

Major Updates on Type Approval Procedure

Updates Date: 1st January 2026:

No	Place	Updates
1	All Type Approval Schemes (Light, Intermediate and Tight Schemes)	Unifying the method of applying for Type Approval to be through digital Type Approval portal for both Local and overseas companies.

Updates Date: 24th March 2025:

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1	All Type Approval Schemes (Light, Intermediate and Tight Schemes)	Adding Arabic user manual to the Type Approval documents needed for the products targeting the public like mobile phones, home routers...etc.
2		Requiring the product labeling needed to be indelible.
3		Canceling the requirement of sending the IMEI numbers of cellular equipment s by email and replacing it by the requirement of registering the mobile phones IMEI numbers through the NTRA Digital Portal
4		Adding a note of the necessity of the exact matching between the model name mentioned in the type approved product shipments invoices with the type approved model name.
5	Tight Type Approval Scheme	Updating the Contact Information of Group A labs.
6		Adding CE testing prices fees for 5G NR and WiFi 6E Technologies to the unified prices list for Egyptian brands equipment.
7		Adding a requirement of including the name and contact information of the Arabic manual Translation entity to the Arabic manual of products targeting the public like mobile phones, home routers...etc. with the necessity to be an ISO17100 accredited entity or an entity accredited by any governmental organization in any of the Arab countries.
8	Type Approval Application Form	Updating the information required in the form

Updates Date: 5th March 2024:

No	Place	Updates
1	Type Approval Scheme Determination Chart	Applying Light Scheme on products of which manufacturers are located in 3 rd Category countries and have ISO certificate in the product design and development or manufacturing cope issued by a certification body located in 1 st category countries and registered by IAF.
2	All Type Approval Schemes (Light, Intermediate and Tight Schemes)	Adding manufacturer ISO certificates to the documents required for Type Approval
3		Decreasing the labeling information required for small size devices.
4		Adding an instruction on the necessity of including the main steps of operating the product for the 1 st time in a paper guide.
5	Light & Intermediate Type Approval Schemes	Adding the labeling pictures to the documents needed for Type Approval.
6		Adding a note on the necessity of including the technical specifications of the charger or power adapter complying with the product to its user manual in case it is to be sold in the market without its charger or power adapter associated.
7	Tight Type Approval Scheme	Adding a note on the necessity of including the charger or power adapter associated with the product in its package box.
8	Type Approval Application Form	Updating the information required and the format of the form

Updates Date: 22nd May 2023:

- 1) Classification of countries into 3 categories.
- 2) Simplification of Type Approval Procedure of products manufactured in Egypt not eligible for Light Scheme, cancellation of their previous dedicated Guided Scheme and combining their procedure to the Intermediate Scheme Procedure.
- 3) Cancelling the restriction to a specific production quantity before Type Approval for products manufactured in Egypt.
- 4) Updating the scheme determination chart to include only 3 Type Approval Schemes, Light, Intermediate and Tight Schemes.
- 5) Updating the Intermediate Scheme accredited labs through adding more labs and updating the accreditation conditions for labs interested to be added to them.
- 6) Adding a detailed table for the information needed to be written on the products and their accessories in both of Light & Intermediate Scheme procedure.

- 7) Adding a requirement of labeling shipments cartons with serial numbers of units included in them.
- 8) Permitting electronic user manual for products with touch screen on condition that an offline copy of it is to be easily reachable on the product operating Software with no need to be connected to Internet.