

## CTL DECISION SHEET (DSH)

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Classification of self contained emergency luminaires according to the mode of operation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Maintained emergency luminaire</li> <li>- Non maintained emergency luminaire</li> <li>- Mode of operation</li> </ul>	ETF5-OSM/LUM	2018 CTL Plenary Meeting
<b>Question</b>			
<p>According to the definition 22.3.5, “Maintained emergency luminaire is a luminaire in which the emergency lighting lamp is energized at all times when normal or emergency lighting is required”. Can the emergency lighting lamp of a self contained emergency luminaire classified as “maintained emergency luminaire”, be switched on and off with an external switch in the installation? The question is asked because if the lamp is switched off when the supply is present, the luminaire can be seen as a “non maintained emergency luminaire”.</p>			
<b>Decision</b>			
Yes, only during the normal lighting operation.			
<b>Explanatory notes</b>			
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