

Annex 1. Logical Framework Matrix for “Support the preparation for the negotiation of the Agreement on Conformity Assessment and Acceptance of Industrial Products (ACAA)” Project

Overall objective	Objectively Verifiable Indicators	Sources of Verification	Assumptions
To support Jordan’s commitment in the framework of the EU-Jordan Association Agreement, to fulfil the conditions leading to the establishment of a deep and comprehensive free trade area between Jordan and the European Union.	Free movement of products of priority exchanged in trade between Jordan and the European Union	Trade statistics in priority sectors	Jordan continued commitment to adopt the necessary legislation and upgrade the quality infrastructure to a necessary level to comply with the EU requirements.
Project purpose	Objectively Verifiable Indicators	Sources of Verification	Assumptions
To assist JSMO to further fulfill all requirements in preparation for the negotiation and signature of the ACAA Agreement <u>i.e. the approximation of horizontal legislation relevant to the enhancement of the quality infrastructure components, namely market surveillance, conformity assessment and accreditation, as well as vertical legislation relevant to the ACAA scope: electrical appliances, toys and gas appliances</u> , and to establish mechanisms to ensure the sustainability of the Project so that there would be no diversion between the Jordanian and the EU systems and legislation relevant to the ACAA scope afterwards.	All horizontal and vertical legislation relevant to the ACAA scope are endorsed and enforced.	Final report	Jordan continued commitment to adopt the necessary legislation and upgrade the quality infrastructure to a necessary level to comply with the EU requirements.
Results	Objectively Verifiable Indicators	Sources of Verification	Assumptions
<u>Result 1: Approximated legislation and standards in the scope of ACAA are updated according to the current</u>	1. Market studies, and regulatory impact assessments and public consultation campaigns on all	- Interim reports. - Experts reports. - Market Studies.	- JSMO and other Jordanian regulatory bodies as well as market surveillance authorities are

<p><u>and valid EU legislation and standards</u></p> <p>1.1 Market studies and good regulatory practices relevant to the introduction and enforcement of EC regulations are conducted and shared.</p> <p>1.2 Building capacity of related institutions on identified EU legislation</p> <p>1.3 Strategy to identify products and relevant legislation that are the most crucial to start with in approximation of legislation is formulated and implemented</p>	<p>EC legislation to be approximated are conducted.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. 50 of JSMO and regulatory authorities staff are trained on all identified EU legislation. 3. 25 Guidelines relevant to implementation of approximated legislation are drafted and ready for publication. 4. 10 oriented training sessions and 10 awareness seminars to the industry and traders are conducted. 5. The strategy to identify products and relevant legislation that are the most crucial is documented and announced. 6. Final drafts of approximated Jordanian legislation and draft amendments of conflicting legislation are ready for issuance. 7. All EN harmonized standards relevant to priority sectors are identified and prepared for adoption as national standards. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - European Commission's review reports of approximated legislation. - Publication of approximated legislation and notices on adoption of harmonized standards in the official gazette. - Training evaluation reports. - Seminars evaluation reports. 	<p>ready to approximate and enforce EC horizontal and vertical legislation and to withdraw conflicting legislation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Technical assistance is provided to the industry through other complementary projects to enable the implementation of the approximated legislation.
<p><u>Result 2: JSMO laboratories are competent in performing tests relevant to banned and restricted chemical substances, gas appliances and lighting .</u></p> <p>2.1 Analysts are trained on European test methods relevant to detection of heavy metals and banned and</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 15 training courses on identified test methods and standards are conducted. 2. 9 training courses on technical aspects relevant to the chemical testing of toys and safety of gas appliances and energy efficiency 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Interim reports. - Experts reports. - Training evaluation reports. 	

<p>restricted chemical substances in toys, electrical equipment, material in contact with food, and textiles, in addition to test methods on safety of gas appliances and test methods of energy efficiency of lamps.</p> <p>2.2 Analysts on <u>are trained on</u> technical aspects and to perform those technical aspects, such as validation of test methods, measurement of uncertainty, use of calibration results, use of reference materials and participation in PT schemes relevant to the test methods are trained.</p> <p>2.3 The application to extend scope of accreditation so as to include the above mentioned test methods is prepared.</p>	<p>of lights are conducted.</p> <p>3. Application is sent to the Jordanian Accreditation Unit to expand the accreditation scope.</p>		
<p><u>Result 3: Accreditation scope is extended to include accreditation of inspection bodies and product and system certification bodies.</u></p> <p>3</p> <p>3.1 accreditation policies and procedures for accreditation of inspection and system certification, in addition to new scopes of product certification according to the updated European legislation and standards are developed.</p> <p>3.2 Assessors and accreditation staff</p>	<p>1. Rules, instructions and procedures on accreditation of inspection and system certification, in addition to new scopes of product certification according to the updated European legislation are issued and implemented.</p> <p>2. training courses on international and EN standards, i.e. ISO/IEC 17020 and ISO/IEC 17021 are conducted.</p> <p>3. training courses on international and EN standards, i.e. ISO/IEC</p>	<p>-Interim reports -Experts reports -Training evaluation reports. - Audit reports on assessments of inspection bodies and product and system certification bodies. - Quality management system of the Accreditation body. - ARAC Assessment reports.</p>	<p>- Product and system certification bodies and inspections bodies are interested in obtaining accreditation.</p>

<p>on relevant international and EN standards are trained.</p> <p>3.3 assessments on accreditation applicants from product and system certification bodies, and inspection bodies are conducted.</p> <p>3.4 applications to request peer evaluation so as to sign MLA with IAF in the accreditation scope of inspection, and product and system certification are prepared</p>	<p>17065 and updated EU legislation are conducted.</p> <p>4. 10 training courses on identified EC legislation and standards are conducted in the field of LPG pipes, elevators, buildings and cranes, etc.</p> <p>5. 5 hand-on trainings on assessment techniques and procedures.</p> <p>6. Initial assessments are conducted on product and system certification bodies, and inspection bodies.</p> <p>7. Peer evaluations are conducted on the accreditation system.</p>		
<p><u>Result 4: Proactive market surveillance activities are operational on updated legislation and standards on priority sectors</u></p> <p>4.1 necessary products checklists, procedures and instructions, as per the updated and new legislation and standards are established.</p> <p>4.2 inspectors are trained on updated and new EU legislation in the scope of ACCA and on conduction of market surveillance inspections, detection of deviations, risk assessment, decision making and follow-up activities are trained</p> <p>4.3 Supervised market surveillance on products under the scope of the updated and new legislation and</p>	<p>1. Instructions, procedures and products checklists are prepared and used by market surveillance inspectors.</p> <p>2. 20 training courses on updated EU legislation and standards are conducted.</p> <p>3. 10 hand-on trainings on market surveillance and inspections are conducted</p> <p>4. 10 joint market surveillance inspections are conducted in Jordan under the supervision of the Project's experts</p> <p>5. 5 inspections are conducted in Jordan on LPG pipe distribution systems according to European</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Interim reports. - Experts report. - Reports on dangerous products issued by market surveillance authorities. - Published market surveillance strategy and plan. - Training evaluation reports 	

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Activities			
MS to develop activities which are needed in order to achieve the results			