Guidance Principles for the Sustainable Management of Secondary Metals
- Where are we -

ISO IWA Session #3
IUCN, Gland, Switzerland
July 7-8, 2016
1. Introduction
2. Timeline
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4. Where are we?
1. Introduction
Are current standards allowing informal sector products in the market?

CENELEC 50625, R2, eSteward, Fairtrade Gold; Aluminum Stewardship Initiative (ASI) standards; Responsible Jewellery Council (RJC) Council standard
The Guidance Principles aim to close this gap by:

- Providing a critical global framework for developers of laws
- Recommending environmental and socio-economic criteria and assurance and traceability mechanisms
- Taking into account the context and needs of MSMEs and Subsistence Activities (SA) in emerging and developing economies
2. Timeline
Guidance Principles - Timeline

Proposed text
4 Sept 2015

Draft 0
Section 1
28 Sept 2015

Draft 0
Section 2
23 Dec 2015

Draft 1
Section 1
15 Jan 2015

Draft 1
Section 2
31 Jan 2015

Draft 1
31 Jan 2016

Draft 2
Jun 2016

Draft Version 1.0
Sept 2016

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Nov 2016

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IWA Session #1
15 to 16 Oct 2015
(Davos, Switzerland)

Webinar for ISO
IWA 19 members
10 Feb 2016

Public Review 1
1 Feb to 31 Mar 2016

Local consultations in
Peru & Kenya
9 to 11 & 27 Feb 2016

Webinar for
General Public
10 Mar 2016

IWA Session #2
12 Apr 2016
(Teleconference)

Public Review 2
13 Jun to 11 Jul 2016

Local consultations in India
Jun 2016

IWA Session #3
7 to 8 Jul 2016
(Gland, Switzerland)

Local consultations in Egypt
Jul 2016

IWA Session #4
Sept 2016
(Teleconference)
Meeting Reports ISO IWA Session #1 & #2

Session #1

- Face-to-face: 14-16 October 2015 in Davos, Switzerland.
- About 60 participants.

Session #2

- Webinar: 12 April 2016.
- About 20 participants.

Participants included ISO members, metals associations, recycling companies, Cleaner Production Centre's, NGOs and experts from research organisations and the academia.
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Guidance principles for addressing sustainability criteria in secondary resources management

Focus on metals
Validity of the Guidance Principles

Revision

Additional 3 years validity

Withdrawn or Becoming an ISO International Standard

3 years validity
3. Structure
5 Guidance Principles and 17 associated objectives. Recommendations for compliance, assurance and traceability to support the implementation of the Guidance Principles.
Principles

1. Enabling safe, healthy and equitable working conditions
2. Building and strengthening local community relations and resilience
3. Conserving and protecting the environment and natural resources
4. Improving recovery of secondary metals
5. Implementing a sustainable management approach
4. Where are we?
Draft 2
(July 1)

ISO IWA Session #3
(7-8 July)

Public Review
(1 month)

Public Consultation
Egypt

Public Consultation
India

Comments Resolution Meeting

Draft Version 1
(August)

ISO IWA Session #4
(September)

Comments Resolution Meeting
About 550 comments received on Draft 1

Public Review
(1 Feb – 31 March 2016)

Above 30 individuals including:
- Civil society (Egypt, Switzerland, India, South Africa, Europe)
- Academia (Brazil)
- Research (Chile, Switzerland)
- Recyclers (Austria, Colombia, USA, Global)
- MoE (Vietnam)
- IGO (Europe, Global)
- Standardization initiatives (Global & European levels)

Local Consultation in Peru
(27 Feb 2016)

About 100 stakeholders: Informal and formal recyclers and local government representatives from Peru.

Local Consultation in Kenya
(27 Feb 2016)

About 25 stakeholders: Formal recyclers and government representatives (Kenya, Botswana, Rwanda, Burundi, Tanzania, Nigeria, Cote D'Ivoire, Egypt, Ethiopia, Ghana, Togo, Zambia)

Local Consultation in India
(27 Feb 2016)

About 10-15 stakeholders: Formal recyclers and recycling associations representatives

Webinars

ISO IWA 19 members (10 February 2016), General Public (10 March 2016)
Groups of comments

A. Scope & Stakeholders
- Principle 1: Working environment
- Principle 4: Metal recovery
- Supporting mechanisms
- GPs too focused on e-waste and metal extraction? E.g. in Principle 3

B. Terms & Definitions
- "Producer" vs "Manufacturer"?
- "Chain of custody"
- "Subsistence activities"
- "Treatment"
- "EPR" vs "extended producer and buyer responsibility"

C. Sustainability (Section 1)
- Formalization challenges
- Exports – Who? What?
- Stepwise approach
- Clarify EPR
- Other standards (align?)

D. Implementation (Section 2)
- Length and language
- Clarify roles (e.g. governments)
- Supporting mechanisms
- "Shall" vs "should"?

Version: Draft 2
Open: 1 July – 31 July 2016

Description: Objectives of the Guidance Principles

Instructions: To comment on the Draft 2 of the Guidance Principles please proceed as follows:

- Download the Guidance Principles Draft 2
- Provide us your comments using this template.
- Send us your comments to sri@wrforum.org.
Thank you!
Closing remarks