



VERIFICATION OF CONFORMITY

Comply with the Ghanaian requirements and ensure consumer protection



**GHANA
STANDARDS
AUTHORITY**



**GHANA
EASYPASS
PROGRAMME**

Apply via the link:

<https://www.gsa-ghana.com/>

The Ghana Standards Authority is responsible for the implementation and management of the *Ghana EASYPASS Programme, which is mandatory for applicable imports into Ghana from the 1st of July 2026*

Under the programme, the Authority verifies, prior to shipment and within the country of export, the conformity of goods to applicable Ghanaian and/or international standards. Upon successful verification, a Certificate of Conformity is issued to facilitate and expedite the customs clearance process in Ghana.

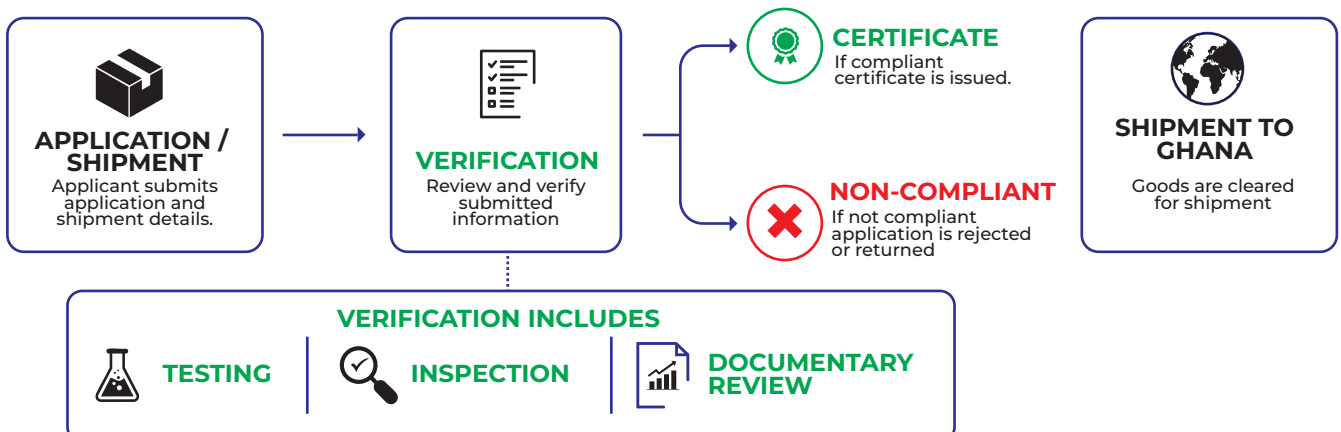
OBJECTIVE

- Protection of the consumer and the environment
- Conformity Assurance
- Swift customs clearance with the appropriate Certificate

GROUP OF PRODUCTS COVERED

- Mineral products
- Products of the chemical or allied industries
- Plastics, rubber and articles
- Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles
- Pulp of Wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material
- Textiles and textile articles
- Articles of stone, plasters, cement, asbestos, mica...
- Base metals and articles of base metal
- Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi- precious stones...
- Agricultural and forestry tractors, vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment
- Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; Parts thereof...
- Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring... instruments and apparatus
- Miscellaneous manufactured articles
- Used Products, except some selected prohibited used products (such as undergarments and handkerchiefs, mattresses, sanitary ware, LPG cylinders...

BASIC PROCESS





Step 1: Request for Certificate

The importer/exporter lodges an application for a certificate via the GSA EASYPASS portal:

- List, designation of goods intended to be exported, importer / exporter details (name, address, invoice, ...)
- Conformity documents available (ex: Third party certificate, Test reports, Reports of analysis according to QHSE - Quality, Health, Safety and Environment - standards)
- Information related to local and provisional date of availability of goods to carry out their physical inspection before shipment. (Filling up of the Request For Certificate (RFC) Form)



Step 2: Routes to compliance

To facilitate trade and adjust intervention to the risk, 3 different routes are available in our EASYPASS Programme to demonstrate compliance:

- Route A: Any good, any trader
- Route B (Registration): Goods already registered by GSA
- Route C (Licensing): Goods already licensed by GSA



Step 3: Documentary review / Testing

GSA reviews all information provided and checks their adequacy against the Ghanaian and/or international standards. Laboratory testing / analysis are conducted on samples if necessary.



Step 4: Inspection

GSA checks that:

- Products comply with applicable standards
- Goods presented are those identified during the documentary review
- Goods match their description in the import/export documents
- If necessary, GSA inspectors may take samples for additional assessment.



Step 5: EASYPASS Certificate

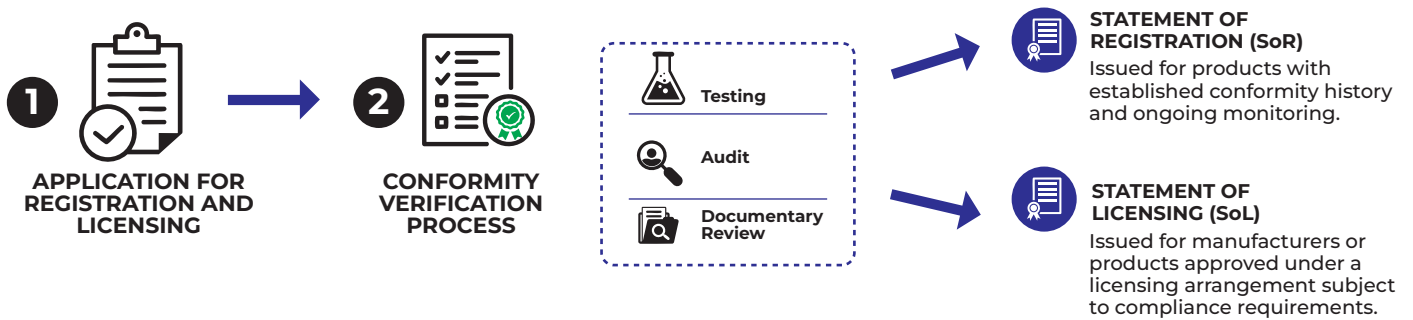
GSA checks the inspection report against the provided documents. Upon satisfactory results, a secured EASYPASS Certificate is issued, else, a Non-Conformity Report is produced.

FACILITATION PROCEDURE

Registration (Route B) and Licensing (Route C) are options offered for regular importer/exporter to Ghana. The documents and system in place to ensure conformity to Ghanaian requirements are preliminary reviewed (test report, certificate, results of testing, inspection, factory audit...).

REGISTRATION AND LICENSING

Registration And Licensing Application Process



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Shipment Verification Process



REGISTERED / LICENSED GOODS



CERTIFICATE
Issued upon successful verification and compliance.



APPROVED SHIPMENT TO GHANA



This framework ensures that regulated products entering the Ghanaian market comply with applicable national and international standards.



SoR (Statement of Registration): Issued for products with established conformity history and ongoing regulatory monitoring.



SoL (Statement of Licensing): Issued for manufacturers or products approved under a licensing arrangement subject to compliance requirements.



Promoting Quality. Protecting Consumers. Facilitating Trade.

Compliance made simple

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