



*REGULATIONS FOR THE USE OF THE
TRADEMARK ADVANCED CONSULTING
AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL*



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1. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

This document contains the set of rules to be followed by the manufacturer for the correct use of the AC&E trademark after obtaining the certification and authorisation.

This regulation applies to all entities certified by ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL. The manufacturer, hereinafter referred to as the Certified Party, by signing the certification agreement, undertakes to comply with the criteria listed in this document.

The use of the corporate trademark ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL allows the organisation to demonstrate to the market and the community that it has achieved the ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL certification.

2. CRITERIA FOR THE USE OF THE TRADEMARK BY CERTIFIED PARTIES

- 2.1. The use of the ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL certification trademark is granted to certified parties, i.e. those who have completed the certification procedure, in accordance with the criteria set out in this Regulation.
- 2.2. The use of the trademarks refers to the products or management aspects (related only to the products concerned), which are subject to verifications and certifications of conformity carried out and/or issued by ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL.
The exceptions, for which the use of the trademark is possible, must be made explicit in the regulations of ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL or in certain applicable regulations, and will refer to each service or product.
- 2.3. The use of the trademark is limited to the period of validity given in the issued certificate. If the certificate is suspended or withdrawn, the certified party must immediately cease to use the ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL trademark and the certificate itself.
- 2.4. A written authorisation from ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL is required if it is necessary to use the trademark other than as governed by this Regulation, the contract or other applicable laws.
- 2.5. The right to use the ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL. trademark cannot be transferred to third parties.
- 2.6. In the case of the use of the certification trademark on websites, the link to the website of ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL cannot be given.



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- 2.7. It only applies to products manufactured at the verified production site indicated in the valid ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL certificate.
- 2.8. The ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL trademark is supplied on computer media in various formats (e.g. .gif, .jpeg, .tiff, etc.) and cannot be falsified and/or modified in any way (colour proportions and content).

Where can the trademark be placed?

  <p>The trademark is placed on the device or machine subject to ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL certification</p>	<p>-PRODUCTS</p>
  <p>PRODUCT CODE</p> <p>The trademark is placed next to the name and identification code of the product subject to ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING certification</p>	<p>- PRODUCT DATA SHEETS - WEBSITE (PRODUCT-RELATED)</p>



Where is it not allowed to place the trademark?

- Marketing campaigns, newsletters and press releases
- Websites not directly related to the product
- Trade fair stands and showcases
- Business cards
- Corporate gadgets
- Company vehicles
- Within the mails
- Test, calibration or inspection reports or certificates
- Plans, technical reports, drawings drawn up by technical offices
- Company letterhead, stationery, envelopes or other material not referring to the products (only allowed for ISO 3834 and ISO 15085, as the certification refers to the welding process and not to the finished product, in which case the trademark shall be placed next to the company name).
- Documentation used to advertise products.

3. SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION OF THE CERTIFICATION

- 3.1. The trademark may only be used by the certified party during the period of validity of the certification issued by ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL
- 3.2. The trademark must be used as provided and may not be modified or counterfeited in any way.
- 3.3. The certified party whose certification of a specific product has been suspended shall immediately suspend the use of the ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL trademark, including the media and documents on which it has been affixed, for the duration of the suspension period.
- 3.4. The certified party is authorised to dispose of the devices or machines manufactured before the suspension or revocation on which the ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL mark has been put, while stocks last.



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4. SANCTIONS

- 4.1. ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL is entitled to carry out verification actions in order to check the correct use of the trademark, whether in this Regulation, in the contract, or in any other applicable regulation.
- 4.2. ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL is entitled, in order to carry out the aforementioned verifications, to request the necessary documentation from the certified party including catalogues, packaging, letterheads, etc.
- 4.3. The refusal, by the certified party, to submit the documentation requested to verify the correct use of the trademark will result, in accordance with article 1291 of the Spanish Civil Code, in the termination of the contract by ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL.
- 4.4. In the event that the certified parties violate the rules of this Regulation, ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL will apply the following measures:
 - a) Written warning with request for corrective action in relation to breaches of the Regulation;
 - b) In the event that the certified party fails to adopt any corrective measure regarding the non-compliance, or in the event of persistence in the breach, ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL shall adopt as a measure the suspension of the certification, being the period of suspension proportional to the seriousness of the non-compliance;
 - c) If the non-compliance continues beyond the end of the suspension period, ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL will apply as a measure the withdrawal of the certification.
- 4.5. In case of infringement of the rules for the use of the trademark set out in this Regulation, in the contract or in any other applicable regulation, the certified party shall be liable for the infringement with a penalty starting from 30,000 Euros and directly correlated to the *damage* caused to the image. In the event of further infringements, ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL shall be entitled to claim further compensation for the infringement of the rules of use of the trademark.
- 4.6. ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL is entitled to carry out verification actions in order to verify the correct use of the trademark as per these Regulations, in the contract or in any other applicable regulation.



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This Regulation is in force as of the date of subscription.

The party benefiting from ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL certification declares to have read and accepted the terms and conditions of these regulations and undertakes to comply with the commitments made regarding the use of the ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL trademark.

The applicant for ADVANCED CONSULTING AND ENGINEERING IBERIA SL certification for an appliance or machine must sign the following standards.

Name..... Last name.....

Position.....

Name of the company.....

Date:

Place.....

Read and accepted

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Signature