



Decree 43/2017/ND-CP on the Labeling of Goods

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Decree

On Goods Labeling

Pursuant to the Law on Organization of the Government dated June 19, 2015;

Pursuant to the Law on Products and Goods Quality dated November 21, 2007;

Pursuant to the Law on Commerce dated June 14, 2005;

Pursuant to the Law on Protection of Consumer Rights dated November 30, 2010;

Upon the proposal of the Minister of Science and Technology;

The Government issues a decree on goods labeling.

Chapter I

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 1. Scope of regulation

1. This decree regulates the content and method of labeling, and state management of labels for goods circulated in Vietnam and imported goods.

2. The following goods shall not be subject to the scope of this decree:

a) Real estate;

- b) Temporary imported goods for re-export, goods temporarily imported for participation in fairs and exhibitions and subsequently re-exported, transit goods, goods involved in merchanting trade transactions and transshipment goods;
- c) Luggage of persons entering or leaving the country, personal belongings;
- d) Goods confiscated for auction;
- dd) Goods being fresh, raw food, processed food without packaging and sold directly to consumers;
- e) Goods being fuel, raw materials (agricultural, aquatic, mineral), building materials (bricks, tiles, lime, sand, stone, cement, fertile soil, mortar, commercial concrete mix), scrap (in production and business) without packaging and sold directly to consumers;
- g) Goods being petroleum, gas (LPG, CNG, LNG) in bulk without commercial packaging stored in containers, tanks;
- h) Used goods;
- i) Export goods without domestic use;
- k) Goods in the fields of security, national defense; goods being radioactive substances; goods to be used in emergency situations to solve problems of natural disasters, epidemics; railway, waterway, and airway vehicles.

Article 2. Regulated entities

This decree applies to organizations and individuals engaged in the production and trade of goods in Vietnam, organizations and individuals engaged in the import of goods, state agencies, and related organizations and individuals.

Article 3. Interpretation of Terminology

In this decree, the following terms are defined as follows:



Free



Free trial



Standard



Corporate



Special

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