

UK INTERPRETATIONS GROUP

INTERPRETATION GROUP # 015	REQUEST FOR INTERPRETATION/METHODS	REQ: XXX-YY
Standard: EN 62115 Edition:	Clause(s): Clause heading: More than 24V. Flash Cameras	Date of Request: 28-12-06
		Source: Name/Company QATC (Europe) Ltd Keith Lister
Keywords:		
<p>Question:</p> <p>Should a disposable camera with flash unit decorated in a popular child's livery sold along side or in the same package as a toy, be classed as a toy.</p>		
<p>Proposer's Comments for an answer:</p> <p>In the past these have been classed as toys as they are child appealing and aimed at children based on the livery.</p> <p>The working group for electrical toys considers camera's with a flash unit are a toy and require an EC type approval as they are powered by more than 24V.</p>		
<p>Interpretation Group Comments/Action:</p> <p>Toy products that exceed 24 V are not allowed within the Toys Directive.</p>		
<p>Status:</p> <p>Forward to BSI: Interpretation Methods Amendment No Further Action</p> <p style="color: red;">Completed. The camera should not be treated as a toy.</p> <p style="color: red;">Note: The revised Toy Safety Directive after a 2 year transition period from data publication in the Official Journal will allow cameras with a flash operating at more than 24 V (provided that the high voltage is not accessible and is "safe").</p>		