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Government of India  
Ministry of Steel**

**Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi  
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**ORDER**

With the abolition of classification in Steel Producers in India vide notification No. 8(1)/2015-TD (Vol. IV) dated 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2016 no steel producer is to be classified/certified as 'Integrated Steel Producers', 'Primary Steel Producers', Secondary Steel Producers', Main Producers, 'Major Producers' or 'Others' by Ministry of Steel. However, Ministry of Steel has issued Quality Control Orders on 30 non-alloy steel and 3 stainless steel products which cannot be produced, sold, stored for sale, distributed and imported, without certification by Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) and without Standard Mark of BIS.

2. Major Infrastructure Ministries/Departments, like Railways, Defence, Shipping, RTH, UD, Power, Mines etc. while calling for tender /etc. may like to bring these facts to the notice of their major PSUs also.

  
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