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QB/T 2778-2026 is a recommended industry standard of the People's Republic of China in the Light Industry sector, approved and issued by the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology on 1 June 2026, with effect from 1 December 2026.

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1 Scope

QB/T 2778-2026 applies to highlighters and covers their research and development, production, testing and acceptance. It does not apply to highlighters whose marks can be erased by heat, erased chemically, or changed in colour by a chemical reaction. The document is a product standard for ordinary highlighters and serves as a common reference for the stages through which a highlighter passes from development to handover to the buyer.

Highlighter manufacturers, development and quality teams, testing laboratories, distributors and buyers can use it when developing the product, checking production and accepting deliveries. It is a voluntary industry standard (code with /T), approved by the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology and prepared under the National Technical Committee for Pen Standardization. It was issued on 1 June 2026 and takes effect on 1 December 2026. It replaces QB/T 2778-2015.

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