

# Regulatory Update

## **National conformity assessment through Declaration scheme in Belarus for radio and telecom equipment will be reinstated from 1<sup>st</sup> February 2017.**

Further to PCS Regulatory Alert dated 4<sup>th</sup> August 2016, Decree 849 from Prime Minister of Belarus has been published on 21<sup>st</sup> October approving list of products subject to mandatory national conformity assessment.

Thus, starting from 1<sup>st</sup> February 2017 national conformity assessment through the Declaration scheme will be reinstated for all the products on the mandatory assessment list.

Main points of Declaration scheme:

- Validity of Declarations – 5 years.
- No physical factory inspection is required.
- Sample testing is required.

Until 1<sup>st</sup> February 2017, there are no legal obligations to show compliance to National RF standards and manufacturers can continue to import products which are approved against the EAC EMC/Safety scheme only (if products fall under these regulations).

PCS is investigating whether there are any changes to the new mandatory assessment list and if any changes are discovered, customers will be notified accordingly.

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