**INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION SYSTEM FOR CERTIFICATION TO STANDARDS RELATING TO EQUIPMENT FOR USE IN EXPLOSIVE ATMOSPHERES (IECEx SYSTEM)**

**Title: Draft Decision Sheets withdrawn since 2018 Cannes ExTAG Meeting**

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This document is issued to ExTAG for noting during the 2019 ExTAG Dubai Meeting.

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| **ExTAG/456B/CD** | Draft ExTAG Decision Sheet – Temperature rise of the conductor bar for terminals in Level of Protection “eb” according to IEC 60079-7  | First discussed in Washington and then during the 2018 ExTAG Cannes Meeting.The originator, LCIE, FR, asks to please withdraw this proposal as there was no consensus during discussions about the content/extent and that it should go through WG1 to be included in an OD. After further discussions in France, the members no longer wish to further explore this way. We ask to withdraw the proposal. |
| **ExTAG/500/CD** | Draft ExTAG Decision Sheet – CoCs for Ex Equipment against performance standards | Decision 2018/31 Cannes 2018 Members considered the draft Decision Sheet circulated as ExTAG/500/CD and supported by ExTAG/530/CC during the ExTAG Cannes Meeting and then agreed to refer this matter to the ExMC and that the Decision Sheet not to proceed to publication at this time.The originator of the Draft DS was FM Approvals. |
| **ExTAG/531/CD****ExTAG/531A/CD** | Draft Revised ExTAG Decision Sheet re-non-closely coupled single packaged opto-isolators | First discussed during the 2018 ExTAG Cannes Meeting.After comment received on ExTAG/531/CD a revised document ExTAG/531A/CD was circulated 2019-04-11. Given the comments received on this revised version and contained in ExTAG/577/CC. The originator, MSTC, AU, has asked that the Draft DS be withdrawn.  |
| **ExTAG/534/CD** | Draft ExTAG Decision Sheet ExTAG/534/CD -Measurement of Pressure of several intercommunicating compartments in Ex d products. | 190813 From originator CQST.ExTAG/534/CD. We agree to withdraw this Draft DS since it seems to be causing misunderstanding and responses given in the table. ExTAG/586/CC |
| **ExTAG/535A/CD** | Revised Draft ExTAG Decision Sheet ExTAG/535/CD - Undercut of internal metric threads in Ex d enclosure. | 190813 From the originator CQST-We agree to give this issue to TC31 working group. ExTAG/587/CC |
| **ExTAG/562/CD** | Draft ExTAG Decision Sheet ExTAG/562/CD - Applicability of electrostatic charge requirements to headlamp straps   | 190827 From originator UL. After reviewing comments from ExTAG, we agree to withdraw the proposed DS.  ExTAG members pointed out various constructions and uses of such equipment, not originally considered when the DS was being drafted.  It is clear that each type of equipment and its intended use should be considered on a case-by-case basis.  We will also bring these comments to MT 60079-0 for further consideration.   |