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	EN ISO 20345/6/7		
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Key words: Electrically insulating footwear (I)			
Question: In EN ISO 17249 and EN 15090 there is the possibility to mark the type I footwear with the “I” (ref. EN ISO 17249 page 5 table 1; EN 15090 page 8 table 4). In EN ISO 20345/6/7 there is no possibility at all for type I footwear to be “I” (ref. EN ISO 20345 page 21 table 14). Nowadays it’s hard for a type I footwear to fulfil the requirements for electrically insulating footwear, but it may not be impossible. In case of an application for type approval there is a conflict in the harmonized standards. Can these boots have an “I”?			
Solution: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Yes, provided they proof to meet the requirement.2. VG10 should propose CEN TC 162 to modify EN ISO 20345-47 to create coherence to EN 15090 and EN ISO 17249.			
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(1) Essential safety requirement
(2) HC = horizontal committee

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