

Cosmetics Manufacturer Compliance Verification Checklist

A working checklist for buyers verifying a Turkish cosmetics and personal-care manufacturer across the four destination markets Hana Solution supports — EU, USA, MENA, and the Balkans. Companion to the Insight “Turkish Cosmetics Manufacturer FDA Registration: What US Buyers Must Verify Before Commercial Commitment.” Not a substitute for confirming current requirements directly with the relevant authority.

UNIVERSAL — CONFIRM FOR ANY DESTINATION MARKET

Entity classification confirmed

The contracting legal entity is confirmed as the actual manufacturer, not a trading intermediary presenting catalogue or facility imagery that belongs to a different producer.

ISO 22716 (or equivalent GMP) certificate scope matched

Certificate confirmed against the specific production facility and product category — not a raw-material or ingredient-supplier certificate presented as finished-product GMP.

Destination-market labelling requirements confirmed

INCI ingredient format, language, net content, and manufacturer/Responsible Person details confirmed for the specific destination country — requirements are not interchangeable between markets.

Country of Origin documentation confirmed

Certificate of Origin or EUR.1 (Turkey–EU customs union, where applicable) confirmed as available for customs clearance before shipment.

MARKET-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS — COMPARISON MATRIX

	EU	USA	MENA	Balkans
Product notification / listing before market placement	●	●	■	■
Facility-level registration with national/federal authority	—	●	—	—
Accountable party (Responsible Person) designated	●	●	■	■
Formal safety dossier (PIF / safety substantiation)	●	●	■	■
Ingredient-level restricted-substance screening	●	●	■	■
Halal cosmetics certification (recognised body)	—	—	●	■
Certificate of Free Sale from Turkish authorities	■	■	●	■
Gulf/regional market registration (e.g. GSO)	—	—	●	—
US Agent appointed (foreign facility requirement)	—	●	—	—
Biennial facility-registration renewal tracked	—	●	—	—

● Required ■ Verify applicability for the specific product/destination country — Not applicable

QUICK NOTES BY MARKET

EU

Responsible Person must be EU-established. CPNP notification, Product Information File, and a Safety Assessment Report by a qualified assessor are required before market placement — not after.

USA (MoCRA)

Facility registration (Form FDA 5066) and product listing (Form FDA 5067) are separate filings, often held by different parties. Registration renews every two years on a per-facility anniversary date, not a fixed calendar date.

MENA

Halal certification body recognition and GSO/Gulf requirements vary by destination country — a Turkish halal certificate is not automatically valid across all MENA and Gulf markets.

Balkans

EU Cosmetics Regulation alignment generally applies in EU-candidate and associated markets, but label language and market-specific registration requirements vary by country and should be confirmed individually.

This checklist does not constitute regulatory, customs, or legal advice, and does not substitute for direct confirmation with the relevant authority (EU Responsible Person / competent authority, FDA, GSO or destination Gulf/MENA authority, or the relevant Balkans market authority) for a specific facility, product, or shipment. Requirements reflect publicly available guidance as of July 14, 2026, and are subject to change — always confirm current status before commercial commitment. Last reviewed: July 14, 2026.

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