

- Designating Authority means a body with power to designate, monitor, suspend designation or withdraw designation of Conformity Assessment Bodies under its jurisdiction,
- Designation means the authorization by a Designating Authority of a Conformity Assessment Body to perform conformity assessment activities,
- Regulatory Authority means a government agency or other entity, that exercises a legal right to control the use or sale of products within a Party's jurisdiction, and may take enforcement action to ensure that products marketed within its jurisdiction comply with legal requirements.

In the event of an inconsistency between ISO/IEC Guide 2 and definitions in this Agreement or its Annexes, the definitions in this Agreement shall prevail.

ARTICLE II

GENERAL OBLIGATIONS

1. The Sectoral Annexes to this Framework Agreement constitute integral parts of this Agreement.