

# SGS China Import Program

A GUIDE TO ENTERING THE MARKET FOR YOUR HARDGOODS, TOYS & JUVENILE PRODUCTS



SGS has been helping brands, retailers and suppliers of international consumer goods understand and work towards access to the Chinese market and product compliance – with a comprehensive and systematic framework of rules and guidelines for both online and offline sales.

Our primary focus has been to help companies develop supply chain management frameworks, workflows and standards that promote high quality products in compliance with market regulations in China.

SGS provides professional and fast one-stop services for the hardlines products and toys that you process or manufacture worldwide. We provide consulting, testing and technical support to help companies quickly meet product regulatory requirements in China, and also ensure that toy products meet national safety standards.

# **TOY CCC CERTIFICATION**

China Compulsory Certification (CCC) is a product evaluation system implemented by the Chinese government to protect consumers' health and safety, the environment and national security through compliance with laws and regulations. It requires products to comply with Chinese national standards and relevant technical specifications. Toy products must have a certification mark before they can be shipped, sold, imported, or used in other business activities.

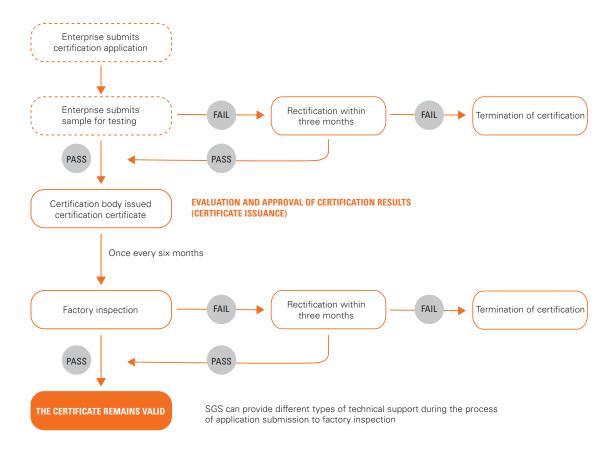
According to the latest version of the CCC product catalogue, certification is mandatory for the following toy product categories: electric, plastic, metal and ride-on toys.

Documents required for toy CCC certification applications:

- Applicant, manufacturer and factory business license
- Product description and critical material table

- List of key equipment and main testing equipment
- · List of quality menus
- Enterprise profile survey form
- CCC official application form
- Product conformity declaration
- Agreement of CCC certification (Chinese version only)
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) cooperation agreement (if applicable)
- Quality menu

# **TOY CCC CERTIFICATION APPLICATION PROCESS**



# **INFANT PRODUCTS**

Parents and caregivers want to be confident that the baby and infant products they purchase are created with the safety of their children in mind. Juvenile products may appear safe, but they can pose hazards if they are not manufactured to exacting standards. We offer a range of consulting, training, product development, testing, audit and inspection services to ensure that you comply with the strict regulations, demonstrating the safety, quality and functionality of the juvenile products you bring to the market in China.

Some examples of SGS's testing scope for China are:

- GB 14746 Bicycles for young children (CCC is required)
- GB 14747 Child tricycles (CCC is required)
- GB 14748 Wheeled child conveyances (CCC is required)
- GB 14749 Baby walking frames (CCC is required)
- QB 2453.1 & 2 Domestic crib, folding crib
- GB 22793.1 & GB/T 22793.2 Children's highchair
- GB 28482 Pacifiers
- GB 29281 Playpens and similar cribs
- SN/T 3611 Cradles and bassinets
- GB/T 24329 Highchair
- GB 30004 Cots, swings
- GB/T 35270 Carriers

We also have infant product accreditation for our hardlines laboratories from:

- CNAS China National Accreditation Service for Conformity Assessment
- CMA China Metrology Accreditation

### **FURNITURE**

In recent years, consumers in China have paid more attention to the quality of products that they buy. As a result, it is essential to improve quality in order to stand out from the competition. With precise testing equipment and skilled engineers, we have great resources to provide you with professional furniture testing services aligned with the China GB standard.

Some sample standards include:

- GB/T 10357 Test of mechanical properties of furniture
- GB/T 3324 Wooden furniture general technical requirements
- QB/T 2280 Office furniture office chair
- GB 28478 General safety requirements of outdoor leisure furniture – seating and tables
- GB 28007 Children's furniture general technical requirements

# **FOOD CONTACT MATERIALS**

Food contact materials (FCM) have potential risks for adverse effects on the taste, odor and color of foods, and the migration of hazardous constituents,

such as heavy metals and additives which pose a risk to human health.

Imports to China are subject to legislation. In recent years, more rigorous laws have been promulgated and more effective mechanisms have been established by major trading nations to eliminate hidden dangers and strengthen the safety management of FCM.

FCM are materials and articles intended to come into contact with food, including:

- Food packaging
- Tableware, kitchenware
- Food processing machines
- Electrical kitchen appliances, etc.

These products may contain FCM such as:

- Plastic, resin
- Rubber, silicone
- Metal, alloy
- Paper, paperboard
- Glass, ceramic, enamel
- Colorants, printing inks etc.

For the Chinese market, our testing scope includes:

- GB 4806.2 Nipple
- GB 4806.8 Food contact paper and paperboard
- GB 4806.10 Food contact coating
- QB/T 4162 Glass tumblers
- QB/T 4624 Insulated containers
- GB/T 29601 Stainless steel ware
- GB/T 32389 Utensils for baking food

# SGS INDEPENDENTLY CHECKED MARK (ICM) VERIFICATION SERVICE

The SGS ICM is a voluntary product verification committed to facilitating information transparency for consumers. It is a benchmark of quality, giving products differentiation advantages and providing assurance for consumers.

This verification and identification service enables consumers to scan a the QR code on the physical product to access details of the third-party test report, so that they can make more informed buying decisions at the point of purchase.

# THE USE OF SGS IC MARK

Use on the:

- Product
- Packaging
- Product tag
- E-commerce platform
- Retail packaging





SGS's hardlines solutions are not limited to the above key services.

Contact us now and let us know your needs.

# WHY CHOOSE SGS?

SGS is the world's leading testing, inspection and certification company. We are your trusted partner, helping you reap the benefits of retailing in China.

# **CONTACT US**

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# Trusted means Tested.

