



Escalator and moving walkway inspection

Safety on every level – For efficient, cost-effective operation

If you operate escalators or moving walkways, you need to be able to guarantee the safe use of the systems at all times. The Occupational Safety Regulations (BetrSichV) therefore demands inspections before the first use, as well as periodic testing. As a committed, professional partner, DEKRA supports you in meeting your legal obligations efficiently and safely. At the same time, this means greater system availability and contributes greatly to a flawless, cost-efficient building operation.

This is what BetrSichV stands for

As with machines of all kinds, escalators and moving walkways harbor technical risks for the users. Items of clothing or even limbs may get caught in defective steps or handrails. Speeds which vary or which are too high, as well as abrupt stopping can lead to falls.

As an employer (system operator), you need to prevent these risks, and other risks, effectively. The Occupational Safety Regulations (BetrSichV) stipulates that all systems should be subjected to an inspection before the first use, as well as periodic testing during operation. You can determine which test periods your system must comply with using the risk assessment, which is also stipulated.

DEKRA can support you in this process from the very beginning, support you in areas relating to safety, and carry out all the necessary inspections for you. Our experts are highly competent people with extensive experience when it comes to monitoring escalators and moving walkways, and they are happy to help you.

What DEKRA offers

We are there for you and your systems, whenever you need us. We can offer advice and support. This comprehensive expertise is your advantage:

- ▶ Tailor-made services relating to the safety of escalators and moving walkways
- ▶ Coordination and implementation of inspections in accordance with the Occupational Safety Regulations (BetrSichV)
- ▶ No impairment to your working processes, as the inspections are implemented outside of operation in times of low use
- ▶ Awarding of the DEKRA test badge
- ▶ Safe fulfilment of all statutory regulations
- ▶ High cost-effectiveness thanks to the reduction of failures and downtimes
- ▶ Reduction of your liability risk

As a neutral partner DEKRA offers you comprehensive support: practically, simply, and permanently. And always with a view to your goals.



Well supported in every phase

It doesn't matter whether your system is already in operation or not, DEKRA is the right partner for you, either way. Our experts offer you the support you require at any time.

Planning

- ▶ Support with putting together the risk assessment



Inspection before the first use

- ▶ Support with the risk assessment and determining the necessary inspection periods
- ▶ Carrying out the inspection before the first use according to BetrSichV



System modification

- ▶ Determining planning risks in advance
- ▶ Carrying out the inspection after modifications or repair work according to BetrSichV



Operation

- ▶ Carrying out the periodic tests in accordance with BetrSichV
- ▶ Testing and schedule management
- ▶ Accident and damage investigations
- ▶ Inspections according to DGUV V3

Our experience

Everyone is talking about safety. We are doing something about it. Regardless of whether it is for information, measuring, testing, or advice: We are not far away from you. Or do you know any other safety service provider who is there for you all over Germany with such a comprehensive, standardized range of services and consistent quality?

Get an idea for yourself of our range of services or contact us directly.

We look forward to talking to you.

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Other services you benefit from

DEKRA also offers you professional testing, consultancy, and certification services in many related areas, including:

- ▶ Lift inspections and optimization
- ▶ Inspections of doors and gates
- ▶ Inspections of lifting work platforms
- ▶ Electrical technical inspections
- ▶ Building services
- ▶ Fire protection
- ▶ Energy efficiency and thermal imaging
- ▶ Building and room acoustics

and much more.

