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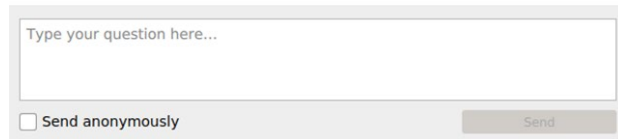
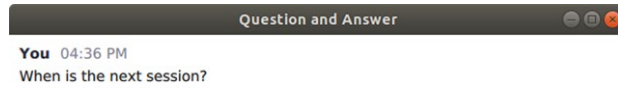
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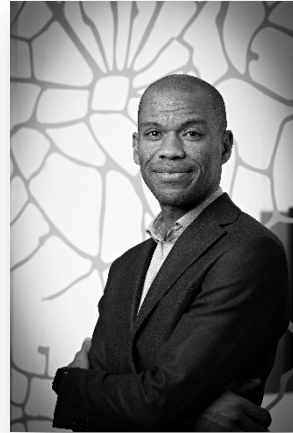


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Agenda

1. Introduction
2. Why
3. What
4. How
5. Key take aways

- CCMC: CEN and CENELEC Management Center
- CD: Committee Draft
- EC: European Commission
- EN: European Standard
- HAS: Harmonized Standard
- hEN: Harmonized European Standard
- FV: Formal Vote
- NSB/NC: National Standardization Body (CEN)/National Committee (CENELEC)
- OJ/OJEU: Official Journal / Official Journal of the European Union
- PM: Project Manager
- QC: Quality Check
- SRAHG: Standardization Request Ad-Hoc Group
- SREQ: Standardization Request
- TB: Technical Body
- TBO: Technical Body Officer
- TC: Technical Committee
- WD: Working Draft
- WG: Working Group
- WI/NWI: Work Item / New Work Item

Introduction

New process applies to:

- ▶ any candidate harmonized standards for citation in the OJEU and subject to the EC consultants' assessment that are developed in parallel with ISO and IEC, regardless of the lead,
- ▶ all projects under parallel development reaching the CD stage at ISO and IEC level as of 2024-03-01

Why

Why new process

- ▶ Improve timely delivery for parallel ISO/IEC Harmonized standards
- ▶ Avoid blocked draft standards before PUB
- ▶ Minimize interference with international projects timeframe

What

Main principles

1. Early awareness of candidate harmonized standards at ISO/IEC
2. At the start of the CD consultation (if any), ISO and IEC secretariats circulate the Committee Draft (CD) to CCMC.
3. CCMC quality check on European elements, if certain conditions are met
4. **Mandatory** CD/working draft assessment, if CD takes place at ISO and IEC under the condition that European elements are available
5. EC consultants' assessment report officially transmitted to international TCs at all stages

→ New process impacts **only** CD stage

Main principles: QC on EU elements

ISO

To avoid disturbing the ISO process, some conditions must be met to perform CCMC quality check on European elements:

1. European elements **not** included in ISO CD,
2. CD consultation above 8 weeks,
3. European elements provided by CEN/TC

Quality check on European elements will be performed **only** if all conditions are full field.

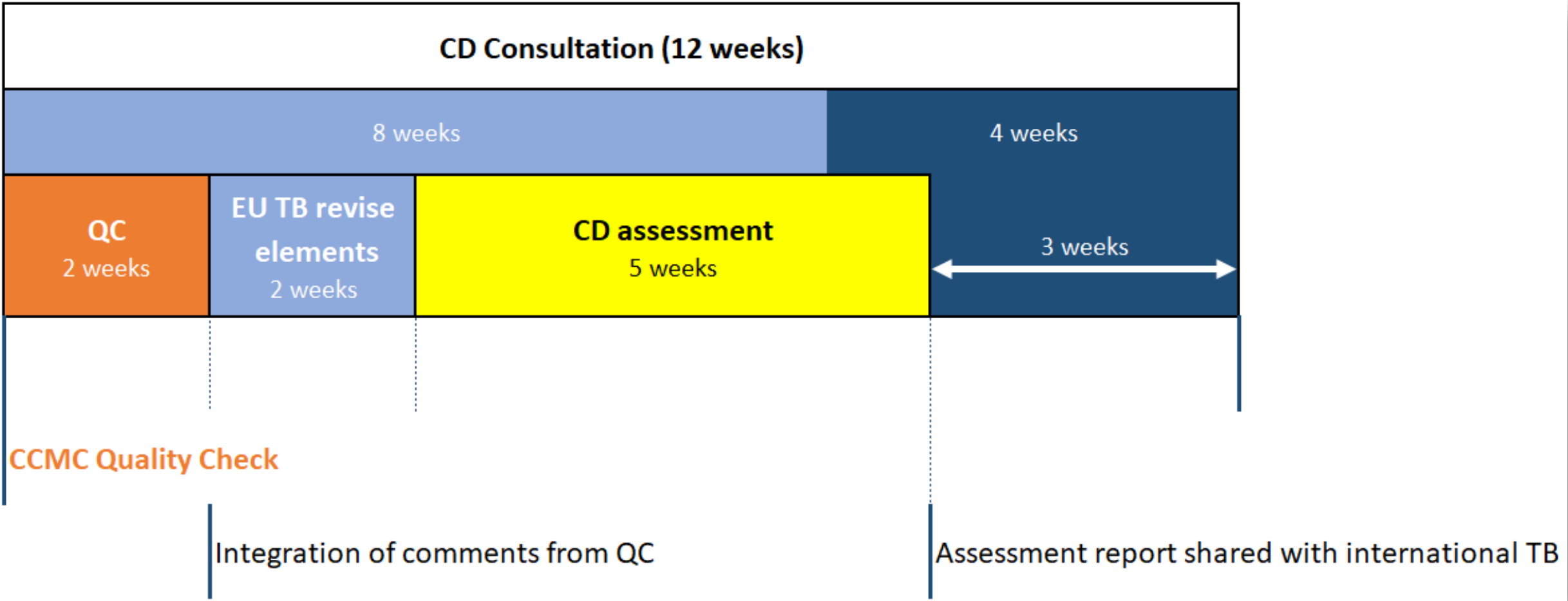
IEC

Conditions for CCMC quality check on European elements:

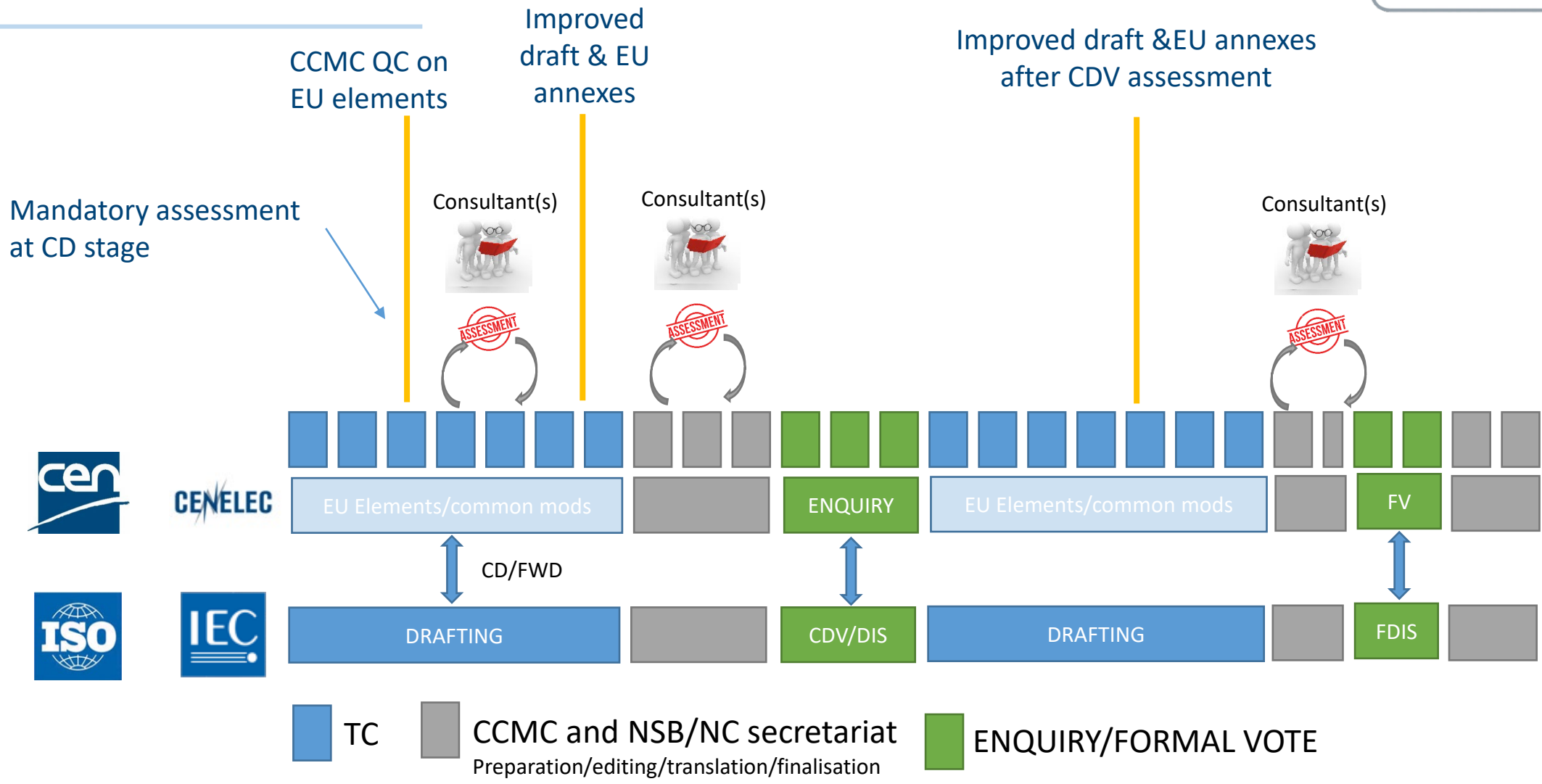
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Main principles: CD consultation



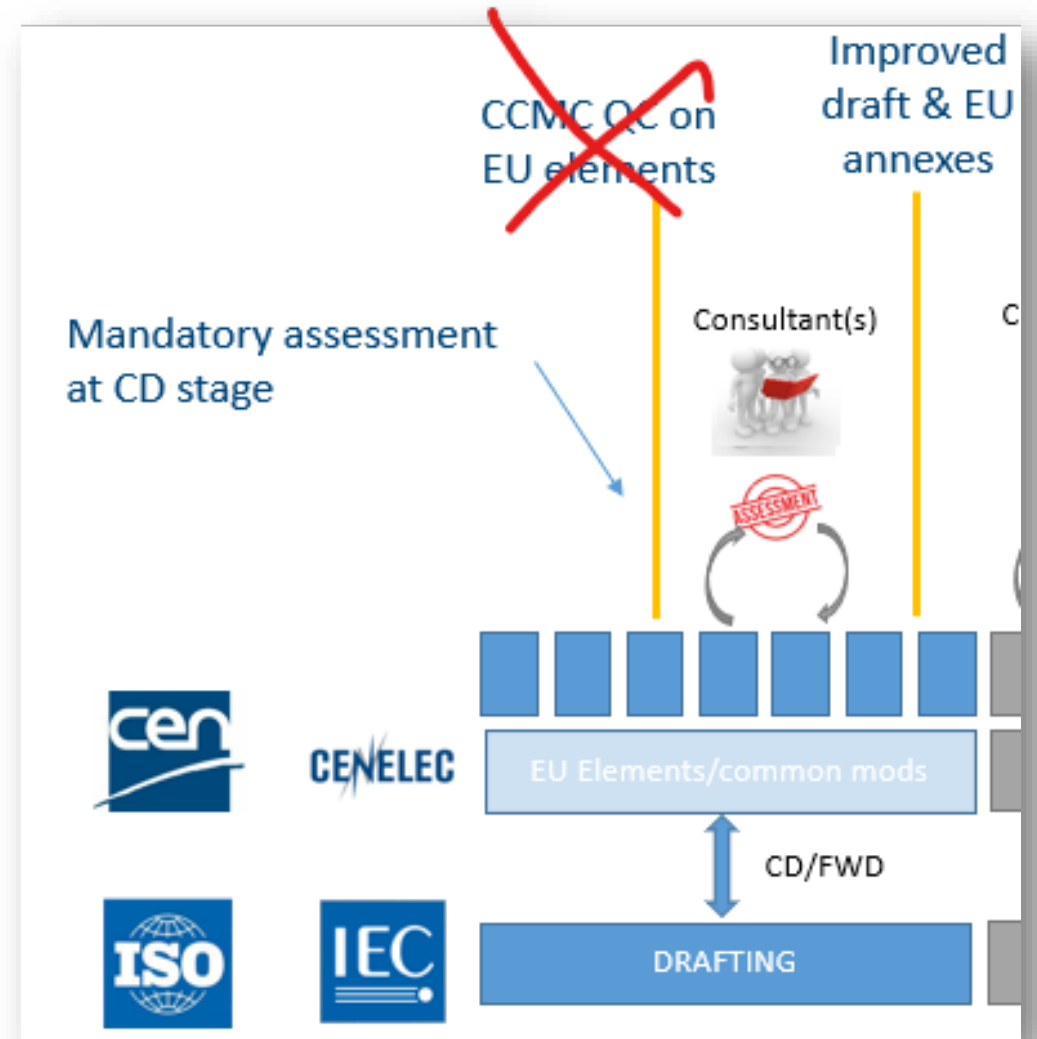
Development process under the parallel work



How: ISO parallel

How: operational aspects for ISO

- ▶ When the CD ballot is launched at ISO, ISO CS informs CCMC (through production)
- ▶ CCMC Production to verify if Annex ZA is included in ISO CD (and inform HSC and CCMC PM)
- ▶ If Annex ZA is **included** in the ISO text
 - ▶ HAS assessment to be requested at WD (**no quality check, to not impact ISO process**)

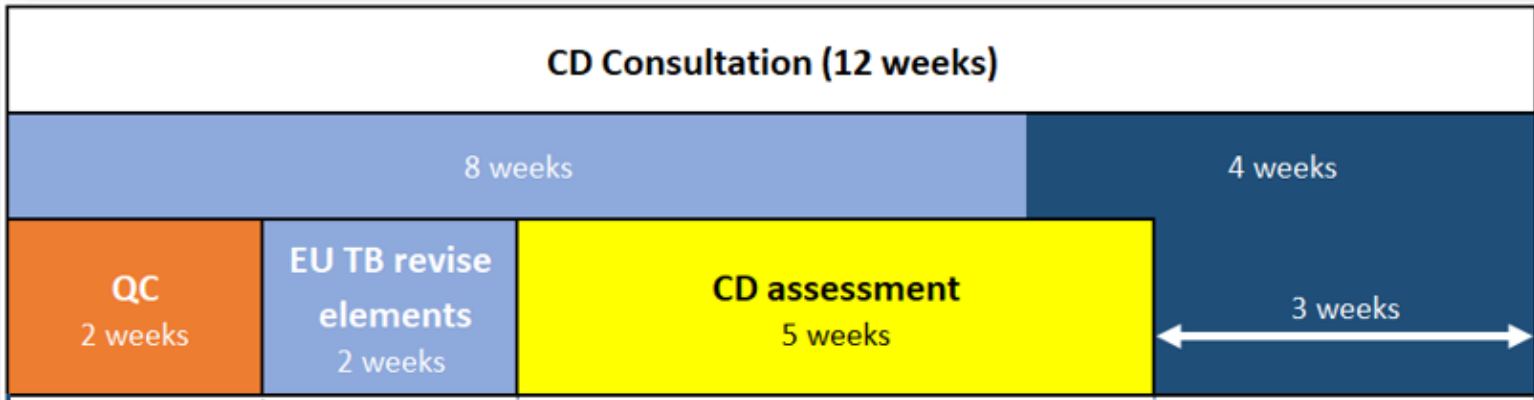


How: operational aspects for ISO

If Annex ZA is **not included** in ISO CD:

- ▶ CCMC PM to ask CEN/TC for:
 - ▶ Annex ZA to allow HAS assessment request,
 - ▶ CD duration

- ▶ CEN/TC has **2 weeks** to provide European elements and should inform about ISO CD duration
 - ▶ If CD circulated for **8 weeks**, **no quality check** to not impact ISO process



How: operational aspects for ISO



If Annex ZA is **not included** in ISO CD, and CD duration > 8 weeks:

- ▶ CCMC quality check (PM/HSC) to be performed on European elements within 2 weeks
- ▶ CCMC shares by email the outcome of the QC with CEN/TC
- ▶ CEN/TC has 2 weeks to modify European elements (as relevant)
- ▶ CEN/TC sends to CCMC by email (hsc@cencenelec.eu) updated European elements, for CD assessment request

How: operational aspects for ISO



- ▶ CCMC will request the CD assessment to the HAS contractor
 - ▶ CEN/TC secretary will receive an email that includes the assessment report when the latter is available.
 - ▶ Whatever the outcome of the CD assessment, “normal” parallel process continues
- To minimize interference with international project timeframe, all this steps shall be performed in parallel with CD consultation

How: operational aspects for ISO

To summarize process for ISO:

	CCMC QC	CD Assessment
No ISO CD	NO	NO
ISO CD with Annex ZA included	NO	YES

ISO CD **without** Annex ZA included:

CD = 8 weeks & Annex ZA delivered by CEN/TC	NO	YES
CD > 8 weeks & Annex ZA delivered by CEN/TC	YES	YES

How: IEC parallel

How: operational aspects for IEC



- ▶ CLC/TC to follow IEC CD development
 - ▶ To prepare in parallel European Annexes
 - ▶ To deliver the European Annexes to CCMC when IEC CD ready

- ▶ CCMC PM to ask CLC/TC for:
 - ▶ European Annexes to allow HAS assessment request (if not provided),
 - ▶ CD duration

- ▶ CLC/TC has **2 weeks** to provide European elements and should inform about IEC CD duration
 - ▶ If CD circulated for **8 weeks, no quality check** to not impact IEC process

How: operational aspects for IEC



If European elements provided, and CD duration > 8 weeks:

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How: operational aspects for IEC

To summarize process for IEC:

	CCMC QC	CD Assessment
No IEC CD	NO	NO
IEC CD = 8 weeks & EU Annexes delivered by CLC/TC	NO	YES
IEC CD > 8 weeks & EU Annexes delivered by CLC/TC	YES	YES

Key take aways

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- ▶ New process should limit interference with international standards development
- ▶ European TC invited (if possible) to closely follow work at international level and to develop Annex Z in parallel with CD draft
- ▶ Process will happen only if:
 - ▶ CD available
 - ▶ European elements available
- ▶ Common checklist not mandatory, but highly recommended when drafting European Annexes

- ▶ Webinar drafting guidance: [CEN](#) – [CENELEC](#)
- ▶ Guidance document on normative references:
 - ▶ [CEN BOSS](#) – [CENELEC BOSS](#)
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