



DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

No. 07
Series of 2008

Subject: Mandatory Philippine National Standards for Equal Leg Angle Bars

1. In accordance with the provisions of R.A. No. 4109, R.A. No. 7394, Executive Order No. 913, Series of 1983, DAO No. 02, Series of 2007, DAO No. 1, Series of 1997, DAO No. 5, Series of 2001, and Sec 10 (4), Title X, Book IV, of the Administrative Code of 1987, the following Philippine National Standard is hereby adopted for mandatory implementation:

PNS 657:2008 – Hot-Rolled Steel Sections - Equal Leg Angles Specification

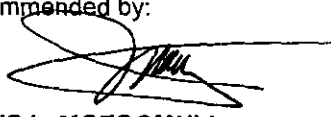
2. All manufacturers, distributors, importers and retailers of said product shall comply with the requirements of this standard.
3. A third party certification, known as the Product Certification Scheme of the DTI - Bureau of Product Standards (BPS), requires all manufacturers and importers of said product to secure a Philippine Standard (PS) License and an Import Commodity Clearance (ICC), respectively, prior to its distribution and sale.
4. The DTI-BPS shall promulgate implementing guidelines specifying implementing timetables, taking into consideration present inventory levels, production capabilities of industries, and testing capabilities of BPS and other testing institutions.
5. The implementation of this standard shall be done in proper coordination with the DTI Regional and Provincial Offices and the DTI - Bureau of Trade Regulation and Consumer Protection (BTRCP).
6. All manufacturers, distributors, importers and retailers found not complying with these requirements shall be penalized in accordance with the provision for liabilities and penalties under RA 7394, EO 913 and DAO 02:2007.
7. All other orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Administrative Order are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.
8. This Order shall take effect fifteen (15) days after publication in two newspapers of general circulation or in the Official Gazette.

Accordingly, all parties concerned are hereby informed that copies of said standards and implementing guidelines may be secured from the BPS Information Services.

APPROVED: 24 March 2008


PETER B. FAVILA
Secretary ✓

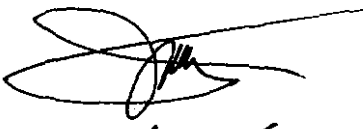
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MEMORANDUM

To : ALL DTI REGIONAL DIRECTORS

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Date : 24 March 2008

Subject : **Publication of DAO 3:2008, DAO 4:2008 and DAO 5:2008
in 2 Newspapers of General Circulation**

Please be informed that the following Department Administrative Orders were approved last February 7, 2008 and published in 2 newspapers of general circulation. Details of publication are as follows:

DAO No.	Title	Date of Publication	Newspaper/s
DAO 3:2008	Rules and Regulations concerning the Safety of Low Voltage Equipment	March 10, 2008	Manila Standard Today & The Manila Times
		March 11, 2008*	The Manila Times
DAO 4:2008	The new Rules and Regulations concerning the Philippine Standard (PS) Quality and/or Safety Certification Mark Scheme of the Bureau of Product Standards (BPS)	March 10, 2008	Manila Standard Today & The Manila Times
		March 11, 2008*	The Manila Times
DAO 5:2008	The new Rules and Regulations concerning the Issuance of the Import Commodity Clearance under the Product Certification Mark Scheme of the Bureau of Product Standards (BPS)	March 10, 2008	Manila Standard Today & The Manila Times
		March 11, 2008*	The Manila Times

Attached are copies of the said newspapers.

Thank you.

Note: * Republished March 11, 2008 due to deletion of the words "Bureau of Product Standards" in the layout of DAO 3:2008.

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