expiry of six month from publication (published March 7, 2024)

WHERE IT STANDS

In force

REFERENCES

S.O. 776(E)	In force
S.O. 775(E)	In force
S.O. 2283(E)	In force
S.O. 4568(E)	In force
S.O. 1127(E)	In force

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The appliances must conform to that standard and bear the Standard Mark under a licence from the Bureau of Indian Standards as per Scheme-1 of Schedule-II of the Bureau of Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018. Goods manufactured domestically for export are excluded. The Bureau is the certifying and enforcing authority, and contraventions are punishable under the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016.

The 2023 order was to come into force six months after publication, nine months for small and twelve months for micro enterprises. S.O. 4568(E), dated October 17, 2024, superseded it with a 2024 order setting April 1, 2025 in general, July 1, 2025 for small and October 1, 2025 for micro enterprises, and excluding fifty research and development imports a year by manufacturers.

S.O. 2283(E), dated May 20, 2025, superseded the 2024 order with the Electrical Appliances for Commercial Dispensing and Vending (Quality Control) Order, 2025, in force on October 1, 2025, with January 1, 2026 for small and April 1, 2026 for micro enterprises. On February 12, 2026, S.O. 775(E) and S.O. 776(E) exempted consignments shipped under a Bill of Lading before October 1, 2025 with a Bill of Entry on or before 180 days after it, and goods ordered before that date whose Bill of Lading and Bill of Entry are dated on or before 180 days from it, subject to documents being given to the Bureau within seven days of clearance.

Order	Electrical Appliances for Commercial Dispensing and Vending (Quality Control) Order, 2025
Issued by	Ministry of Commerce and Industry (Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade)
Product group	Electrical Appliances
Where it stands	In force
What it requires	Electrical appliances for commercial dispensing and vending must conform to IS 302 (Part 2/Sec 75): 2018 and bear the Standard Mark

	under a licence from the Bureau of Indian Standards as per Scheme-1 of Schedule-II of the Bureau of Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018.
Certification scheme	Scheme-1 of Schedule-II of the Bureau of Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018
Came into force	October 1, 2025, under the 2025 order (S.O. 2283(E)); the 2024 order it superseded came into force on publication with a date of implementation in general of April 1, 2025, and the 2023 order before that was to come into force on the expiry of six month from publication (published March 7, 2024)
Small enterprises	Under the 2025 order: January 1, 2026 for small enterprises and April 1, 2026 for micro enterprises. The 2024 order had set July 1, 2025 for small enterprises and October 1, 2025 for micro enterprises, and the 2023 order nine months from publication for small enterprises and twelve months for micro enterprises.
Exemptions	• Goods or articles manufactured domestically for export • Fifty numbers of goods or articles imported per year for research and development by manufacturers of electric appliances for commercial dispensing and vending, on condition that they are not sold commercially, can be disposed of as scrap, and a year-wise record of them is kept and furnished if so desired by Government authorities • Imports of consignments shipped under a Bill of Lading before the date of implementation (October 1, 2025), with the Bill of Entry on or before one hundred and eighty days after that date, on condition that the importer gives the Bureau a copy of the Bill of Lading, the Bill of Entry and supporting documents within seven days of clearance (S.O. 775(E)) • Goods for which the purchase order was placed before the date of implementation (October 1, 2025), with the Bill of Lading and Bill of Entry dated on or before one hundred and eighty days from that date, on condition that the importer gives the Bureau a copy of the Purchase Order, Bill of Lading, Bill of Entry and supporting documents within seven days of clearance (S.O. 776(E))
Enforcement	The Bureau of Indian Standards is the certifying and enforcing authority. Any person who contravenes the order is punishable under the provisions of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016.

The products and their standards

Product	Indian Standard	Title of the standard
Electrical appliances for commercial dispensing and vending	IS 302 (Part 2/Sec 75): 2018	Safety of household and similar electrical appliances particular requirements – commercial dispensing appliances and vending machine

Every notification on this order

Date	Notification	Status	What it did
February 13, 2026	S.O. 776(E) PDF, 724 KB · Gazette	In force	By a notification dated February 12, 2026, exempted goods under 26 listed Quality Control Orders, including the Electrical Appliances for Commercial Dispensing and Vending (Quality Control) Order, 2025 (date of implementation October 1, 2025), where the purchase order was placed before the date of implementation and the Bill of Lading and Bill of Entry are dated on or before one hundred and eighty days from it, subject to the importer giving the Bureau copies of the purchase order, Bill of Lading and Bill of Entry within seven days of clearance.
February 13, 2026	S.O. 775(E) PDF, 724 KB · Gazette	In force	By a notification dated February 12, 2026, exempted imports of goods under the same 26 Quality Control Orders, including the Electrical Appliances for Commercial Dispensing and Vending (Quality Control) Order, 2025 (date of implementation October 1, 2025), where the consignment was shipped under a Bill of Lading before the date of implementation and the Bill of Entry is on or before one hundred and eighty days after it, subject to the importer giving the Bureau copies of those documents within seven days of clearance.
May 21, 2025	S.O. 2283(E) PDF, 610 KB · Gazette	In force	Issued the Electrical Appliances for Commercial Dispensing and Vending (Quality Control) Order, 2025, dated May 20, 2025, in supersession of the 2024 order, coming into force on October 1, 2025, with January 1, 2026 for small enterprises and April 1, 2026 for micro enterprises.
October 18, 2024	S.O. 4568(E) PDF, 1.7 MB · Gazette	In force	Issued the Electrical Appliances for Commercial Dispensing and Vending (Quality Control) Order, 2024, dated October 17, 2024, in supersession of the 2023 order. It came into force on publication, set dates of implementation of April 1, 2025 in general, October 1, 2025 for micro enterprises and July 1, 2025 for small enterprises, and excluded fifty research and development imports a year by manufacturers.
March 7, 2024	S.O. 1127(E) PDF, 713 KB · Gazette	In force	Issued the Electrical appliance for commercial dispensing and vending (Quality Control) Order, 2023, dated March 5, 2024, requiring these appliances to conform to IS 302 (Part 2/Sec 75): 2018 and bear the Standard Mark from six months after publication, with nine months for small enterprises and twelve months for micro enterprises.

Each notification is linked, as a PDF, in the list above.

Where a notification shows "Gazette", that links the Gazette of India's copy; ours was checked against it on October 20, 2026.

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