

RECOGNITION OF EU/EEA HALLMARKS

Following a ruling by the European Court of Justice, the UK is required to accept other national hallmarks where the CCM is not present. Under the guidelines of the British Hallmarking Council, those countries with national hallmarks deemed equivalent to UK hallmarks are listed in the table below (July 2014):

| Country | Convention (CCM) | National Hallmark | Assay Office Mark |
|----------------|------------------|---------------------------|---|
| Austria | Yes | No | |
| Cyprus | Yes | Yes | |
| Czech Republic | Yes | No | |
| Denmark | Yes | Yes | |
| Estonia | No | Yes |  |
| Finland | Yes | Yes | |
| France | No | No |  |
| Hungary | Yes | No | |
| Ireland | Yes | Yes | |
| Israel | Yes | No | |
| Latvia | Yes | Yes | |
| Lithuania | Yes | Yes | |
| Netherlands | Yes | Yes | |
| Norway | Yes | No | |
| Malta | Yes | No | |
| Poland | Yes | No | |
| Portugal | Yes | Yes | |
| Slovakia | Yes | No | |
| Slovenia | Yes | No | |
| Spain | No | Yes (A1, V1, M1, C1, C2)* | |
| Sweden | Yes | No | |
| Switzerland | Yes | Yes | |
| United Kingdom | Yes | Yes | |

* Andalucía, Valencia, Madrid and Catalonia.