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Call for Tender for Test Laboratories: Professional refrigerated storage cabinets and household refrigerators

Tender Questions List

Date of publication of advanced notice of up-coming tender: 14 March 2018

Estimated date for publication of tender: April/May 2018

Summary of questions received and answers provided:

Ref.	Submission Date	Question subject	Question	Answer
1	15 March 2018	Accreditation	<i>Is EN 17025 accreditation essential for this tender response?</i>	Results of this testing may be used by authorities in legal action for enforcement and so authorities must be able to justify full confidence in results. The preferred route to achieve that is using accredited labs. This is also more cost-effective for authorities, who must otherwise find other ways to validate results. A non-accredited lab must demonstrate equivalent benefits to accreditation and minimal additional validation work for authorities.
2	15 March 2018	Number of tests	<i>Approximately how many cabinets/appliances might be tested and how long will the testing period be?</i>	PROSAFE foresees the appointment of several labs for testing of around 30 professional refrigerated storage cabinets and around 70 household refrigerators and freezers, to be tested in batches between November 2018 and July 2019. These numbers and dates may change.