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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Data Security European Oversight

ZCS Azzurro's commitment within the new European framework for connected energy.

EUROPEAN MANAGEMENT

Dedicated European servers

DIRECT CONTROL

Proprietary infrastructure

CLOSE TO OUR PARTNERS

Technical support and service

Background

Recent news about restrictions on EU funding for projects using inverters from suppliers considered high-risk calls for some clarification. **These measures concern access to EU funds for the projects involved and do not constitute a general ban on sale or installation.** Eligibility depends on the programme conditions, the supplier and the proposed solution.

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ZCS Azzurro is a brand of the Italian company Zucchetti Centro Sistemi. While relying on an international supply chain for hardware production, ZCS Azzurro keeps its strategic activities, digital development and customer service in Italy and Europe. Its management and monitoring system runs on dedicated European servers and a proprietary infrastructure directly operated by ZCS.

This model underpins ZCS Azzurro's commitment to cybersecurity: protecting information and overseeing plant management. Close attention to communication between devices, remote access and updates, backed by constant monitoring and ongoing support, guides the evolution of Azzurro solutions.

The European framework strengthens the security of connected products and the reliability of supply chains. ZCS Azzurro aims to support partners and customers with clear information and technical assistance, distinguishing the requirements already in force from future provisions.

EU framework and ZCS oversight

The exact requirements that will apply from 1 November 2026 for the disbursement of EU funds in the programmes concerned are not yet clear. The table below sets out the current EU requirements and those still being defined, together with the measures ZCS has implemented to meet existing obligations and to prepare for future ones.

REGULATION	WHAT IT REQUIRES	ZCS AZZURRO: EVIDENCE AND COMPLIANCE
EU funds PROGRAMMES CONCERNED	Restrictions on the use of EU funds for projects with inverters from high-risk suppliers. They concern eligibility for the programmes involved, not a general ban on sales.	Compliant. ZCS directly manages its own infrastructure on European servers. ZCS has no shareholdings or financial investments from public or private entities of the People's Republic of China.
NZIA AUCTIONS CONCERNED	Reg. 2024/1735 and 2025/1176: supply-chain resilience and cybersecurity in the auctions concerned from 30.12.2025. Operational control within the EEA (European Economic Area); where applicable, data kept in the EEA with no transfers outside it.	Compliant. Compliance with NZIA requirements is ensured in three ways: • Direct management by ZCS and European servers support the security safeguards. • Availability of products made in the EU. • ZCS has no shareholdings or financial investments from public or private entities of the People's Republic of China
GDPR APPLIED	Reg. 2016/679, Arts. 5, 25, 32, 44-49: privacy, security, retention and transfer of personal data. Applicable since 25.05.2018.	Compliant. ZCS has adopted the applicable privacy, data protection and retention requirements. Management on proprietary infrastructure and European servers supports these safeguards.
RED APPLIES FOR CE MARKING	Dir. 2014/53/EU and Reg. 2022/30: cyber requirements for the relevant radio equipment, from 01.08.2025.	Compliant. For the radio products concerned, ZCS ensures compliance with the requirements in force for CE purposes, with an EU declaration of conformity and technical documentation for all available modules.
CRA APPLIES FOR CE MARKING FROM 11.12.2027	Reg. 2024/2847: security, updates and support. Mandatory reporting from 11.09.2026; general requirements from 11.12.2027.	Compliant. Obligations due by September 2026 have been met; the updates to be implemented by December 2027 are under development.
NIS2 IN FORCE - PHASED IMPLEMENTATION	Dir. 2022/2555, Arts. 20-23: risk analysis, supply-chain control, and incident analysis and reporting.	Compliant. All requirements applicable to ZCS have been adopted and implemented. All future deadlines relating to risk, supply chain and incidents are monitored and managed by dedicated staff within the ZCS IT team.
Cybersecurity Act IN FORCE - NEW PROPOSALS UNDER WAY	Reg. 2019/881: certification, normally voluntary.	Compliant. ZCS directly manages its own infrastructure.
IEC/EN 62443 IN FORCE	Series covering secure development, components and industrial systems.	Voluntary certification. ZCS considers itself already compliant with the principles of the standard and is evaluating whether to start the certification process.