

ANEC comments on draft Rolling Plan for ICT standardisation 2017

2.1 eHealth (RP2017)

(C.3) MSP Members' and Stakeholders' remarks

There is a need to enhance co-existence and interoperability of medical devices (including application aspects), in order to enable plug-and-play connectivity (i.e. easy installation) and full operational functionality of devices and services for personal health management and healthcare delivery.

This text makes a value-judgement that only Continua and IHE deal with interoperability and create profiles. Other organisations are also active in the same fields.

Proposal for new wording of last paragraph:

'In support of creating interoperable e-health through the development of common initiatives/standards that improve the private life of citizens, measures to protect sensitive patient data should be supported. These measures need to include protection of the practitioner responsible for collecting and storing the data, and also the approval of the devices used for data collection, according to the Medical Device Directive and national rules on data protection.'

2.2 Active and Healthy ageing (RP2017)

Make a reference, probably in C2, to the dedicated call SC1-HCO-16-2016: "Standardisation needs in the field of ICT for Active and Healthy Ageing".

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2.3 Accessibility of ICT products and services (RP2017)

(D.) Proposed new standardisation actions

(D.1) Standards developments



In May 2016 the European Parliament and the Council of Ministers approved the European Commission proposal for a Directive on the accessibility of public sector websites. The official publication of the directive is foreseen in Autumn 2016. The Commission should then issue a standardisation request to the European Standards Organisations for the drafting of standards providing a presumption of conformity with the Directive. This might include the revision of EN 301 549 "Accessibility requirements suitable for public procurement of ICT products and services in the Europe".

2.4 e-Skills and e-Learning

CEN/TC 353 Information and Communication Technologies for Learning, Education and Training has been put dormant for a while for lack of projects and financing.

3.3.3. Card, Internet and Mobile Payments (RP2017)

Text too old, please update. It mentions "Mobile payments WG - ISO TC68/SC7/WG10. ISO 12812 will be ready for publication in 2015. It includes five parts...". The ballot for the documents failed, part 1 was published as a standard, all the other parts have been published as TRs.

CEN TC 224 is mentioned in the text but not as a body/organization relevant in the work. Why? Also, ISO/IEC JTC1 SC 17 is not mentioned at all! Why?

3.4.1. Smart Grids and Smart Metering (RP2017)

A. Policy objectives

Add 'engage consumers' at the end of the last sentence of last paragraph.

C. Standardisation needs, ongoing activities and progress report

C.1 Commission perspective and progress report

Add at the end of the first paragraph: 'which is accessible for all consumers' Add 'privacy' at the end of the last sentence of the second paragraph.

3.4.2. Smart Cities / Technologies and Services for a Smart and Efficient Energy Use (RP2017)

The ISO/IEC JTC1 WG 11 Smart Cities and IEC System committee IEC/SyC Electrotechnical Aspects of Smart Cities should be mentioned. Also, the formatting of the table is not usable and the order is unclear. Why are some national initiatives mentioned first and others at the end?



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RP Task Force agreed to change the set-up for smart cities as a horizontal priority, as a societal challenge. Why hasn't this been done?

3.4.5. Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS) (RP2017)

"Urban ITS" is one action, but it is misplaced, as there is a mandate/request; it needs to be moved under the standards sub-heading.

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3.5.1. Cloud computing (RP2017)

CEN TC 225 should not be mentioned here. It can be considered relevant for 3.3.3 or 3.5.5 IoT, where TC225 should be mentioned.

3.5.4. Electronic identification and trust services including e-signatures (RP2017)

JTC1 SC 17 is not mentioned but highly relevant. There is a major overlap with section 3.3.3. Consider merging.

The standards part needs updating.

3.5.7. ePrivacy (RP2017)

The reference to the activities in section C2 needs updating, and there should be a reference to CEN Workshop on a "Unique Identifier for Personal Data Usage Control in Big Data" (CEN WS ISÆN).

This topic, though highly important, is only mentioned very superficially.



JWG 8 lacks a description. JTC1 SC27 is mentioned, but there is many more topics that are ePrivacy related.

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