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Government of India
Ministry of Steel

New Delhi, the 2nd June, 2023

Order

S.O. ___ (E). - In exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016 (11 of 2016), the Central Government is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do in the public interest, after consulting the Bureau hereby makes the following order, namely: -

1. Short title, commencement and application. –
 - (a) This order may be called the Steel and Steel Products (Quality Control) Order, 2023.
 - (b) It shall come into force on the date specified in the Official Gazette.
 - (c) It shall apply to steel and steel products specified in column of the Table 1, but nothing herein shall apply to such products meant for export.
2. Conformity to standards. - (a) Every product specified in column (3) of the Table 1 shall conform to the corresponding Indian Standards specified in column (2) of the said Table with effective from the dates specified in column (5) thereof.
(b) Every Steel and Steel product specified in column (3) of table 1 shall also carry the Mill Test Certificate bearing the Standard Mark with each consignment.
3. Compulsory use of Standard Mark. - Every Steel and Steel products specified in this order shall bear the Standard Mark under a license from the Bureau as per Scheme–I of Schedule–II of the Bureau of Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018
4. The sub-standard or defective steel and steel products, which do not conform to the specified standard, shall be disposed off as scrap as per the scheme of testing and inspection of Bureau of Indian Standard.
5. Certification and enforcement authority:- The Bureau shall be the certifying and enforcing authority in respect of the steel and steel products, goods and articles specified in this order.
6. Penalty for Contravention. - Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this Order shall be punishable under Section 29 of the Act.
7. Date of effect of amendment or revision in Indian Standards. - When any amendment or revision is made by the Bureau to any of the Indian Standards specified in the Table 1, such amendment or revision shall apply to this order with effect from the date notified by the Bureau in this behalf.

Table 1

Sl No	Indian Standards	Steel or Steel Products	ITC(HS) Codes			Date of Implementation
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)			(5)
1.	IS 16732: 2019	Galvanized Structural Steel - Specification	72082510 72082520 72082540 72082590 72082610 72082620 72082640 72082690 72082710 72082720 72082740 72082790 72083610 72083620 72083640 72083690 72169910	72083710 72083720 72083740 72083790 72083810 72083820 72083840 72083890 72083910 72083920 72083940 72083990 72084010 72084020 72084040 72084090 72169990	72085110 72085120 72085140 72085190 72085210 72085220 72085240 72085290 72085310 72085320 72085340 72085390 72085410 72085420 72085440 72085490 72089000	To be decided
2.	IS 17111: 2010 (ISO 683-17: 2014)	Heat-Treated Steels Alloy and Free-Cutting Steels — Ball and Roller Bearing Steels	72249030 72249091 72249099 72279030 72279050 72279060 72279090 72283019 72283021 72283023	72283029 72284000 72285090 72286012 72286091 72286093 72286099 72299059 72299090	To be decided	
3.	IS 12594: 1988	Hot-dip Zinc Coating on Structural Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement	72159010 72159090			To be decided
4.	IS 1170: 1992	Ferrochromium - Specification	72024100 72024900	72025000 72029900	To be decided	
5.	IS 1171: 2011	Ferromanganese - Specification	72021100 72021900	72029900	To be decided	
6.	IS 1470: 2013	Silicomanganese - Specification	72023000 72029900			To be decided

Explanation: For the purpose of this notification, “ITC (HS) Codes” mean the Indian Trades Classification (Harmonized System) codes specified in column (4) of Table 1 and Table 2. The codes are generic and indicative in nature and the applicability of this order will be limited to steel and steel products covered in Indian Standards.

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