

To: [REDACTED] (GROW)
Cc: [REDACTED] (GROW); [REDACTED] (GROW)
Subject: flash report - Meeting with Digital Europe about LVD

Date/time: 5 July 2021; 15:00-16:00 online meeting

Participants

COM: [REDACTED] (GROW H2)

DIGITAL EUROPE: [REDACTED]
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- 1) DigitalEurope welcomed the conclusion of the LVD evaluation presented during the LVD WP 29. And asked what would be the timing for publication.
The Commission explained that it is expected during summer but it is difficult to guarantee because of the summer break.
- 2) DigitalEurope asked what would be the next step after the Evaluation?
DigitalEurope suggested to have a look at the LVD guidelines after the entry into force of the new GPSD.
The Commission acknowledged the suggestion and informed that it will be discussed internally. The next step(s) will be communicated as soon as it is (they are) identified.
- 3) DigitalEurope brought the topic of the current non-citation of the standard EN 62368-1:2014 about safety.
DigitalEurope stated that the last HAS consultant assessment was negative and it was more based on form than on substance.
DigitalEurope expressed its concerns that this standard is not cited while it is used as a SOTA all around the world.
It seems that the newer version 2020 do not solve the issues reported by HAS consultant. The standard was not published because the version sent to the Commission did not address HAS Consultant's concerns (undated reference in annex ZA, missing annex ZZ, the annex ZE giving clear information on acceptable level is informative). More recent assessment done on an amendment re-assessed the main standard and the issues are still unresolved.