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Foreword

This document is in accordance with the provisions of GB/T 1.1-2020 "Guidelines for Standardization Work Part 1: Structure and Drafting Rules of Standardization Documents" drafted.

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Introduction

Since the establishment of the certification and accreditation industry standards, the industry standardization work has developed rapidly, which has played an active role in supporting the certification and accreditation work.

With the expansion of the coverage of certification and accreditation industry standards and the increase in the number of research and development, it is urgent to formulate specifications and guide the research and development of certification and accreditation

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industry standards.

Basic standards for development and revision.

This document defines the general terms of the certification and accreditation industry according to the standardization scope of the certification and accreditation industry. Its purpose is to authenticate the consistency of terms in the accreditation industry provides a basis to promote the scientific and standardization of the certification and accreditation work system. The term established in this document is to carry out Certification and accreditation activities provide important reference information.

Some of the terms in this document are concepts that are deemed necessary to define, others are deemed necessary to explain. used to distinguish Many of the generic terms for the concept of conformity assessment have broader uses or meanings in common language. Some also appear in other national standards in the vocabulary, it is given a specific meaning in the relevant application field.

Common terminology of certification and accreditation industry

1 Scope

This document defines terms relevant to the certification and accreditation industry.

The terminology given in this document applies to all standards developed by the certification and accreditation industry and applies to certification, accreditation activities and those associated with them.

staff activities.

This document includes basic terms, terms related to organizations, terms related to accreditation activities, terms related to certification activities, related personnel activities terms, terms related to mutual recognition activities.

2 Normative references

There are no normative references in this document.

3 Basic terminology

Conformity assessment Demonstration that specified requirements (3.7) related to a product (3.11), service (3.12), process (3.10), system, person or organization are met.

NOTE 1 The area of expertise for conformity assessment includes activities defined elsewhere in this document, such as testing (3.16), inspection (3.17) and certification (3.13), as well as Accreditation (3.14) of an assessment body (4.1).

Note 2 to entry. The subject of conformity assessment includes the specific material, product,

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installation, service, process, system, person or institution that is subject to conformity assessment.

[Source. GB/T 27000-2006, 2.1, with modifications] 3.2 conformity assessment activities carried out by the person or organization (4.9) providing the subject of conformity assessment

[Source. GB/T 27000-2006, 2.2] 3.3 conformity assessment activities carried out by persons or organizations (4.9) who have a user interest in the subject of conformity assessment

Note to entry. Examples of persons or organizations (4.9) performing second-party conformity assessment are. the purchaser or user of the product (3.11) seeking to trust the supplier's management system (6.2.1) potential customers, or organisations representing such interests (4.9).

[Source. GB/T 27000-2006, 2.3] 3.4 by persons or groups independent of both the person or organization (4.9) providing the object of conformity assessment and the person or group having a user interest in the object conformity assessment activities carried out by persons or bodies of an organization (4.9).

NOTE: The national standards (see References) applicable to the activities of conformity assessment bodies (4.1) and accreditation bodies (4.5) specify criteria for institutional independence.

[Source. GB/T 27000-2006, 2.4]

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