



## TESTING AND CERTIFICATION OF HOME APPLIANCES AND INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS

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Attn.: EAEU Market Participants

### EAEU/Belarus market access update in the Covid-19 situation

Dear Partners,

After having reviewed and systemized multiple enquires from our partners, we would like to inform you about the current situation regarding the establishment of a unified temporary conformity assessment procedure of mass-produced products in the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) in the COVID-19 situation.

The 37-th meeting of the Consultative Committee for Technical Regulation, Sanitary, Veterinary and Phytosanitary Measures will be held on September 24, 2020, where will be considered the issue of temporary permission to carry out **remote** factory inspection and sampling products procedures using IT tools.

BELLIS fully supports this approach of conformity assessment procedures when restriction of experts' departure for conducting on-site factory inspection and sampling is exist. This will minimize negative consequences for the global industrial sector in terms of providing access to the EAEU market through remote mandatory conformity assessment procedures.

Additionally, we would like to inform you about some changes that are planned:

- In EAEU TR 037/2016 on the Restriction of the Use of Hazardous Substances in Electrotechnical and Radio-electronic Product in order to implement the latest amendments to Directive 2011/65/EU including supplementation with 4 mandatory hazardous substances (certain types of phthalates) in the EAEU TR 037/2016 as well as expand the scope of EAEU TR 037/2016;

- In EAEU TR 048/2019 on The requirements for the energy efficiency of energy-consuming devices in order to implement actual requirements of the European Union and to eliminate mistakes and inaccuracies have made during the development of EAEU TR 048/2019. According to the preliminary information, the date of entry into force of this EAEU TR 048 will be postponed for at least one year.

We will keep you update concerning these issues.



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We would like to note that the difficult COVID19 and political situation in Belarus today does not affect the work schedule of the BELLIS team. The BELLIS certification body and testing laboratory are fully operational. National, EAEU market, and other markets access services are provided in a timely manner. Please contact us ([inquiry@bellis.by](mailto:inquiry@bellis.by) / [bellis@bellis.by](mailto:bellis@bellis.by)) for the following services:

1. EAEU Market Access – Belarus, Russia, Kazakhstan, Armenia, Kyrgyzstan (CU TR 004/2011 Safety; CU TR 020/2011 EMC; EAEU TR 037/2016 RoHS, CU TR 010/2011, CU TR 016/2011– EAC RoHS mandatory from March 1st, 2020; other applicable CU/EAEU Technical Regulations for Electrotechnical Products)

2. Belarus Market Access (Belarus Energy Efficiency Approval in accordance with Resolution 849/2016; Radio/Telecom Approval in acc. with TR 2018/024/BY "Technical Regulation of the Republic of Belarus: Telecommunication Facilities: Safety").

Wish You and your Family, Colleagues and Friends stay safe and healthy and thank you very much for your appreciate cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

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