

MINISTRY OF TEXTILES

ORDER

New Delhi, the 10th April, 2023

S.O. 1707(E).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 16 read with section 17 and sub-section (3) of section 25 of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016 (11 of 2016), the Central Government is of the opinion that it is necessary so to do in the public interest and after consulting the Bureau of Indian Standards, hereby makes the following Order, namely:-

- Short title and commencement.**— (1) This Order may be called the Protective Textiles (Quality Control) Order, 2022.
(2) It shall come into force on the **180 days after** its publication in the Official Gazette.
- Application** – This Order shall apply to goods or article specified in column (2) of the Schedule annexed to this Order, but shall not apply to such goods or article meant for export.
- Compulsory use of Standard Mark.** – The goods or article specified in column (2) of the said Schedule shall conform to the corresponding Indian Standard specified in column (3) thereof and shall bear the Standard Mark under a licence from the Bureau in accordance with Scheme-I of Schedule-II to the Bureau of Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018.
- Certification and enforcement authority.** – The Bureau shall be the certifying and enforcing authority in respect of the goods or article specified in column (2) of the said Schedule.
- Penalty for contravention.** – Any person who contravenes the provisions of this Order shall be punishable in accordance with the provisions of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016 (11 of 2016).

SCHEDULE

Sl. No.	Goods or article	Indian Standard (IS)	Title of Indian Standard
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	Curtains and Drapes	IS 15741 : 2007	Textiles – Resistance to ignition of curtains and drapes - Specification
2	Upholstered composites used for non-domestic furniture	IS 15768 : 2008	Textiles - Resistance to ignition of upholstered composites used for non-domestic furniture – Specification
3	Protective clothing for firefighters	IS 16890 : 2018	Textiles - Protective Clothing for Firefighters – Specification
4	Protective gloves for firefighters	IS 16874 : 2018	Textiles - Protective Gloves for Firefighters - Specification
5	Protective clothing for industrial workers exposed to heat	IS 15748 : 2022	Textiles - Protective clothing for Industrial workers exposed to heat (excluding firefighters' and welders' clothing)
6	Clothing made of limited flame spread materials and material assemblies affording protection against heat and flame	IS 15742 : 2007	Textiles - requirements for clothing made of limited flame spread materials and material assemblies affording protection against heat and flame - specification
7	High visibility Warning Clothes	IS 15809 : 2017	High visibility warning clothes - Specification (first revision)
8	Protective Clothing for use in welding and allied processes	IS 16655 : 2017	Textiles - Protective clothing for use in welding and allied processes
9	Tactical 3 point sling	IS 16725 : 2018	Textiles - Tactical 3 point sling universal - Specification

10	Pouch for ammunition and grenades made of disruptive pattern nylon-66	IS 16726 : 2018	Textiles - Pouch for ammunition and grenades made of disruptive pattern nylon 6 6 - Specification
11	Bullet resistant jackets	IS 17051 : 2018	Textiles - Bullet resistant jackets - Performance requirements
12	Water-proof multipurpose rain poncho	IS 17286 : 2019	Textiles - Water-proof multipurpose rain poncho with convertibility as bivouac - Specification

Note : For the purposes of the Schedule, it is clarified that the latest version of Indian Standards established and published by the Bureau from time to time in accordance with the provisions of clause (17) of section 2 of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016 (11 of 2016), shall apply from the date of such publication.

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