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1 Overview of the IECRE System

1.1 General

The IECRE System is the IEC System for Conformity Assessment to Standards Relating to Equipment for Use in Renewable Energy Applications

IECRE facilitates the operation of certification Schemes in strict accordance with the IECRE System Basic Rules, IEC CA 01 and IECRE 01-S, as approved by the IEC Conformity Assessment Board (CAB).

1.2 Objective

The objective of the IECRE System is to facilitate international trade in equipment and services intended for use in renewable energy applications. IECRE Schemes are intended to facilitate global trade as follows:

- Reducing testing and certification costs to manufacturer while maintaining appropriate levels of safety by compliance with Standards
- Reducing barriers to entry in to established and emerging market places
- Reduced time to market
- Providing international confidence in the assessment process of IECRE products, services and personnel
- Providing one international database listing of all issued reports, certificates and other deliverables

2 IECRE Logo

2.1 IECRE Logo

The IECRE Logo as shown in Figure 1 is the graphical symbol to clearly identify the “brand” of the IECRE and is the intellectual property of the IEC. The IECRE logo is as shown below. The use or misuse of the Logo can impact on the integrity of the organization or its members. Use of the Logo by an organization or individual only shows an association with the IECRE, it does not infer any compliance with Standards.



Figure 1 – IECRE colour Logo

2.2 Guidance for colours used in the Logo

The colours used in the Logos may be identified as follows:

- a) For the web, presentations and jpeg images (RGB)

Light blue: Red 0 Green 91 Blue 161

Dark blue: Red 18 Green 57 Blue 96

- b) For printer, posters and TIFF images (CMYK and Pantone)

Where C, M, Y, and K are the percent values for the cyan, magenta, yellow, and black values of the colour.

Light blue: Cyan 100 Magenta 60 Yellow 0 Black 6

Dark blue: Cyan 100 Magenta 77 Yellow 35 Black 26

Pantone colours references;

Light blue: 286

Dark blue: 2955

NOTE 1 Guidance on RGB colours may be found in IEC 61966-2-5, Multimedia systems and equipment - Colour measurement and management - Part 2-5: Colour management - Optional RGB colour space - opRGB.

NOTE 2 The information on colours CMYK comes from a variety of sources.

3 IECRE Logo appearance

3.1 Master symbol for photographic reproduction

The IECRE Logo when used shall always appear as shown in Figure 1.

The IECRE Logo is available from the IECRE Secretariat and may be used for photographic reproduction.

The colour of the IECRE Logo is shown in Figure 1. Use of black with white background is permitted, see Figure 2 below:



Figure 2 – IECRE black Logo

3.2 Proportional dimensions of the symbol

All reproductions of the IECRE Logo shall comply with the dimensional and colour proportions as shown in the electronic files provided by the IECRE Secretariat.

The IECRE Logo may be enlarged or reduced arbitrarily in the same form and ratio, provided that the letters remain well legible, however, not smaller than 6 x 6 mm.

The IECRE Logo shall have a minimum IEC Logo text size of 2.5 mm in height.

3.3 Available electronic formats

The following electronic formats are available:

- a) For the web, presentations and jpeg images (RGB):
gif, jpeg, png (in low resolution)
- b) For printing purposes, business cards, certificates, flyers, brochures, posters, (CMYK):
jpeg, tiff, eps, pdf (in high resolution)

4 Use of IECRE Logo

4.1 Who may use the IECRE Logo?

The IECRE Logo may be used by the following:

- IECRE Certification Bodies (RECBs), IECRE Testing Laboratories (RETLs) and IECRE Inspection Bodies (REIBs)
- Under given conditions, manufacturers and suppliers of products for which a RE Certificate or RE Test Report have been issued

Any variation to the above shall require permission for the use of the IECRE Logo from the IECRE Secretariat.

4.2 Where may the IECRE Logo be used?

The IECRE Logo may be used on or with the following type of commercial materials provided that it relates only to equipment and services covered by IECRE Certification:

- Brochures
- Certificates
- Posters
- Websites
- Training or promotional presentation materials, only with prior approval from the IECRE Secretariat other than for organizations covered by IECRE Certification/Testing

4.3 Where should the IECRE Logo not be used?

The IECRE Logo shall not be used on the following:

- Products, including product packaging and associated user manual etc.
- Business cards, other than those of IECRE Management Committee (REMC) accepted RECBs, REIBs, RETLs, IECRE Officers, IECRE Executive Secretary and Secretariat
- Letterheads/company stationery, other than those of IECRE REMC accepted RECBs, REIBs, RETLs, IECRE Officers, IECRE Executive Secretary and Secretariat
- Product certificates which give inference that the product is certified/tested by the IECRE or IEC

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