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## Specific call for paid experts

### **ANEC is looking for consumer experts and representatives in Ecodesign and Energy Labelling related standards**

*ANEC – the European consumer voice in standardisation – promotes and defends consumer interests in the development of (technical) standards and related activities. Our members represent consumer organisations from the European Union Member States and the European Free Trade Association (EFTA) countries, accession countries to the EU, and the United Kingdom. ANEC was established in 1995 as a non-profit making association with its Secretariat based in Brussels.*

In order to fulfil its mission to raise standards of protection and welfare for all consumers, ANEC requires experts who are willing to participate in its Working Groups and to represent ANEC in the technical bodies of the European Standardisation Organisations<sup>1</sup> (and international standards organisations<sup>2</sup>).

ANEC is looking for experts to support its Ecodesign PT activities and provide us with technical input and represent ANEC position in the development of Ecodesign standardisation deliverables for one or several of the following areas:

- Energy and material efficiency (horizontal work)
- Laundry appliances
- Vacuum cleaners
- Dishwashers
- Audio, video, and multimedia equipment

ANEC has direct membership of the following technical committees:

- CEN-CENELEC JTC 10 "Material efficiency aspects for products in scope of Ecodesign legislation"
- CENELEC TC 59X "Performance of household and similar electrical appliances"
- CENELEC TC 100X "Audio, video and multimedia systems and equipment and related sub-systems"

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<sup>1</sup> CEN ([www.cen.eu](http://www.cen.eu)), CENELEC ([www.cenelec.eu](http://www.cenelec.eu)) and ETSI ([www.etsi.org](http://www.etsi.org))

<sup>2</sup> ISO ([www.iso.org](http://www.iso.org)) and IEC ([www.iec.ch](http://www.iec.ch))



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ANEC has been contributing the consumer perspective to several subgroups of these committees for years, covering the above-mentioned areas and product groups.

### **Profile**

- Proven technical expertise in Ecodesign and Energy Labelling requirements related to one or more of the consumer products above;
- Understanding of the EU Ecodesign and Energy Labelling regulatory framework;
- Knowledge and direct experience of international and European standardisation;
- Strong communication and analytical skills;
- Strong interest in consumer affairs;
- Proficiency in English (the working language of standardisation);
- No conflict of interest between a role for ANEC and other responsibilities or work undertaken.

### **Tasks of the expert:**

In collaboration with ANEC Ecodesign PT and ANEC Sustainability WG, the experts would be required to develop a consumer strategy and to:

- shape ongoing Ecodesign standardisation through participation and presentation of ANEC views in meetings of standardisation bodies mentioned above;
- brief and debrief the ANEC Secretariat and report back to the ANEC Ecodesign PT and ANEC relevant WGs in a timely manner;
- draft technical comments and contribute to position papers.

### **Duration and how to apply**

The contract will fit within the framework of the ReaLIFEstandards project (co-funded by the European Commission) between March 2023 and February 2026. The remuneration of paid work will consist of a daily fee and the reimbursement of travel costs.

*If you would believe you could contribute to our work, please send an up-to-date CV and letter of motivation (in English) to [anec@anec.eu](mailto:anec@anec.eu) no later than 31 March 2023.*