

TPD Notification Guidance

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I.Apply for a submitter ID

- (1). Visit the <u>EU-CEG website</u>, you will see the detail step to apply the submitter <u>ID</u>, see figure 1
- (2). Browse the theme "How to apply for a submitter ID"
- (3). Download the registration form.
- (4). Complete and submit the registration form, send e-mail to EU



I.Apply for a submitter ID

On the EU website, you will find the detail information:

How to apply for a Submitter ID

In order to submit information via the EU-CEG, submitters are required to apply for a Submitter ID, to be generated by the Commission. This Submitter ID should be used for all subsequent submissions and in all subsequent correspondence relating to submissions.

Only manufactures and/or importers are required to obtain a Submitter ID in order to submit product data through the EU-CEG.

No Submitter ID is needed for third parties (e.g. enterers, consultancies, etc.) who intend to submit product data on behalf of a manufacturer/importer.

Even in cases where a third party has been appointed to apply for a Submitter ID on behalf of a manufacturer/importer, he/she is required to fill in the application form using the company details of that manufacturer/importer only.

Note: a Submitter ID does not provide access to any further data or information in the EU-CEG.

In order to apply for a Submitter ID, please follow the following steps:

- if not already done, create an ECAS account: https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/cas (mandatory for submitters who intend to use the standalone application),
- 2. download the registration form (143 KB),
- 3. read carefully the instructions contained in the registration form,
- 4. complete the registration form,
- 5. submit the registration form.

Figure1



II.XML Creator Tool download

(1) Scroll down to the blue 'browse the theme' table and click 'technical documents'

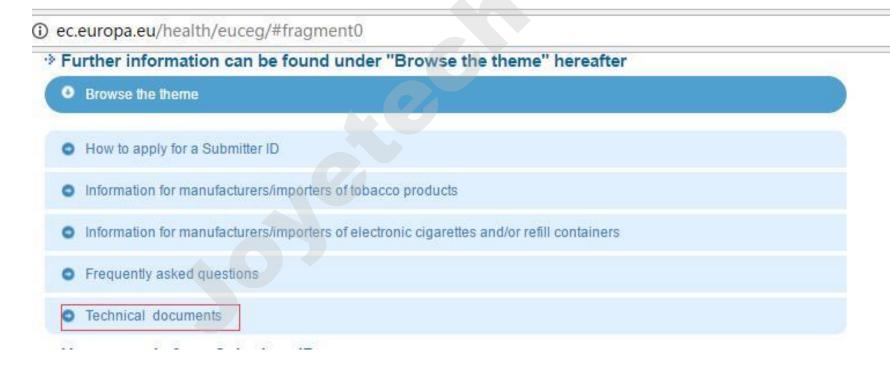


Figure2



II.XML Creator Tool Download

(2)At the bottom of the page, click the link that says <u>'For electronic cigarette and refill container stakeholders'</u>.





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(3). You have now accessed the CIRCABC. Click 'latest version of technical documents'.

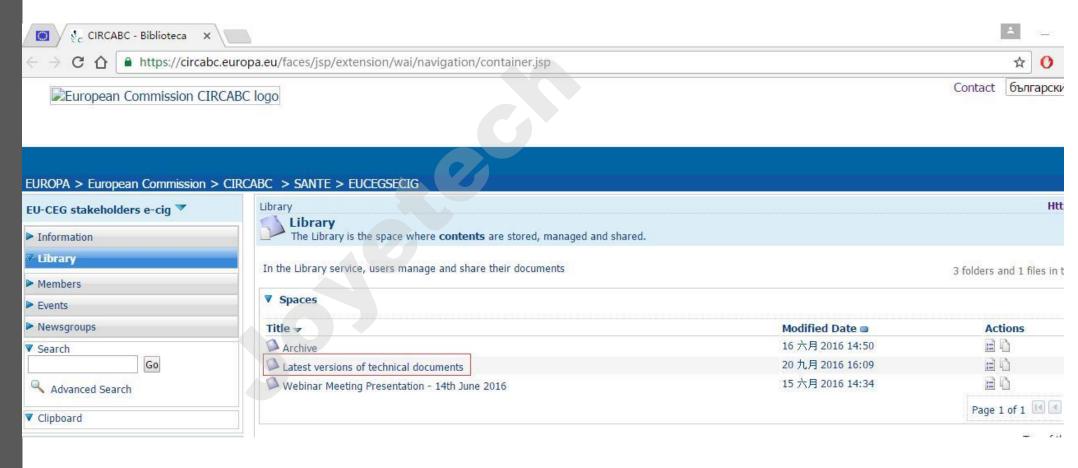


Figure4



II.XML Creator Tool Download

(4)Click 'XML Submission through web interface'







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- (5). On this page you will find:
- •The ETRUSTEX tutorial.pdf, which contains all the necessary information regarding how to submit your XML through the web interface;
- EUCEG_GUI_USER to decrypt the messages received by the EUCEG system.
- How to install the XML creator tool procedure (procedure to install the TDP XML creator tool.pdf)



Figure6



II.XML Creator Tool Download screen capture

(6). Dowload all of them and install the XML creator tool following the document "procedure to install the TPD XML creator tool".

★ Please note that you must install the latest version of Java



III. Create a submission with the XML creator

(1)Open the XML Creator Tool, you will find the following page:

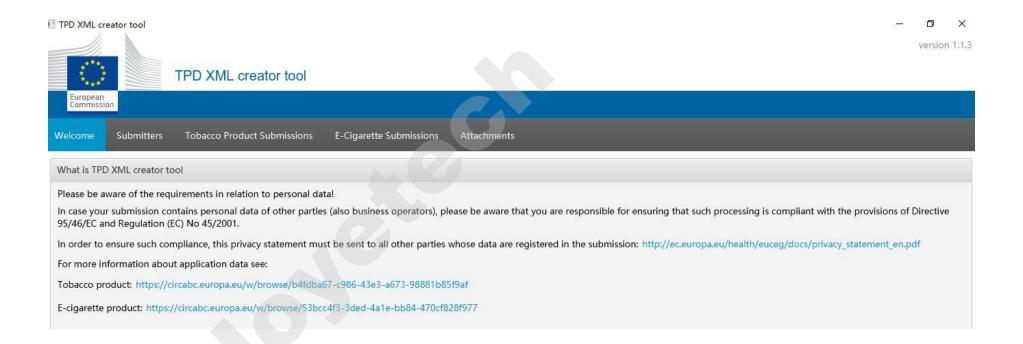


Figure7



III. Create a submission with the XML creator

(2)Creat Submitter files

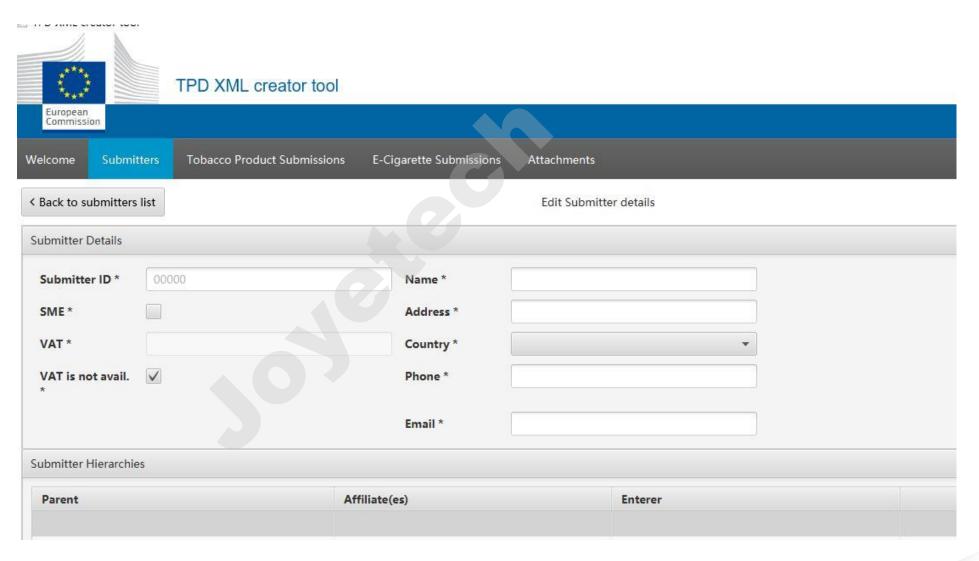


Figure8



III. Create a submission with the XML creator

(3) Creat e-Cigarette submissions files step by step

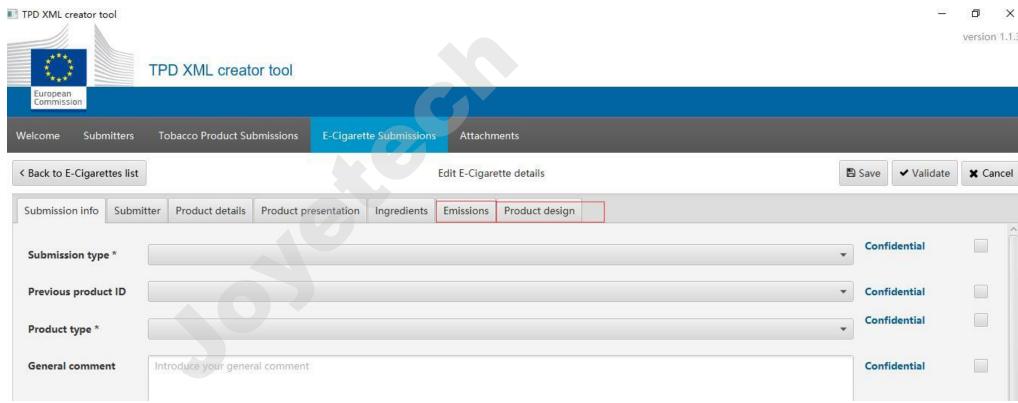


Figure9

(4)The final button attachments, you should upload the files as: emission test reports ,the description of product process file ,the description of opening and refill file , nicotine dosing/uptake method file



IV. Create a ECAS account

- 1. Visit the **ECAS** account website.
- 2.Click the "External"
- 3. Click "Create a account" and complete the creation.



V.XML Submission through web interface

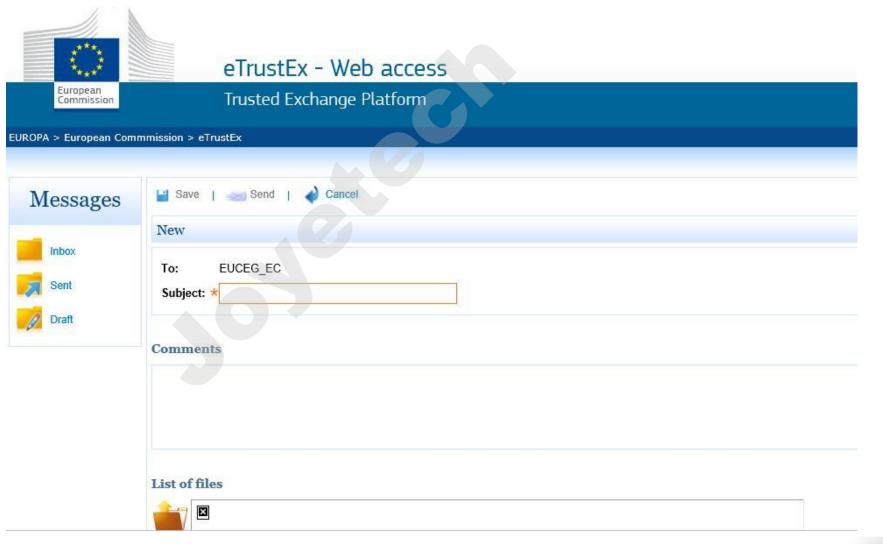


Figure 10



V.XML Submission through web interface

(1).Click on the "New" link. A page allowing you to send the XML document will be displayed: you may have to wait a few seconds to load the java applet.





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(2).Click on the "Add files" or "Add folders", select the files to upload and click on the "save" button, the documents will be uploaded.



Figure 13

(3). "Send" directly, a window is displayed asking for the signature. Click on "No". EU-CEG will send a response after validation.



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(4).Click on the "inbox" button, chose directory to download the responses from EU-CEG. A window "certificate file for decryption" display and ask for the keystore location and key password. The keystore location is where you locate the document "EUCEG-GUI-USER.p12", the keystore password is test123.

(5). When the responses download, read it and you will see whether you successfully submit the notification.

(6). For more detail, see the **ETRUSTEX** tutorial download before.

The End