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**INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION**

**CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT BOARD (CAB)**

**Meeting 15, Geneva, 2004-06-08**

**SUBJECT**

**Agenda item 5.1**

Report from CAB WG 7, *IEC Mark*, to the CAB June 2004 meeting

**ACTION**

This is for information.

**WG 7 Report for the CAB June 2004 meeting**

Further to the WG 7 report, document CAB/408A/R, CAB WG 7 is at the stage of:

- Developing draft regulations for the ownership and issue of an IEC Mark(s)
- Development of proposed designs for an IEC Mark(s) that both caters to immediate demands while enabling future use by other areas.

WG 7 is aware that the legal advice, as recommended by WG 7, has now been finalized and is available.

While a draft for the regulations exists within WG 7, further work is required prior to submission to the CAB. In the absence of legal advice, the Convener has not pressured members to progress this work as such efforts may have been wasted should the legal advice have contained any major negative tones.

It is understood, however, that while this legal advice raises a number of issues it does not identify any major issue that cannot be reasonably managed or addressed.

In this light WG 7 is planning a meeting on Monday 7 June 2004, the day prior to the CAB meeting, to review the legal advice in light of work completed to date. A verbal report of this meeting will be provided by the Convener at the CAB June 2004 meeting.

It is further intended that a mature draft proposing regulations along with IEC Mark designs be issued to CAB for consideration by correspondence as soon as possible.

CAB's endorsement of this work would be appreciated.

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