



ISO/TC 157 "Non-systemic contraceptives and STI barrier prophylactics"
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Resolution 01/2023

Reappointment of Chairman for the ISO/TC 157 – Non-systemic Contraceptives and STI Barrier Prophylactics for additional term (2024 – 2026)

ISO/TC 157 resolves to reappoint Dr. Faridah Hanim Ab Hanan (fhanimlgm@gmail.com) of DSM as the chairman for ISO/TC 157 – Non -Systemic Contraceptives And STI Barrier Prophylactics for additional term (2024-2026).

Resolution 02/2023

Appointment of liaison officer to ISO/TC 194 – Biological and Clinical Evaluation of Medical Devices

ISO/TC 157 resolves the appointment of Prof Dr Nor Fadilah Rajab (nfadilah@ukm.edu.my) of DSM as the liaison officer to ISO/TC 194, Biological and Clinical Evaluation of Medical Devices and she will report to the ISO/TC 157 about the ISO/TC194 activities.

Note: Following the retirement of Mr. Colin Pollard as the convenor of WG 20, ISO/TC 157/N1075 was launched to identify the liaison officer to ISO/TC 194, Biological and clinical evaluation of medical devices. The TC 157 secretariat had received one (1) nomination from DSM.

Resolution 03/2023

Maintaining the ISO/TC 157/TG 2 – Environmental Information Group

ISO/TC 157 resolves for ISO/TC 157/TG 2 – Environmental Information Group to remain active. Subsequently, a call for TG 2 Convenor will be reissued by the committee manager and all members are welcomed to submit their nominations.

Resolution 04/2023

Extension of Time for ISO/CD 4074 - Natural rubber latex male condoms — Requirements and test methods

ISO/TC 157 resolves to request an extension of time for ISO/CD 4074 – Natural rubber latex male condoms due to the significant nature of the changes that have been proposed. Subsequently, the committee manager will fill up the Project Limit Date Extension Form and submit to ISO/CS.



Resolution 05/2023

Establishment of a sub group under the ISO/TC 157/WG 20, Clinical trials

ISO/TC 157 resolves to establish two sub groups under the ISO/TC 157/WG 20, Clinical trial to perform the preliminary works for the revision of ISO 29943-1:2017- Condoms – Guidance on clinical studies – Part 1: Male condoms, clinical function studies based on self-reports, and ISO 29943-2:2017 - Condoms – Guidance on clinical studies – Part 2: Female condoms, clinical function studies based on self-reports. The other sub group will perform the preliminary work for the revision of ISO 11249:2018 Copper-bearing intrauterine contraceptive devices – Guidance on the design, execution, analysis and interpretation of clinical studies.

A call for members/ experts of the two sub groups will be launched by the Committee Manager and all members are welcomed to nominate their experts through their respective National Standards Body (NSB). The scope and TOR of the two sub groups shall be established once they are formed officially.

Resolution 06/2023

Approval of the Terms of Reference for TG 6 - Provision of labelling and information

ISO/TC 157 resolves to approve the Terms of reference for TG 6 – Provision of labelling and information.

Resolution 07/2023

Establishment of a sub group under the ISO/TC 157/TG 6 – Provision of labelling and information

ISO/TC 157 resolves to establish a sub group under the ISO/TC 157/TG 6 – Provision of labelling and information to take the work forward by advising on how to investigate, analyse and recommend new efficient technologies for off package communication. A call for members/ experts of the sub group will be launched by the Committee Manager and all members are welcomed to nominate their experts through their respective National Standards Body (NSB).

Resolution 08/2023

Transfer of balance from the sponsored fund to the next host country

ISO/TC 157 resolves to transfer the balance of the sponsored fund from the 38th ISO/TC 157 Meeting to the next host country, Standards Australia for hosting the 39th ISO/TC 157 Meeting in Sydney, Australia.



Resolution 09/2023

Next meeting venues

ISO/TC 157 resolves to take note the next meeting venues as follows:

- a. 2024 (23rd- 26th September): Sydney, Australia (confirmed)
- b. 2025 (22nd – 25th September): Thailand (subject to Cabinet approval)
- c. 2026: Madrid, Spain (Tentative)
- d. 2027: Saudi Arabia (Tentative)

Resolution 10/2023

Hybrid meeting for future meetings

ISO/TC 157 approves the proposal of organising hybrid meetings for future ISO/TC 157 Meetings.

Resolution 11/2023

Requirements for sub sequent meeting

ISO/TC 157 resolves to organise a hybrid meeting in September 2023 in Dublin, Ireland for ISO/TC 157/WG 23, Natural Rubber Latex Male Condoms to enable completion of the revision of ISO 4074. The confirmation date of meeting shall be announced by the Committee Manager.

Resolution 12/2023

Approval of TG and WG reports

ISO/TC 157 approves the reports of the following TGs and WGs at the plenary:

- a) ISO/TC 157/TG 3, Forward Planning and Financing of ISO/TC 157 Meetings;
- b) ISO/TC 157/TG 5, Procedures for opening condom packages for testing;
- c) ISO/TC 157/TG 6, Provision of labelling and information;
- d) ISO/TC 157/WG 10, Burst requirements;
- e) ISO/TC 157/WG15, Additional Lubricants;
- f) ISO/TC 157/WG 13, Stability assessment;
- g) ISO/TC 157/WG 18, Female condoms and diaphragms;
- h) ISO/TC 157/WG 23, Natural rubber latex male condoms;
- i) ISO/TC 157/WG 14, Guidance on the use of condom standards;
- j) ISO/TC 157/WG 17, Synthetic male condoms;
- k) ISO/TC 157/WG 21, Chemical residues; and
- l) ISO/TC 157/WG 20, Clinical trials;



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Appreciation to host and sponsors

ISO/TC 157 resolves to express its deepest appreciation to British Standards Institute (BSI) and to the Convenor of TG 3, Mr Grant Burt for all the excellent arrangement and works rendered in ensuring that the 38th ISO/TC 157 meeting is running according to the budgeted plan in the beautiful city of Edinburgh, Scotland.

ISO/TC 157 also resolves to express its deepest appreciation to the international sponsors namely Reckitt, Okamoto, Karex, Church & Dwight, Sagami & FHI 360 for their kindness and generosity in sponsoring the meeting

Resolution 14/2023

Appreciation to the ISO Excellence Award recipients

ISO/TC 157 resolves to express its heartfelt appreciation to Dr. Bill Potter (BSI), Dr K Sivakumar (BIS) and Mr Jakub Srebro (SIS) for their achievements in receiving the ISO Excellence Award for 2021 and 2023 respectively basing on their excellence contribution to ISO/TC 157 and their unwavering dedication as convenors.