

## New HKCA Specifications for Type-Approval of Radio Equipment in Hong Kong

Four new HKCA specifications have been adopted for type-approval of radio equipment under the Hong Kong Telecom Equipment Evaluation and Certification (HKTEC) Scheme, which is operated by the Office of the Communications Authority (OFCA). Suppliers or manufacturers of equipment falling into the scope of these specifications are required to ensure that their equipment meets the prescribed technical requirements, whether or not type-approval is a prerequisite for it to be used or marketed in Hong Kong. Get the details of each specification in the links below.

HKCA	Title	Type-approval
1074	<a href="#">Performance Specification for Radiocommunications Apparatus operating in the 60 GHz Band</a>	Voluntary
1075	<a href="#">Performance Specification for Short-Range Radar Equipment operating in the 79 GHz Band</a>	Voluntary
1076	<a href="#">Performance Specification for Digital Multipoint Radio Equipment System Operating in the 2.3 GHz Band</a>	Compulsory
1077	<a href="#">Performance Specification for Mobile Communications Onboard Aircraft System</a>	Compulsory

In addition, OFCA has announced with immediate effect that an IEC 62133\* test report issued by an ISO 17025-accredited testing agency must be submitted as a supporting document for IEC/EN 60950-1 (Information Technology Equipment – Safety) test report evaluation, if the equipment is integrated with rechargeable battery.

\*IEC 62133: Secondary (rechargeable) cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes - Safety requirements for portable sealed secondary cells, and for batteries made from them, for use in portable applications.

**STC (Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre) has been authorized as a Local Certification Body (LCB) under section 32E(g) of the Telecommunications Ordinance for the provision of telecommunications equipment testing and certification services prescribed by the Communications Authority, as represented by OFCA of Hong Kong Special Administrative Region. HK001 is assigned to STC as its LCB code to be used as prefix to the certificate number (see label sample on the right).**



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