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CERTIFICATION SCHEME FOR BEER

1 Scope

This document specifies the scheme for the evaluation of conformity of beer to their corresponding product specification standards CES 52, including certification of conformity by a certification body.

This scheme provides technical rules for factory production control by the manufacturer, including, sampling, and testing of samples and products, tasks of the certification body and other stakeholders. It also provides rules/procedures for actions to be followed in the case of non-conformity, the procedure for the certification of conformity and requirements for dispatching centers.

2. Normative references

The following documents are indispensable for the application of these conformity evaluation criteria.

CES 52 specification for beer

ISO/IEC 17065 requirements for bodies certifying products, processes and services

ISO/IEC 17067 fundamentals of product certification and guideline for product certification scheme

ISO/IEC 17025 general requirement for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories

3. Definitions and abbreviations

For the purposes of this document (specific certification scheme), the terms and definitions given in ES ISO 17000, CES 52 and the followings shall apply:

3.1 Definitions

3.1.1 Certificate of conformity

A Document issued under the rules of this scheme for the evaluation of conformity indicating that adequate confidence is provided that beer is in conformity with the relevant product specification standard, regulatory and statutory requirements.

4 Specific conditions for beer production

4.1 Management systems

4.1.1 Quality manual

The manufacturer's documentation system and procedures with respect to factory quality production control shall be described in detail in the quality product manual. The quality production manual shall adequately describe, among other that:

