



# PDCA CERTIFICATION PRIVATE LIMITED

## Rules And Regulations for Use of Certification & Accreditation Mark

Use of the AB Logo & PDCA Certification Mark is subject to the conditions detailed below:

- Where AB Logo & PDCA Certification Mark is used, the client shall ensure:
  - That they are used together, not in isolation and not disproportionately represented, and positioned in a manner that ensures the relationship between the AB and the PDCA Certification Mark along with the Standard and Certification No.
- Use shall be restricted to correspondence, advertising, and promotional material that is directly applicable to the scope of registration as shown on the Registration Schedule.
- The AB Logo shall not be used in such a way to suggest that the Accreditation Council, , or any Government Minister, have certified or approved the client's activities, or in any other misleading manner.
- The AB Logo must be as per AB Guidelines, the wording to be clearly Visible.
- Use shall be such that there is no implication that the goods or services themselves are approved by AB & PDCA.
- AB Logo & PDCA Certification Mark issued within the framework of a quality system certification programme.
  - may be used on stationary, literature and publicity material;
  - shall NOT be used on a product, or in any way that may be interpreted as denoting product conformity;

*Note: The table below provides guidance on the use of certification/ registration marks for indicating when a product has been made under a certified/ registered quality management system.*

|                 |                     | On Product * 1 | On larger boxes etc. used for transportation of products *2 | In Pamphlets etc. for advertisement |
|-----------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Use of Marks *3 | Without a statement | Not allowed    | Not allowed                                                 | Allowed *5                          |
|                 | With a statement *4 | Not allowed    | Not allowed                                                 | Allowed *5                          |

- \*1. This could be a tangible product itself or product in an individual package container etc.
- \*2. This applies to marks that have a specific form including some basic description of its applicability. A statement in words alone does not constitute a mark in this sense. Any such wording should be true and not mislead.
- \*3. The statement includes reference to identification (e.g. brand or name) of the certified client, type of management system (e.g. QMS/EMS/OHSMS/FSMS/ISMS/MDQMS) and the applicable standard; the PDCA issuing the certificate. Rules governing the use of any statement on product packaging or in accompanying information that



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the client has a certified management system. Product packaging is considered as that which can be removed without the product disintegrating or being damaged. Accompanying information is considered as separately available or easily detachable. Type labels or identification plates are considered as part of the product. The statement shall in no way imply that the product, process or service is certified by this means.

- \*4 The marks shall not permitted to be applied to laboratory test, calibration or inspection reports.
- \*5 The marks shall not allow reference to its management system certification to be used in such a way as to imply that the PDCA certifies a product (including service) or process
- \*6. When using symbols or logos, adequate attention should be paid to avoid infringement of clauses 3.1.1.2d) and 3.7 of ISO/ IEC 17021
- \*7 if violated, ACCURATE GLOBAL INC (PDCA) reserves the right to revoke/ suspend/ withdraw the registration certificate without prior written information to client and legal action will be taken under section 406IPC which is breach of contract/trust.
- \*8 PDCA logo is registered by the registrar of trade mark under the trademark act 1999  
Unauthorized use of mark shall be punished under section 23 (2) rule 62 (!).

We accept that we have well understood all the above terms and conditions and the above are overridden by the conditions for the use of AB Logo & PDCA Certification mark and we undertake to abide by all for the use of AB Logo & PDCA Certification mark and if violated, Care Certification Private Limited (PDCA) reserves the right to revoke/ suspend/ withdraw the registration certificate without prior written information to us and action will be taken under section 406 breach of contract/trust.

Authorized Signature  
Of the company representative on all the pages  
With Company's stamp.

### EXAMPLE:



PDCA is accredited by  
AB

OR



**AB  
LOGO**