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- ❖ To report results of a TC/SC meeting to the related TAG
- ❖ To publicize the work of the TC/SC to the related US constituency via ANSI On-line, USNC News and Notes, or other media
- ❖ To suggest areas for possible development of featured articles
- ❖ To address specific challenges and concerns that the HoD may bring to the attention of related ANSI and/or USNC/IEC management

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Meeting of IEC TC 35
Date(s) October 14, 2016
Location Frankfurt, Germany

1. MEETING ATTENDANCE
<p>Please indicate, if available, both the number of delegates and the countries represented at the Meeting:</p> <p>Countries represented were Germany, Japan, United States, UK, China, and Belgium. There were a total of 16 including experts plus the IEC TC 35Chair, Secretary and IEC Central Office TC officer</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Meeting attendance roster and meeting resolutions attached, if available</p> <p>Please comment on significant or unusual attendance issues (e.g., new member bodies, regular members not in attendance, new Chairman or Secretariat, non-accredited U.S. persons, etc.).</p> <p>Two observers from Kenya were in attendance.</p>
MEETING OBSERVATIONS
2. Overall, how well did the U.S. meet its objectives on policy or technical matters?
<p><input type="checkbox"/> Very Successful -- U.S. positions were accepted in whole</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Successful -- Compromises were reached which are acceptable to the U.S.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Not Successful -- U.S. positions were not accepted</p>
3. Please comment on any issues of significance which might have an impact upon materially affected or interested U.S. parties.
<p>1) A discussion was held regarding certain countries who are members of the IEC not accepting IEC CB certificates within their countries. The TC has asked for the assistance of the IEC central office TC officer to assist the committee with raising this ongoing issue to the correct people within the IEC.</p>
4. Was there any discussion for which the United States was unprepared? (e.g., late document distribution, addition of new items, etc.)
<p>None</p>
5. Did the U.S. extend an offer to assume any new TC/SC Secretariat or management positions?
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>(If yes, please indicate which position and provide Officer contact information.)</p> <p>The US extended an offer to be the project lead to a NP on the environmental impacts of batteries.</p>
6. Did the U.S. extend an offer to host any future TC/SC meetings?
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If yes, please identify:</p> <p>The TC is expected to host a meeting in the Boston area in October 2017.</p>

14. Please identify specific decisions which the U.S. delegation believes to be noteworthy for publication, publicity and/or development of a future article. If there are any, would you be willing to help develop an article for publication?

Yes No

15. What might be done to further promote the ANSI Federation's goal of "global standards that reflect U.S. interests?" (Consider such issues as how might the U.S. further promote acceptance of related American National Standards in international and, where applicable, regional fora?)

16. Has this report been provided to your TAG Administrator for US TAG distribution?

Yes No

17. Do you have any questions, comments, or suggestions regarding the ISO/IEC Directives, including the IEC Supplement?

18. Other Comments