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MEXICO REGULATORY CHANGES

OVERVIEW

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Effective July 1, 2026, smartphones (HS code: 8517.13.01), other mobile phones (8517.14.91), and other telephones (8517.18.99) are subject to Mexican Official Standards (NOMs) and must comply with all applicable NOM requirements prior to import into Mexico.

- The NOMs will be required regardless of value or nature of the transaction (applies to both B2B and B2C transactions).
- Low value shipments of these commodities will still be eligible for the simplified clearance (T1) processing but must comply with the applicable NOMs. The NOMs are a combination of labelling and certifications.

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN FOR YOU?

- If you are shipping or importing smartphones, other mobile phones, or other telephones into Mexico, you will need to ensure the importer has the following NOMs based on type of device and HS code PRIOR to arrival:

HS Code	Description	Mexican Official Standards (NOMs)	Compliance Type
8517.13.01	Smartphones	NOM-001-SCFI-2018 Electronic equipment (Safety requirements and test methods)	Certificate
		NOM-024-SCFI-2013 Chapter 5 – Commercial Information	Labelling
		NOM-208-SCFI-2016 Radio communication systems specifications and test methods	Certificate
		NOM-221-SCFI-2017 Mobile terminal equipment for connection to telecommunications networks	Certificate
8517.14.91	Other mobile phone	NOM-001-SCFI-2018 Electronic equipment (Safety requirements and test methods)	Certificate
		NOM-024-SCFI-2013 Chapter 5 – Commercial Information	Labelling
		NOM-196-SCFI-2016 Products and terminal equipment that connect or interconnect through a wired access point to a public telecom network	Certificate
8517.18.99	Other telephones	NOM-001-SCFI-2018 Electronic equipment (Safety requirements and test methods)	Certificate
		NOM-024-SCFI-2013 Chapter 5 – Commercial Information	Labelling
		NOM-196-SCFI-2016 Products and terminal equipment that connect or interconnect through a wired access point to a public telecom network	Certificate

IMPORTANT



While the Importer is responsible for the NOM compliance, we strongly recommend close coordination between the shipper and the receiver/importer prior to shipping to Mexico to prevent delays.

- Receiver/importers should understand which requirements apply to their products
- Shipper should provide required documentation and specifications to the importer prior to shipping
- Ensure all NOMs are provided to the shipper prior to shipment creation/export

HOW CAN YOU AVOID DELAYS?

- **Shippers (from Rest of World to MEXICO) shall:**
- ✓ Coordinate with the receivers to ensure compliance with the NOMs.
 - ✓ Be prepared to provide complete and accurate information and documentation is provided prior to export.
 - ✓ Ensure all required NOM requirements have been fully validated with the receiver/IOR before shipping the goods.

NOTE:

Additional information on NOMs can be found here:
[Certification at the request of the Official Mexican Standards under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Economy \(SE-04-005\) | Ministry of Economy | Government | gob.mx](#)

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