

Product Qualification Operations Bulletin

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10 years lifetime extension for products qualified by GlobalPlatform for GSMA programs

1.1 About this bulletin

The Product Qualification Operations Bulletin aims to present the GlobalPlatform Product Qualification Process changes and updates.

When an effective date is mentioned for a change, the change must be implemented as of that date; Changes for which no effective date is specified in the article are effective immediately.

1.2 Summary

Article Summary:	The following official Bulletin is announcing the Qualification lifetime extension to 10 years of products qualified by GlobalPlatform for GSMA programs
Туре:	Operation Requirement Update
Effective Date:	Applicable immediately
Applicability:	Concerned configurations listed below

1.3 Concerned Configurations

At GSMA's request, the qualification lifetime of products based on GSMA specifications will be extended to 10 years.

To date, the test suites concerned are:

- eUICC M2M and
- eUICC Consumer.

Note that no renewal of the qualification will be granted to these products.



1.4 Impact on Laboratories

As per the GlobalPlatform Product Qualification Process, Laboratories are requested to retain Test Reports, Test Logs, and Samples for three (3) years following the expiration date of the Letter of Qualification.

Exceptionally for GSMA qualification, all items mentioned above are not required to be kept following expiration date.

1.5 For more information please contact the Compliance Secretariat: <u>*gpcompliance@globalplatform.org*</u>