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Question: the test method (5.2.1) and the specification (4.4.5.1) given in the EN 344 part 2 seem to forbid cemented footwear for firefighter. Only vulcanized footwear or stiched footwear can be used ?			
Solution: The test does not precluded any construction. Cemented footwear have been studied and were in conformity with the standard. See the results of the research programme "footwear for firefighter" and pr EN ISO 17250:2003			
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(1) Essential safety requirement
(2) HC = horizontal committee

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