



**Terms and Conditions for the Use of the DCL Mark of Conformity**  
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**1. INTRODUCTION**

This document specifies the terms and conditions for the use of the DCL Mark of Conformity in accordance with the DM Third Party Product Certification System.

**2. THE DCL MARK OF CONFORMITY**

- 2.1 The design of the DCL Mark of Conformity shall be in accordance with the illustration as shown below.  
[NOTE: The Standard Specification Number (ASTM X999: 2009) and the License Number (CL09021999) appears for illustration purpose only.]



**3. TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE USE OF THE DCL MARK OF CONFORMITY**

- 3.1 Dubai Central Laboratory Department (DCLD), Dubai Municipality is the legal owner of the DCL Mark of Conformity (hereinafter referred to as the Mark) as shown above and has the sole authority to grant or withdraw the right to use it.
- 3.2 The right to use the Mark is granted to an establishment (Licensee) who has been issued a Certification License under the DM Third Party Product Certification System implemented by DCLD, Dubai Municipality.
- 3.3 When using the Mark, the licensee shall always use it together with the corresponding License Number (which is unique to the Licensee) and the Standard Specification Number upon which the license is being issued.
- 3.4 The Licensee shall affix the Mark only on products covered by the Certification License, and in accordance with the marking proposal that is approved by the DM Certification Body. In case marking or stamping of the Mark on the product is not possible, the Mark may be affixed on the packaging or label of the product.
- 3.5 The Licensee may affix the Mark on company stationery and in publicity and promotional materials and other forms of media advertising provided that it is not used in such manner that the DCLD may consider as misleading or inappropriate.
- 3.6 The Licensee may enlarge or reduce the Mark to an appropriate size provided that it is reproduced in exactly the same design, color and proportion (L : W ratio).
- 3.7 If, for any reason, the Certification License has been withdrawn, the licensee must immediately stop using the Mark and, where necessary, (or as directed by the DM Certification Body) withdraw any product carrying the Mark.

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- 3.8 Correct use of the Mark is a contractual obligation. Intentional misuse of the Mark may be grounds for withdrawing the Certification License. The provisions of ISO Guide 27 "Guidelines for corrective action to be taken by a certification body in the event of misuse of its mark of conformity" shall apply if appropriate.
- 3.9 The DM Certification Body, through any means available will monitor the use of the Mark.

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