

Cool Up Regulatory Overview: Lebanon

Cool Up's policy and regulatory analysis identifies recommendations to support the development, uptake, and mainstreaming of sustainable cooling options.

Regulatory highlights

KIGALI



Kigali Amendment ratified

The government of Lebanon approved joining the Kigali Amendment on 29 March 2019 under law 119/2019 and ratified the Kigali Amendment on 5 February 2020.

National cooling plan implemented

Lebanon developed a national cooling plan that was published in May 2021 under the title of "Guidance for integrating efficient cooling in national policies in Lebanon."



Energy Conservation Law in place

On 5 May 2022, the Council of Ministers approved the Energy Conservation Law and transferred it to the parliament for discussion and adoption.



Regulatory recommendations

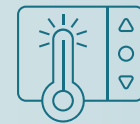
F-gas regulation

Cool Up will support Lebanon to draft national legislation on F-gases, this will be based on experience from the EU and other Cool Up countries.



MEPS and building codes

Cool Up will support developing directives for minimum energy performance standards (MEPS) and building codes. MEPS for equipment and updates on the Lebanese building code will be developed as a part of the enforcement of the energy conservation law.



National certification scheme for RAC technicians

Cool Up will support training programmes to meet minimum requirements to address F-gas emission reductions, leakage control, documentation, and safe handling of alternative refrigerants.

