

COSMETICS (PACKAGING AND SAFETY REQUIREMENTS)

SCOPE

Cosmetic products defined in Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 November 2009 on cosmetic products.

LATVIAN REGULATIONS

Cabinet Regulation No.354, adopted July 2, 2013 "[The procedure for ensuring the essential requirements of cosmetic products](#)"

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

Not required.

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MAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR ECONOMIC OPERATORS

1. A cosmetic product placed on the market, made available on the market and used for the provision of services must meet the microbiological purity criteria defined in Annex 3.
2. For a cosmetic product that is not packaged or is packaged for on-site sale at the buyer's request, or is packaged for immediate sale, Regulation No. 1223/2009, the information referred to in paragraph 5 of Article 19 must be provided in the national language, in Latvia it is Latvian.
3. Regulation no. 1223/2009, the responsible persons (manufacturers, importers, authorized responsible persons) and distributors use the regulations of the MK no. 354 the form specified in Appendix 1, so that according to regulation no. 1223/2009, Article 23 would notify the Health Inspectorate of a significant adverse effect of a cosmetic product.