

Conditions for use of the CQAI/NSAI Registered Mark

1. Introduction

- 1.1 The NSAI Registered Mark is prescribed in Section 20 of the National Standards Authority of Ireland Act, 1996.
- 1.2 This document sets out the conditions for use of the CQAI/NSAI Registered Mark.
- 1.3 These conditions shall be met by all CQAI/NSAI Registered Companies. CQAI/NSAI reserves the right to alter the Mark or changes to the conditions for its use.

2. Form of CQAI/NSAI Registered Mark

- 2.1 The Mark consists of the Irish Standard Mark symbol with the acronym NSAI located above and the number or title of the applicable standard located underneath.
- 2.2 The CQAI/NSAI Registered Mark may be printed in any size provided it is legible and proportional to the specimens in the illustrations shown in this document and on the CQAI and NSAI websites.
- 2.3 The CQAI/NSAI Registered Mark may be produced in any colour.

3. Use of the CQAI/NSAI Registered Mark

- 3.1 A Registered Company is entitled to display the Mark or make reference to registration on its stationery or electronic media subject to the conditions set out in Clauses 2 and 4.
- 3.2 A registered Company is entitled to use the Mark in publicity and advertising material subject to the conditions set out in Clauses 2 and 4.
- 3.3 CQAI/NSAI auditors will review use of the Mark during audits.

4. Restrictions on the use of the CQAI/NSAI Registered Mark

- 4.1 On revocation or withdrawal of Registration, a company shall immediately cease to issue documentation or literature, in print or electronically, displaying the Mark or implying in any way that they are an CQAI/NSAI Registered Company.
- 4.2 IT is not permissible to use in any way the logos of International or European Standards bodies such as ISO< IES< CEN< or CENELEC.

5. Multiple Registrations

In instances where a Company is Registered by CQAI/NSAI for more than one Standard, a single Mark may be used with a list of the numbers of the applicable standard located underneath. See illustrations of the markings.

6. Company Statement

A Company Registered to a Management System Standard may display on a product or its packaging the following statement:

“DESIGNED, DEVELOPED, MANUFACTURED. SERVICED UNDER AN CQAI/NSAI REGISTERED I.S. EN ISO 9001:2000 QUALITY SYSTEM”, or other terms appropriate to the Company’s activities and commensurate with the scope of registration.



Guidelines for the use of the CQAI/NSAI Registered Mark

Partnership
Logo

Illustrations of the Markings

THE PARTNERSHIP CQAI/NSAI LOGOS MUST ALWAYS APPEAR TOGETHER AS SHOWN BELOW, NEVER ON THEIR OWN.

Management System Certification



Multiple Registrations



The mark and its usage

Make-Up of Registered Mark



Colour



Size of Mark

MINIMUM SIZE 28mm WIDE ON ANY APPLICATION



Colour Guidelines

MARK MAY APPEAR IN ANY SINGLE COLOUR, PROVIDED THERE IS SUFFICIENT CONTRAST WITH THE BACKGROUND COLOUR.

THE LOGO IS UNSUITABLE FOR REPRODUCTION ON DARK OR YELLOW BACKGROUNDS.

