SELF- CONTAINED DRINKING WATER COOLERS / IN FORCE

Quality Control Order for self-contained drinking water coolers (IS 1475 (Part 1): 2001)

A 2024 Quality Control Order requires drinking water coolers to meet IS 1475 (Part 1): 2001 from October 1, 2024, later for small and micro enterprises.

SELF-CONTAINED DRINKING water coolers are covered by a Quality Control Order of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry (Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade), made under section 16 of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016. The goods must conform to IS 1475 (Part 1): 2001, Self-Contained Drinking Water Coolers – Energy Consumption and Performance, and bear the Standard Mark under a licence from the Bureau of Indian Standards, as per Scheme-1 of Schedule-II to the Bureau of Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018.

STANDARDS 1

IS 1475 (Part 1): 2001

Self-Contained Drinking Water Coolers – Energy Consumption and Performance

KEY FACTS

ORDER

Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2024

CAME INTO FORCE

The Self- Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2023 (S.O. 4243(E), published September 27, 2023) was to come into force on the expiry of six month from the date of its publication. It was superseded by the Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2024 (S.O. 2112(E)), which came into force on the date of its publication (May 28, 2024) and sets October 1, 2024 as the date of implementation for enterprises other than micro and small enterprises.

WHERE IT STANDS

In force

REFERENCES

S.O. 775(E)	In force
S.O. 776(E)	In force
S.O. 2112(E)	In force
S.O. 4243(E)	In force

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The first order, the Self- Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2023, was issued as S.O. 4243(E), dated September 25, 2023 and published September 27, 2023. It was to come into force on the expiry of six month from publication, with twelve months for micro enterprises and nine months for small enterprises.

S.O. 2112(E), dated May 24, 2024 and published May 28, 2024, superseded it with the Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2024, which came into force on publication. Its Table gives October 1, 2024 as the date of implementation for enterprises other than micro and small enterprises, and January 1, 2025 and April 1, 2025 in the columns headed small enterprises and micro enterprises. Goods manufactured domestically for export are excluded. The Bureau is the certifying and enforcing authority, and contraventions are punishable under the Act.

On February 12, 2026, S.O. 775(E) and S.O. 776(E), each covering 26 orders, listed this order with an implementation date of October 1, 2024. They exempted consignments shipped, or ordered, before that date where the Bill of Entry is dated on or before one hundred and eighty days after it, subject to the importer giving the Bureau copies of the documents within seven days of clearance.

Order	Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2024
Issued by	Ministry of Commerce and Industry (Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade)
Product group	Self- Contained Drinking Water Coolers
Where it stands	In force
What it requires	Self-contained drinking water coolers must conform to IS 1475 (Part 1): 2001 and bear the Standard Mark under a licence from the Bureau of Indian Standards, as per Scheme-1 of Schedule-II to the Bureau of

	Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018. The latest version of the standard, including amendments, as notified by the Bureau from time to time, applies.
Certification scheme	Scheme-1 of Schedule-II to the Bureau of Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018
Came into force	The Self- Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2023 (S.O. 4243(E), published September 27, 2023) was to come into force on the expiry of six month from the date of its publication. It was superseded by the Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2024 (S.O. 2112(E)), which came into force on the date of its publication (May 28, 2024) and sets October 1, 2024 as the date of implementation for enterprises other than micro and small enterprises.
Small enterprises	Under the 2024 order, the Table gives January 1, 2025 in the column headed small enterprises (column (6)) and April 1, 2025 in the column headed micro enterprises (column (7)); paragraph 2(3) refers to micro enterprises and small enterprises and to columns (6) and (7) respectively. The superseded 2023 order would have come into force for micro enterprises on the expiry of twelve month, and for small enterprises on the expiry of nine months, from its publication.
Exemptions	• Goods or articles manufactured domestically for export • S.O. 775(E): imports in a consignment with a Bill of Lading shipped before the date of implementation (October 1, 2024, as listed) and a Bill of Entry on or before one hundred and eighty days after it, subject to the importer giving the Bureau copies of the Bill of Lading, Bill of Entry and supporting documents within seven days of clearance • S.O. 776(E): goods for which the purchase order was placed before the date of implementation (October 1, 2024, as listed) and the Bill of Lading and Bill of Entry are dated on or before one hundred and eighty days from the date the order came into force, subject to the importer giving the Bureau copies of the Purchase Order, Bill of Lading, Bill of Entry and supporting documents within seven days of clearance
Enforcement	The Bureau of Indian Standards is the certifying and enforcing authority. Any person who contravenes the provisions of 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
Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler	IS 1475 (Part 1): 2001	Self-Contained Drinking Water Coolers – Energy Consumption and Performance

Every notification on this order

Date	Notification	Status	What it did
February 13, 2026	S.O. 775(E) PDF, 724 KB · Gazette	In force	Dated February 12, 2026, it exempted imports under 26 listed orders, including this one (listed as the Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2023, notified May 28, 2024, implementation October 1, 2024), where the Bill of Lading shows shipment before the date of implementation and the Bill of Entry is on or before 180 days after it. The importer must give the Bureau copies of the Bill of Lading and Bill of Entry within seven days of clearance.
February 13, 2026	S.O. 776(E) PDF, 724 KB · Gazette	In force	Dated February 12, 2026, it exempted goods under the same 26 orders, including this one (implementation October 1, 2024, as listed), 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 180 days from the date the order came into force. The importer must give the Bureau copies of the Purchase Order, Bill of Lading and Bill of Entry within seven days of clearance.
May 24, 2024	S.O. 2112(E) PDF, 769 KB · Gazette	In force	Dated May 24, 2024 and published May 28, 2024, it superseded the Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2023 and made the Self-Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2024, in force on publication, with dates of implementation of October 1, 2024 for enterprises other than micro and small enterprises, and January 1, 2025 and April 1, 2025 in the columns headed small enterprises and micro enterprises.
September 25, 2023	S.O. 4243(E) PDF, 1.0 MB · Gazette	In force	Issued the Self- Contained Drinking Water Cooler (Quality Control) Order, 2023, dated September 25, 2023, under section 16 of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016, requiring self-contained drinking water coolers to conform to IS 1475 (Part 1): 2001 and bear the Standard Mark, from the expiry of six month after publication, with twelve months for micro and nine months for small enterprises.

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

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