



Use of ACI Certification Mark with IAS Accreditation Mark (Guideline)

1. Introduction

IAS is a nonprofit, public-benefit corporation that has been providing accreditation services since 1975. IAS accredits a wide range of companies and organizations including governmental entities, commercial businesses, and professional associations. IAS accreditation programs are based on recognized national and international standards that ensure domestic and/or global acceptance of its accreditations. Currently, ACI is authorized to use the IAS Accreditation Mark (“IAS Mark”) on its ISO 22000:2018 (FSMS), ISO 37001:2016 (ABMS), ISO 41001:2018 (FMS), ISO 55001:2014 (AMS), ISO 27001:2022 (ISMS) and ISO 20000-1:2018 (ITMS) certificates. The certified organization (“the Company”) holding an accredited ACI certificate bearing IAS Accreditation Mark can use the ACI Certification Mark together with the IAS Accreditation Mark on stationery, literature and advertisements. The IAS Accreditation Mark shall not be used independently by certified organizations.

2. Use of ACI Certification Mark with IAS Accreditation Mark

When a certified organization uses ACI Certification Mark with IAS Accreditation Mark, the Company shall comply with the following:

- To include its own name or logo;
- The certification mark shall not be disproportionately represented with reference to the actual accreditation mark, and shall be positioned in a manner that ensures the relationship between the accreditation mark and the certification mark is obvious;
- Where ACI Mark is to be displayed on materials printed using full colour, the mark must be printed in the colours as below:



ISO 22000:2018
Certificate No: XXXX



ISO 27001:2022
Certificate No: XXXX



ISO 20000-1:2018
Certificate No: XXXX



ISO 37001:2016
Certificate No: XXXX



ISO 41001:2018
Certificate No: XXXX



ISO 55001:2014
Certificate No: XXXX

d) The certification number assigned to the organization under the accredited certification scheme shall be placed immediately underneath the IAS Accreditation Mark and ACI Certification Mark as illustrated below.



ISO 22000:2018

Certificate No: FXXX



ISO 27001:2022

Certificate No:ISXXX



ISO 20000-1:2018

Certificate No:ITXXX



ISO 37001:2016

Certificate No:ABXXX



ISO 41001:2018

Certificate No:FMXXX



ISO 55001:2014

Certificate No:AMXXX



e) Where the combined mark is used, the Certification Mark and Accreditation Mark may also be printed in any single colour, preferably in white, black, red or blue. Examples are illustrated as below:



ISO 22000:2018

Certificate No: FXXX



ISO 27001:2022

Certificate No:ISXXX



ISO 20000-1:2018

Certificate No:ITXXX



ISO 37001:2016

Certificate No:ABXXX



ISO 41001:2018

Certificate No:FMXXX



ISO 55001:2014

Certificate No:AMXXX



The combined mark may be reproduced based on the master versions. A smaller size is acceptable if the mark is to be displayed on an item having a small size, e.g. name cards. Irrespective of its size, the features of the mark, the identification code and the registration number shall be clearly discernible. Where the IAS Accreditation Mark is to be displayed on materials printed using full colour.



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The Company may use the combined mark on letterhead paper, stationery, literature, publicity materials or advertisement in respect of those certified activities as stated on the ACI accredited certificate. The IAS Accreditation Mark shall not be displayed on company's products or packaging of the products or associated documentation or certificates such as calibration certificates and test reports, or in any way that may be interpreted as denoting product conformity. The Company shall not use the IAS Accreditation Mark as to bring IAS into disrepute, and shall not make any statement relevant to IAS accreditation that is reasonably considered misleading.

3. Misuse of ACI Certification Mark with IAS Accreditation Mark

Any incorrect use of ACI Certification Mark with IAS Accreditation Mark may result in suspension or withdrawal of accredited certification. In such case, the Certified Company shall immediately cease use and distribution of any stationery, literature, advertisements and documents bearing the combined mark.

Remark: For other design details of the ACI Certification Mark and IAS Accreditation Mark, please refer to the logo ACI delivered to every certified client. For enquiries, please contact ACI at 3977 8938 or enquiry@aci-limited.com.