

Revision to the Order for Enforcement of the Act on the Securing of Safety, the Optimization of Transaction of Liquefied Petroleum Gas and the Ministerial Order on Technical Requirements for Liquefied Petroleum Gas Products Concerning the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry.

1. Name of the technical regulation / conformity assessment procedure

- Order for Enforcement of the Act on the Securing of Safety, the Optimization of Transaction of Liquefied Petroleum Gas
- Ministerial Order on Technical Requirements for Liquefied Petroleum Gas Products Concerning the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry

2. Detailed objective and rationale

• Product incidents caused by portable liquefied petroleum gas burners have occurred frequently in recent years. By stipulating portable liquefied petroleum gas burners as "liquefied petroleum gas appliances, etc." and "specified liquefied petroleum gas appliances, etc." under the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Act, it is necessary to ensure compliance with technical standards for portable liquefied petroleum gas burners and to ensure reliable safety measures for overseas operators. Therefore, it is necessary to require conformity assessment by registered inspection bodies and prevent the sale of products that do not meet technical standards to strengthen safety measures and ensure consumer safety.

3. Outline of the Revision

• Portable liquefied petroleum gas burners are specified "liquefied petroleum gas appliances, etc." and "specified liquefied petroleum gas appliances, etc." and required to comply with the technical regulations.

4. Proposed date of publication

December 2024

The amended Act will enter into force around February 2025.

The transitional period will be until February 2026.