

**COLLECTION OF THE CTL DECISIONS  
DECISION SHEET**

<b>Standard:</b> IEC 60335-1:1976, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ed.	<b>Sub clause:</b> 28	<b>Sheet No.</b> DSH-466
<b>Subject:</b> Screws and connections	<b>Key words:</b> - torque test	Decision taken at the 40 <sup>th</sup> CTL meeting 2003
<b>Question:</b>  How many times shall screws be tightened and loosened during the torque test in view of previous tests?		
<b>Rationale:</b>  See question.		
<b>Decision:</b>  Tests have to be carried out as stated in sub-clause 4.2 of IEC 335-1:1991. The tests are made on a single sample as delivered, which shall withstand all the relevant tests.		
<b><u>EXPLANATION:</u></b>  The same decision (n.61) is present in the OSM/HA decision list		