# Interactions between the Consultants & Technical Committees/Working Groups

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### When can assessments be requested?

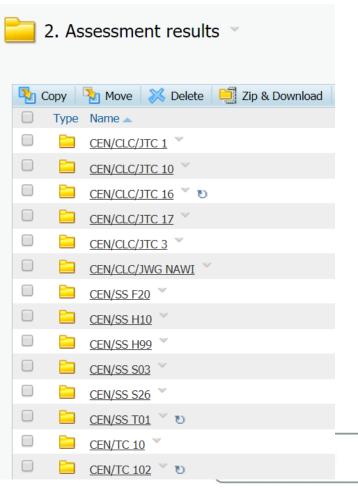
- at First Working Draft (FWD) stage →optional –
   at TC request only
- ▶ at Enquiry (ENQ) stage → always (no TC request necessary)
- ▶ at Formal Vote (FV) stage → always (no TC request necessary)
- ▶ on documents that have already been voted upon (PUB) → exceptional – if agreed between TC, CCMC and HAS Contractor (E&Y)

✓ Duration: in principle, 5 weeks after notification to HAS Contractor (E&Y)

### Processing a request for a HAS assessment

Requests for assessments – can be made only by CEN and CENELEC Management Centre

- ► Delivered by HAS Contractor (E&Y) on the dedicated 'HAS Platform' on Livelink :
  - access by TC Secretaries;
  - TC Secretaries provide assessments to TC and WG



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# What are the conditions for EY/HAS Consultants to accept a request

Assessment Reports are provided to standards at the following stages – only when formally requested by ESOs

First Working Draft (FWD)	Enquiry (ENQ)	Formal Vote (FV)	Exceptionally in 2 situations	Publication (PUB)	
One full Assessment	One full Assessment	One full Assessment	1. The outcome at FV is Lack of Compliance or Partial Compliance	Using the simplified template	
			2. The standard is assessed for the first time	One full Assessment	



- One Assessment Report per stage can be issued
- No intermediary assessments are issued
- > A completed Assessment Report cannot be modified
- Should the TC have substantial technical disagreements, substantiated with explanations regarding the specific comments from the consultant's assessment report that the TC disagrees with and the reasons for the disagreement => Challenge the assessment



#### Assessment outcome

- ✓ 'Compliant' the publication of the references in the OJEU is normally possible without any specific notice;
- ✓ 'Lack of compliance' the publication in the OJEU is likely not possible before the document is revised

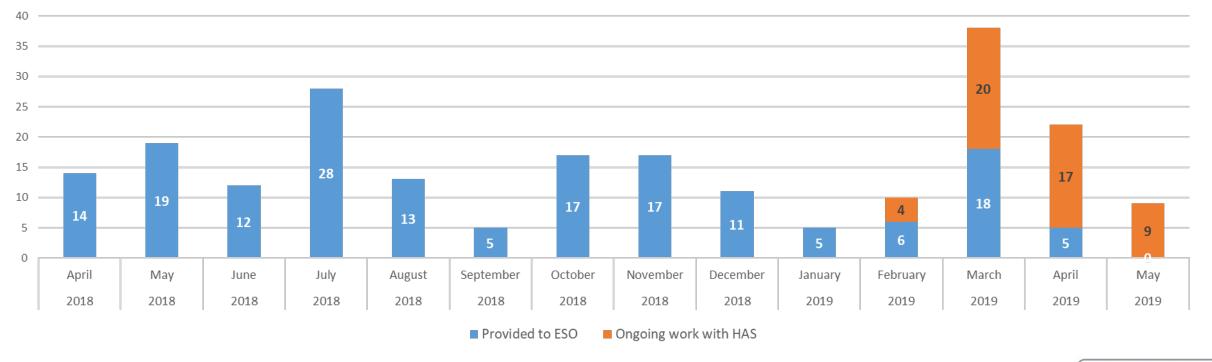
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#### EY accepted 220 MD requests:

- 170 have been delivered to CCMC and
- 50 are work in progress by HAS

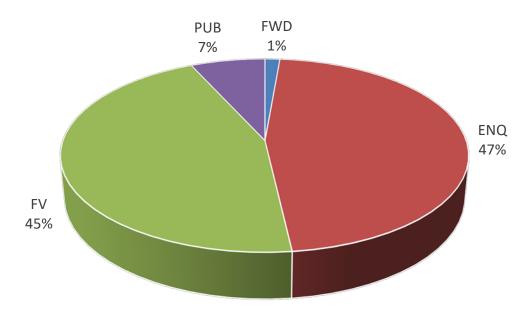
Number of Assessment Reports provided to ESO vs Number of Assessment Reports that are ongoing with the HAS Consultants



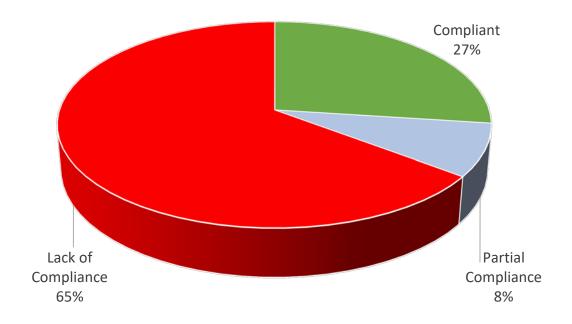


# Most of the requests for an assessment are for standards at Enquiry and Formal Vote stage

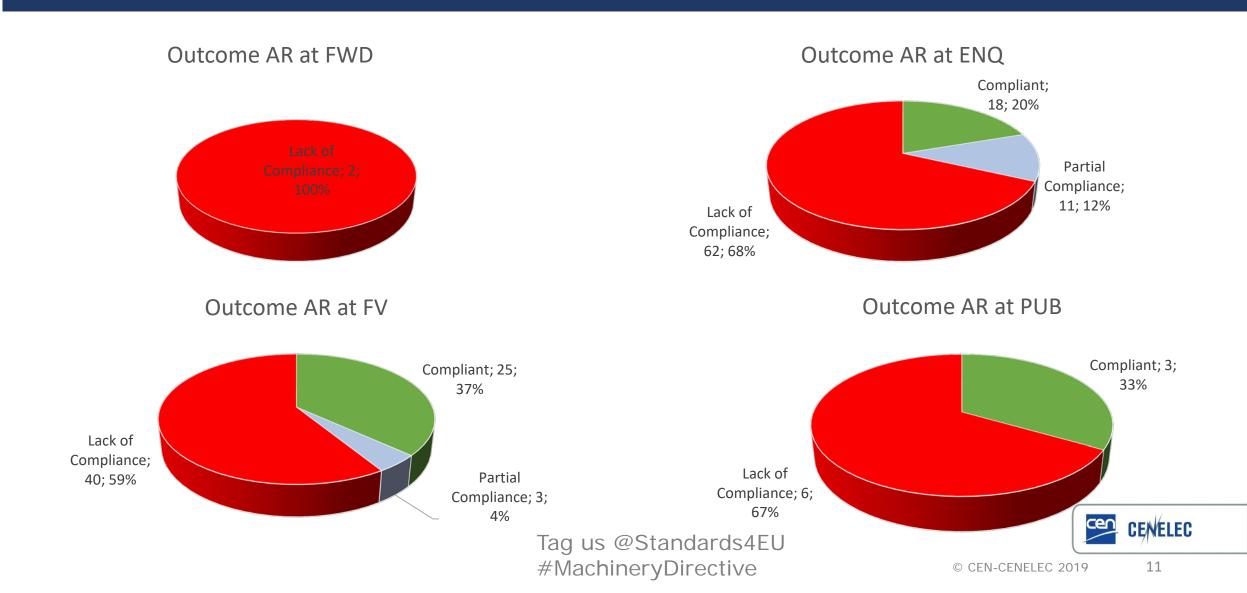




#### **Outcome Assessment Report**



#### The outcome of the assessment report - per stage



# Recommendation to ask for assessment of the First Working Draft

- Early involvement of a HAS Consultant is key
- So, a TC is encouraged to ask for assessments of First Working Draft (FWD)
- Request should be indicated by TC Secretary in the transmission notice which accompanies a FWD when it is provided to CCMC:
  - via the dedicated platform E-trans in CEN
  - via e-mail at <u>production@cencenelec.eu</u> in CENELEC

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## Main rules for exchanges HAS Consultants - TC/WG

- Clarifications of punctual aspects from assessments to be sought via emails, calls between the WG / project leader and the Consultant
- No pre-assessments or indicative assessments
- ► The Consultant should be available to explain to the TC the reasons for non-compliance and the nature of the changes that the ESO needs to make in order to ensure compliance

### How does it happen in practice?



- TC believes some clarifications on the standard would be beneficial for the assessment by HAS
- HAS Consultant has questions about the standard under assessment





It is encouraged to establish contacts and exchanges views at early stage (not only when the Assessment Report was finalized)







HAS and TC have exchanges, coordinate, clarify misunderstandings





HAS issues the Assessment Report





HAS can participate to meetings/have calls/e-mail to explain the assessment report, the comments, etc.



### When EY approval is necessary?

No prior EY approval for the WG / project leader exchanges with HAS Consultant provided that:

- is less than 4 hours and
- is linked to a HAS assessment or a NAC assessment => aims at providing clarifications to help HAS perform the assessment

Prior EY approval for HAS Consultants' attendance to meetings:

- longer than 4 hours
- where HAS explanation of assessment is needed
- to be made by TC Secretary via a dedicated application:

http://www.ey.com/be/HASmeetingrequests

Virtual attendance to meetings and exchanges via e-mail/phone are encouraged



### Consultants in charge of machinery

NAC/NEW -	Appelative 🔻	Name 🚅	First Name	Sector 1
New	Mr.	Bonanno	Antonio	Machinery
New	Mr.	Bonatre	Guillaume	Machinery
Nac	Mr.	Borzelli	Emilio	Machinery
Nac	Mr.	Chielens	Koen	Machinery
New	Mr.	Cotman*	John	Machinery
Nac	Mr.	Fraser	lan	Machinery
Nac	Mr.	Hoyland	Anthony	Machinery
Nac	Mr.	Jacques	Jean	Machinery
Nac	Mr.	Kurtz	Patrick	Machinery
New	Ms.	Sneigiene	Raimonda	Machinery
Nac	Mr.	Van Eeden	Michiel	Machinery

The previous Consultants continue, however, the allocation per TC might not be so rigid as before (e.g. situations of high workload).

# What information is needed to request a meeting via the dedicated application?

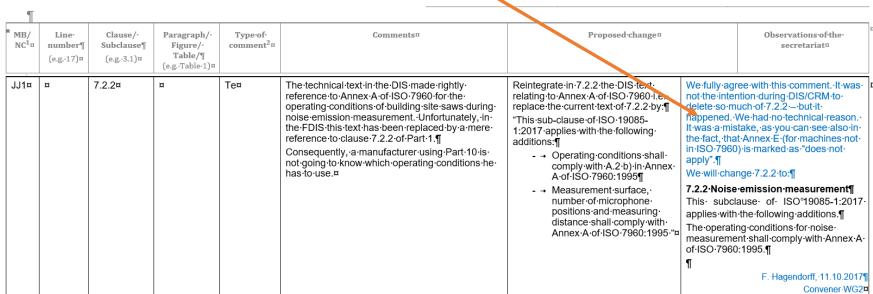
Requests via the dedicated application, preferably 4 weeks in advance

- Project leader to provide to TC Secretary information on:
  - Scope of the meeting
  - Short agenda
  - Concerned WIs
  - Date to be previously agreed between the project leader / Working Group and the Consultant

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### Exchanges in case of negative assessments at Formal Vote (1)

- As usual -> see the slide no 16
- ► CEN/WG leadership / project leader provides information on how Consultant's comments have been addressed to CEN/TC Secretary -> last column of the assessment form



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# Exchanges in case of negative assessments at Formal Vote (2)

- ► TC Secretary informs CCMC Project Manager how the assessment was solved
- ► 4 weeks to decide if assessment is challenged TC Secretary to inform CCMC Project Manager
- Final way forward is agreed between CEN/TC and WG leadership, CCMC and ISO (for EN ISO projects)

! Deadlines for solving the negative assessments

# Negative assessments at Formal Vote homegrown\* standards

Homegrown – assessments prior to Formal Vote

Negative assessment -> suspension of Formal Vote

- for 12 weeks max
- to resolve any issues and timely inform CCMC on the proposed way forward
- inform/consult BT regarding the way forward:
  - ▶ introduction of changes to achieve harmonization or
  - publication of a non-harmonized standard
- \* Homegrown standards = purely CEN standards



#### **CCMC Webinars**



- Dedicated webinars on the new HAS Consultants framework are available on the CEN-CENELEC website -> link here:
- https://www.cencenelec.eu/aboutus/ourservices/Training/webinars1010/Pages/ 2018.aspx

Dedicated HAS consultant framework webinars (6 & 13 June 2018)

- > CEN implementation:
- > Download the PowerPoint presentation of the CEN implementation of the HAS consultant framework (pdf format)
- > View the video recording of the CEN implementation of the HAS consultant framework (pdf format)
- > CENELEC implementation:
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Check there for information on interactions with standards development process and target dates for addressing negative assessments

### Key learning points

- Requests for assessments are made by CCMC
- One HAS assessment report per stage
- ► Clarifications of assessments carried out directly between project leader and HAS Consultant are encouraged (short exchanges)
- Dedicated <u>application</u> for requesting HAS participation in meeting (by TC Secretary)
- Role of the TC Secretary in coordinating the matters relating to HAS assessments
- Use assessments at First Working Draft stage!

### Questions?

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### QUESTIONS & ANSWERS



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