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National foreword

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This third edition of MS ISO 15189 cancels and replaces MS ISO 15189:2014, *Medical laboratories - Requirements for quality and competence*.

This document is identical with ISO 15189:2022, *Medical laboratories – Requirements for quality and competence*, published by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO). However, for the purpose of this document, the following apply:

- a) in the source text, “this International Standard” should read “this Malaysian Standard”;
- b) the comma which is used as decimal sign (if any), to read as a point;
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<u>Referenced International Standards</u>	<u>Corresponding Malaysian Standards</u>
ISO/IEC 17025:2017, <i>General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories</i>	MS ISO/IEC 17025:2017, <i>General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories</i>
ISO 9000:2015, <i>Quality management systems - Fundamentals and vocabulary</i>	MS ISO 9000:2015, <i>Quality management systems - Fundamentals and vocabulary</i>
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ISO 15190, <i>Medical laboratories - Requirements for safety</i>	MS ISO 15190, <i>Medical laboratories - Requirements for safety</i>
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