

UKCA MARK



At Cranage Veritas we can assist you with the transition to the UKCA mark that is proposed for implementation in the UK on the 1st January 2021.

If you are an Irish manufacturer, or are not located within the UK, then you need to check you will not become an importer after 1st January 2021.

You'll become an importer if you're the one bringing goods into the UK from outside of the UK, and placing them on the market in Great Britain.

The UK government has detailed the following that needs to be adhered to for goods that fall under the self-declaration route:

- Goods are labelled with your company's details, including your company's name and a contact address (until 31st December 2022 you can provide these details on the accompanying documentation rather than on the goods itself).
- The correct conformity assessment procedures have been carried out, and that goods have the correct conformity markings.
- The manufacturer has drawn up the correct technical documentation and complied with their labelling requirements.
- You maintain a copy of the declaration of conformity for a period of 10 years.
- Goods conform with the relevant essential requirements.
- An authorised representative will need to be based in the UK for products being placed on the UK and Northern Ireland markets, and they will need to prepare and sign the Declaration of Conformity.
- Goods can carry both the CE and UKCA markings, so long as they are fully compliant with both UK and EU regulations.
- Presently the UKCA and CE certification requirements are the same and there are no plans for this to change. (*This may change with any Brexit deals / no deals).

At Cranage Veritas we are able to review your technical documentation to ensure that you, as the manufacturer or importer, are ready and compliant to add the UKCA mark to the product for 1st January 2021.

Contact us if you have a query, or if would like to find out more about how we can assist you with the transition to the UKCA mark:

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