

(after a test period of at least 2 years). This allows a faster and much more flexible handling of standardisation work.

- CENELEC / BT fixed the "date of withdrawal (dow)" for the EN 50131-1 "General Requirements" on the 1st of March 2004. Until this date all conflicting national standards have to be withdrawn.

A number of TS's were already voted positively in 2003. The chairman of CLC /TC 79 aims at getting most of the others voted in the first half of 2004 (see Annex1). The new dow to EN 50131-1 will give high pressure on most of the National Committees to introduce the new TS's coming out, because their national product standards are based on national system standards, which will have to be withdrawn. Thus we can assume, that we will have the complete range of specifications and standards of the EN 5013x series available within 2004, except EN 50132-1 "CCTV systems; General requirements", which will take us into 2005 at least.

One stop testing / One stop certification

One of the major arguments against one stop testing / one stop certification (OSTC) was, that there are no European test specifications available to base the tests on. This argument being no longer valid in the near future, we started discussions with test houses and certification bodies in 2003. The signals, which we got in these talks, were rather conflicting in the first run. While we got positiv signals, when talking to specific test- and certification bodies, we got hard opposition in a meeting with EFSG (European Fire and Security Group), the association of the European certification bodies.

Next steps to do in 2004

On the basis of the results achieved so far, EURALARM (the Executive Committee and the Industry Meeting) in their meeting on 12th December 2003 agreed on the following major next steps:

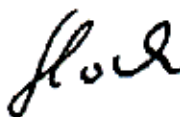
- Member companies will make use of the new TS's, coming out, in their development work for new products.
- SC 3 was asked to set up and enforce a milestone plan with the target to convince all national NC's to install all TS's as national standard in all European countries.
- To follow a proposal of VdS and ZVEI to set up a joint ad hoc WG between EURALARM and the test houses to evaluate the consistency of the new TS's for test purposes.
- To start negotiations between EURALARM and the leading national test and certification bodies on OSTC immediately, first results to be achieved by May 2004.
- To start the achievement of one European quality label for all security products.
- To inform and integrate the national associations of EURALARM into the strategies agreed.

EURALARM requests all the staff in the associations and in the member-companies to support these strategies in their daily work within their associations and companies, but also especially when working in working groups on European or national levels.

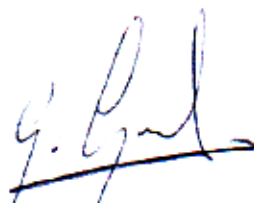
We will report on the progresses achieved on a regular basis through the following numbers of this News Letter.



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Status of work in CENELEC TC 79 „Alarm Systems“

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1. Work published

Number	Title	Comment
EN 50130-4	EMC tests for immunity	
EN 50130-4 / A1	EMC tests for immunity	
EN 50130-4 / A2	EMC tests for immunity Amendment 2	New Publication
EN 50130-5	Environmental test methods	
EN 50131-1	Intrusion systems General requirements	Under revision
EN 50131-6	Intrusion systems Power supplies	
EN 50132-2-1	CCTV surveillance Systems for use in security applications Black and white cameras	
EN 50132-4-1	CCTV surveillance Systems for use in security applications Black and white monitors	New publication
EN 50132-5	CCTV surveillance Systems for use in security applications Video transmission	New publication
EN 50132-7	CCTV surveillance Systems for use in security applications Application guidelines	
EN 50133-1	Access control systems for use in security applications Systems requirements	

EN 50133-2-1	Access control systems for use in security applications General requirements for components	New publication
EN 50133-7	Access control systems for use in security applications Application guidelines	
EN 50134-1	Social alarm systems systems requirements –	New publication
EN 50134-2	Social alarm systems Trigger devices	
EN 50134-3	Social alarm systems Local unit and controller	New Publication
EN 50134-5	Interconnections – social alarms	New Publication
TS 50134-7	Social alarm systems Application guidelines	Revised version positiv vote as TS
EN 50136-1-1	Alarm transmission systems and equipment System general requirements for alarm transmission systems	
EN 50136-1-2	Alarm transmission systems and equipment Requirements for systems using dedicated alarm path	
En 50136-1-3	Alarm transmission systems and equipment Requirements for systems with digital communicators using the public switched telephone network	
EN 50136-1-4	Alarm transmission systems and equipment Requirements for systems with voice communicators using the public switched telephone network	
EN 50136-2-1	Alarm transmission systems and equipment General requirements for transmission equipment	

EN 50136-1-1 / A1	Alarm transmission systems and equipment System general requirements for alarm transmission systems	New Publication
EN 50136-2-1 / A1	Alarm transmission systems and equipment General requirements for transmission equipment	New Publication
EN 50136-2-2	Alarm transmission systems and equipment Requirements for equipment using dedicated alarm path	
EN 50136-2-3	Alarm transmission systems and equipment Requirements for equipment used in systems with digital communicators	
EN 50136-2-4	Alarm transmission systems and equipment Requirements for equipment used in systems with voice communicators	

2. Work in progress (Classification A)

Number	Title	Comment
EN 50131-1 Amendment 2	General requirements – intruder alarms:hold-up	Positiv vote
TS 50131-2-2	PIR detectors	Formal vote as TS running
TS 50131-2-3	Microwave detectors	Formal vote as TS running
TS 50131-2-4	Combined PIR and Microwave detectors	Formal vote as TS running
TS 50131-2-5	Combined PIR and Ultrasonic detectors	Formal vote positiv
TS 50131-2-6	Opening contacts	Formal vote as TS running
TS 50131-2-7	Glass break acoustic detectors	New work item
TS 50131-3	Control and indicating equipment	Formal vote positiv
TS 50131-4	Warning devices	Decision to take to vote as TS
EN 50131-5-3	Wirefree alarms	Redraft for second enquiry
TS 50131-7	Application guidelines – intruder alarms	Formal vote positiv
EN 50132-1	System requirements - CCTV	New working group (WG7) works
EN 50133-1 Amendment 1	System requirements - Access control	Positive vote in Oct 1999. Has been lost in the system. Secretary to investigate.
TS 50136-4	Annunciation equipment - Alarm transmission	Formal vote positiv
TS 50136-7	Application guidelines - Alarm transmission	Formal vote positiv
TS 50137	Integrated systems	Accepted as TS
EN 50XXX	System requirements - Audio/video door entry apparatus	Target date for vote 2005

3. Work stopped; standstill maintained (Classification B)

Number	Title	Comment
EN 50132-2-1 / A1	CCTV surveillance Systems for use in security applications Black and white cameras A1: Specifications for colour cameras	
EN 50132-4-1 / A1	CCTV surveillance Systems for use in security applications Black and white monitors A1: Specifications for colour monitors	
EN 50132-4-5	CCTV surveillance Systems for use in security applications Video motion detection equipment	

Items deleted from Cenelec Work Programme

- The following items were deleted from the Cenelec work programme, but will be kept on the TC79 database; classification C (work stopped; standstill released):

EN 50131-2-8 Vibration detectors
 EN 50131-2-9 Active infrared detectors
 EN 50131-2-10 Proximity detectors
 EN 50131-5-2 Requirements for non-dedicated wired links in alarm systems
 EN 50133-3 Access control display and programming equipment
 EN 50133-4 Access control point actuator equipment
 EN 50133-5 Access control - communication

- The following items were deleted from the Cenelec work programme:

EN 50131-2-1 Detectors – general requirements
 EN 50131-3(A1) CIE hold-up requirements
 EN 50131-7(A1) Application guidelines for hold-up alarms
 R079-002 Introduction to series of standards
 EN 60839 series Alarm transmission