

RESOLUTION BT 7/1983

Subject: National obligations when withdrawing EN/HD

When the decision is taken to withdraw an EN or HD, CEN members having adopted the EN or HD concerned, as soon as the decision is taken, have the following obligations:

- to announce the withdrawal in the same way and with the same importance as the issue of an EN or HD is published;
- to either withdraw the relevant national standard of endorsement or cancel the reference to the withdrawn EN, i.e. remove the EN number if it appears in the national identification number of the standard;
- to cancel the reference to the withdrawn HD in any national standard containing identical content.

If a CEN member is prohibited from following these obligations by overriding obstacles (e.g. exclusive reference to such documents in regulations), the Central Secretariat is to be informed immediately.