



# GUIDELINES FOR TRANSITION

## FROM ISO 22000:2005 TO ISO 22000:2018



### **General:**

*ISO 22000:2005 has been revised and the updated version ISO 22000:2018 has been published by ISO in June 2018. The transition period have been decided as three years from the date of publication of the revised standard. Accordingly, all certificates issued under ISO 22000:2005 will not be valid after June 29, 2021. Even the expiry date of certification to ISO 22000:2005 issued during the transition period shall be the end of the transition period i.e. June 29, 2021.*

*Certified organizations using ISO 22000:2005 are recommended to take the following actions:*

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- I. *Identify the organisational gaps which needs to be addressed to meet new requirements*
- II. *Develop an implementation plan*
- III. *Provide appropriate training and awareness for all parties that have an impact on the effectiveness of the organisation*
- IV. *update the existing quality management system to meet the revised requirements and provide verification of the effectiveness.*

*KBS will implement the transition in the phased manner as under: -*

***For New Applicants:***

*KBS will not accept any new applications as per ISO 22000:2005 from 29-June-2020. All applications thereafter will be accepted only as per ISO 22000:2018.*

*The validity of the certificates granted to organisations as per ISO 22000:2005 may be increased to make the certificate valid for a full three years after ascertaining the conformity to ISO 22000:2018*

***For Existing Certified Organizations:***

*KBS will undertake all audits including surveillance or recertification only as per ISO 22000:2005 from 29-June-2020. **The assessment will require additional audit time of half man-day.** KBS will charge for the additional time and proposal will be sent in advance for client approval. The existing certificates of clients who don't agree with the proposal will lapse on June 29, 2021.*



*Any non-compliance with the new requirements will be treated as 'Observations' only until June 29, 2020. The observations pending or raised on or after June 29, 2020 will be treated as Non-conformity without impacting the certification status of the client for ISO 22000:2005. The nonconformities pending on June 29, 2021 may affect the certification status of the organisation depending upon the severity and may lead to cancellation of the certification granted. The certificates of organisations who fail to complete the transition by June 29, 2021 will be treated as invalid however the certificate may be reinstated after ensuring the compliance with ISO 22000:2018.*

*The certification to ISO 22000:2018 will be made only after KBS ensure that all identified outstanding findings/ nonconformities have been appropriately addressed and the effectiveness of the management system demonstrated.*

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