

D12 Draft catalogue on child-appealing appliances

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Atlas for Household Appliances - child appealing designs

as circulated to delegates in advance of the meeting

1 Objective

To establish an operational practical frame to assist the uniform discrimination between normal electric household appliances and household appliances with a child appealing design, that are subjected to the Low Voltage Directive 2006/95/EC and sold on the European market.

- 2 Origin
- 2.1 Legal background

An improved version of the "Tool" with explanation and an added picture part for assessment guidance are include in the version that supersede this document.

- Low Voltage Directive 2006/95/EC: this directive imposes compliance with several essential safety requirements: the conformity to the relevant Cenelec harmonised standards presumes compliance with the essential safety requirements. This Directive will be changed to bring it in line with the New Legislative Framework ("NLF" - Omnibus procedure).
- **Harmonised standard EN 60335-1**: This standard is applicable to Household and similar electrical appliances Safety Part 1: General requirements.
- **Harmonised standard EN 60335-2-xx**: This standard is applicable to Household and similar electrical appliances – Safety – Part 2-2: Particular requirements for xx (every part deals with a separate product group within the group of electrical household appliances).
- LVD ADCO Recommendation November 2008: This recommendation is applicable to child appealing appliances which was published on the Commission website (EUROPEAN COMMISSION, ENTERPRISE AND INDUSTRY DIRECTORATE-GENERAL, New Approach Industries, Tourism and CSR, Mechanical, Electrical and Telecom Equipment Secretariat LVD Working Party, Brussels, 15 June 2009, (14)04 ADCO Recommendation on Child appealing appliances.doc, LVDWP/14/4.)