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Annex:	Article:	Clause: 6	
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Question: In EN 345, 346, 347 , paragraph 6 points that the product must be marked with the number of this European standard, i.e. EN 345 : 1992 Due to the publication of EN 345, 346, 347 amendment 1, the new products who comply with the new standard could not have the same marking. The standard indicate that the year must deleted. But the standard is now called EN 345-1.			
Solution: This answer is valid for EN 345, 346, 347. For a more simple writing EN 345 alone is used. If the NB uses the standard as it is, this implies that « EN 345 « is the good marking. Nevertheless, the marking with a standard without the reference to the editing year means that it is the last available version. In our case, this implies the last version of EN 345 is 1992, indeed taking into account that after amendment 1 the name of the standard is « EN 345-1 ». « EN 345 « does not exist any more. Anyway the marking must be changed for the new product certificated with the new standards. the good marking is « EN 345-1 « . Remark : the good marking for fire-fighter and woodcutter footwear is « EN 345-2 « (to fulfil the part 2 it is obligatory to fulfil the part 1).			
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(1) Essential safety requirement
(2) HC = horizontal committee

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(5) To be specified