

Regulatory Alert - Mexico

Notification issued to declare NYCE CoC's not required at Customs for all devices approved under IFT-008-2015

Further to PCS' Regulatory Alert dated 18th October regarding Customs acceptance of devices Approved under IFT-008-2015, the Mexican Secretary of Economy has published a Notification on 22nd October 2016 to definitively confirm that a NYCE CoC is not required at Customs for said devices. This will remain the case until the new PROY-NOM-208-SCFI-2016 standard is formally implemented (expected Q01-2017), and so will affect all new Type Approval applications for devices operating in the frequency bands 2400-2483.5MHz, 5725-5850MHz and 902-928MHz which have been submitted on or after 22nd October 2016.

To re-confirm the current status, new Type Approval applications for devices operating in the frequency bands 2400-2483.5MHz, 5725-5850MHz and 902-928MHz can still be filed to the IFT under technical reference IFT-008-2015 and until the new standard is implemented. It also remains the case that, once the PROY-NOM-208-SCFI-2015 is formally in place, all local test reports and Approval certificates issued under IFT-008-2015 will require updating to reference the new standard. There will be a small cost incurred for these updates, however no re-testing will be required and the final Approval certificate number will not change once the updates are complete.

All approvals issued under NOM-EM-016-SCFI-2015 remain valid and renewal applications can still be filed for devices approved under this standard. There is no need to re-certify under PROY-NOM-208-SCFI-2015 once formally implemented.

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