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INTERPRETATION GROUP # 083	REQUEST FOR INTERPRETATION/METHODS	
Standard: EN62115 Edition: EN62115 + A2: 2011	Clause no: Clause 11.1 Clause heading: Moisture Resistance	Date of Request: 27 th March 2012
		Source: Intertek
Keywords: IPX4 water ingress food preparation		
Question: Clause 11.1 reads "Battery toys intended to be used in water and toys likely to be cleaned with liquid shall have an enclosure providing the appropriate protection. NOTE 1 Toys intended to be used to imitate the preparation of food are examples of toys likely to be cleaned with liquid." Would you apply this clause to 1) a toy toaster 2) an iron which is used with water ?		
Proposer's Comments for an answer: 1) No, even though it imitates food preparation it is not likely to be in contact with water during play or require cleaning after play or as an imitation of cleaning. The criteria should be a) if the toy is intended to be used in contact with food or b) likely to be in contact with food or c) is an imitation of a product which a child may have seen an adult cleaning with water. 2) Yes. Although the std refers to toys used "in" water it should also be interpreted as toys used "with" water.		
Interpretation Group Comments/Action:		
Status: Forward to BSI: Interpretation Methods Amendment <input type="checkbox"/> No Further Action <input type="checkbox"/>		

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