

From the Ministry of Science, Industry and Technology:

COMMUNIQUÉ ON

TS ISO 3315 ASSEMBLY TOOLS FOR SCREWS AND NUTS – DRIVING PARTS FOR HANDS – OPERATED SQUARE DRIVE SOCKET WRENCHES – DIMENSIONS AND TESTS

(COMMUNIQUÉ NO: MSG – MS – 2017 /)

Purpose

ARTICLE 1 – (1) The purpose of this Communiqué is to identify issues related to the implementation of TS ISO 3315 (August 2015) “Assembly Tools for Screws and Nuts – Driving Parts for Hands – Operated Square Drive Socket Wrenches – Dimensions and Tests” standard.

Scope this standard

ARTICLE 2 – (1) This standard applies to hand-operated square drive socket wrenches enumerated in ISO 1703 6 1 00 04 0, 6 1 00 06 0, 6 1 00 06 1, 6 1 00 09 0, 6 1 00 10 0, 6 1 00 10 1, 6 1 00 01 0, 6 1 00 01 1, 6 1 00 03 0, 6 1 00 05 0 and 6 1 00 05 1 under numbering system.

Note – These identification numbers correspond to 253, 255, 256, 257, 251, 252 and 254 previous (old) identification numbers.

This standard covers,

- a) full dimensions
- b) minimum hardness value for square ends
- c) torque test method
- d) the smallest torsional stiffness value
- e) endurance method of try crickets test
- f) short designation
- g) marking

Legal Basis

ARTICLE 3 – (1) This Communiqué; has been drawn up based on the Decree Law No. 635 on Organisation and Duties of the Ministry of Science, Industry and Technology dated 3/6/2011; Law No. 1705 on the Prevention of Adulteration in Trade and Supervision and Protection of Exports dated 10/6/1930; Law No. 132 establishing Turkish Standards Institution dated 18/11/1960 and Regulation on Mutual Recognition in Non-regulated Areas that was published in the Official Gazette No. 28332 dated 23/6/2012 and put into force with the Decision No. 2012/3169 of the Council of Ministers dated 2/5/2012.

Putting into Effect

ARTICLE 4 – TS ISO 3315 “Assembly Tools for Screws and Nuts – Driving Parts for Hands – Operated Square Drive Socket Wrenches – Dimensions and Tests” was adopted in the meeting of Technical Board of Turkish Standards Institution (TSE) dated 27/8/2015, adapted Turkish standard TS ISO 3315 “Assembly Tools for Screws and Nuts – Driving Parts for Hands – Operated Square Drive Socket Wrenches – Dimensions and Tests” has been put into effect as mandatory in manufacturing and sales stages.

Compliance Obligation

ARTICLE 5 – (1) Those who produce and sell products on the market within the scope of TS ISO 3315 (August 2013) Standard shall be obliged to comply with the provisions of this Communiqué.

Mutual Recognition Clause

ARTICLE 6 – (1) The provisions of this Communiqué on “Assembly Tools for Screws and Nuts – Driving Parts for Hands – Operated Square Drive Socket Wrenches – Dimensions and Tests” shall not apply to the products which were legally produced or put into free circulation in a Member State of the European Union.

(2) Nonetheless, the Ministry of Science, Industry and Technology may submit the product referred to in paragraph (1) to an evaluation following the rules and procedures laid down in Chapter Three of Regulation on Mutual Recognition in Non-Harmonised Area which was put into force by Decision of Council of Ministers No. 2012/3169 of 2/5/2012 and as a result of this evaluation if it finds out that this product does not provide a level of protection equivalent to that sought by this Communiqué on TS ISO 3315 (August 2015) “Assembly Tools for Screws and Nuts – Driving Parts for Hands – Operated Square Drive Socket Wrenches – Dimensions and Tests” it may prohibit placing on the market of the product, make its placing on the market subject to prior conditions or have the product withdrawn or recalled from the market.

Provision

ARTICLE 7 – (1) TS ISO 3315 (August 2015) Standard shall be obtained from the central organization or provincial representative offices of TSE. Contact information can be accessed from the website of the TSE.

Repeal

ARTICLE 8 – (1) Mandatory Standard Communiqué (Communiqué No: ÖSG-2003/88) that was published in the Official Gazette No: 25239 and dated 24/9/2003 has been repealed.

Entry into Force

ARTICLE 9 – (1) This Communiqué shall enter into force six months after its publication.

Enforcement

ARTICLE 10 – (1) The provisions of this Communiqué shall be enforced by the Minister of Science, Industry and Technology.