REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA
Executive agency
Bulgarian accreditation service

Signatory to the EA Multilateral Agreement in this field

ORDER

№ А 73

Sofia, 27.02.2025

Pursuant to art. 10, para. 1, items 3 and 4, art. 28, para. 1 and art. 30, para. 1 of the Law on National Accreditation of Conformity Assessment Bodies, items 6 and 7 of the BAS QR 2 Accreditation Procedure, in connection with an open procedure reg. № 289/153 ЛИ/ПА/РО/12.04.2024, assessment reports reg. № 289/153 ЛИ/5/В/18.09.2024, reg. № 289/153 ЛИ/10/В/23.12.2024 and Statement of the Accreditation Commission reg. № 289/153 ЛИ/ПА/РО/5/В/26.02.2025, I hereby

RE-ACCREDIT AND EXTEND THE SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION

TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS INSTITUTE
TESTING LABORATORY COMPLEX

Management and Laboratory address: 4108, Markovo, Plovdiv Region

To perform testing of:

Scope type: *flexible for part of scope*

№	Tested products	Type of test / characteristic	Testing methods (standard / validated method)
1	2	3	4
1.	Tobacco -tobacco leaves -tobacco strips -tobacco veins -tobacco foil -cut tobacco from and for tobacco products -tobacco powder	1.1. Moisture	БДС 8025
		1.2. Nicotine	БДС ISO 2881, ISO 15152
		1.3. Total sugars	Validated method according to Coresta Recommended Method № 89
		1.4. Chlorides	Validated method according to SEAL Analytical Method № G-267-01, Rev.4
		1.5. Glycerin (glycerol)	Validated method according to Standard Operating Procedure № 06
2.	Tobacco products -cigarettes	2.1 Mass.	БДС 12975
		2.2. Tar	БДС ISO 4387
		2.3. Nicotine	ISO 10315
		2.4. Carbon monoxide	ISO 8454
3.	Liquids for electronic cigarettes	3.1. Nicotine	Validated method according to Standard Operating Procedure 11
4.	Hemp	4.1. Δ9-etrahydrocannabinol	Validated method according to Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/1155, Annex III

Flexible Scope: *Implementing a new version of standards/documents or standards/ documents replacing them is allowed. An updated list of standards/documents and their dated versions is provided by laboratory.*

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Fixed scope references:

1. Validated method according to Coresta Recommended Method № 89 - Coresta Recommended Method № 89:2019 - Tobacco - Determination of total sugars content - In-stream analysis method using hydrochloric acid/p-hydroxybenzoic acid hydrazide (RANVAN).

2. Validated method according to SEAL Analytical Method № G-267-01 Rev.4- SEAL Analytical Method № G-267-01 Rev.4 - Chloride in tobacco extracts.

3. Validated method according to Standard Operating Procedure 06 - Standard operating procedure 06:2016 Standard operating procedure - Method for the determination of softeners in tobacco filler of cigarettes.

4. Validated method according to Standard Operating Procedure 11 - Standard operating procedure SOP 11:2021 - Standard Operating Procedure - Method for the determination of nicotine, glycerol and propylene glycol in liquids for electronic cigarettes.

5. Validated method according to Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/1155, Annex III - Union method for the quantitative determination of Δ9-tetrahydrocannabinol content in hemp varieties. Delegated Regulation (EU) № 2017/1155, Annex III.

I ORDER

To issue the certificate of accreditation reg. № 153 ЛИ of 27.02.2025 valid until 27.02.2029 and this order enclosed as an integral part of it.

The certificate of accreditation with the enclosure should be obtained from the director of the Tobacco and Tobacco Products Institute, the head of the Testing Laboratory Complex, at the Tobacco and Tobacco Products Institute, or another authorized person in the office of EA BAS.

Upon receipt of the certificate issued and enclosure, the Testing Laboratory Complex, at the Tobacco and Tobacco Products Institute is obliged to return to EA BAS the originals of certificate of accreditation reg. № 153 ЛИ of 29.12.2020 valid until 29.12.2024 and the enclosure EA BAS order reg. № A 804/29.12.2020 of.

This order shall be notified to Testing Laboratory Complex, at the Tobacco and Tobacco Products Institute, within 3 (three) days from its issuance.

Eng. Irena Borislavova

Executive Director of EA BAS