

## **The Ghana Standards Board [GSB]**

The GSB is the national statutory body responsible for the management of the nation's quality infrastructure involving metrology, standards, testing, quality management and conformity assessment such as certification. GSB is the regulatory authority which controls and approves products within its jurisdiction, exercises the legal right to control the use or sale of products and takes enforcement actions to ensure that products marketed within its jurisdiction comply with legal requirements.

The Ghana Standards Board was established by the Standards Decree, NRCD 173, 1973 with the following aims:

- To establish and promulgate standards with the object to ensuring high quality of goods produced in Ghana either for the local or export markets.
- To promote standardisation in industry and commerce.
- To promote industrial efficiency and development.
- To promote standards in public health and industrial welfare, health and safety

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