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Primary batteries

Part 2: Physical and electrical specifications
(IEC 60086-2:2015)

National foreword

This British Standard is the UK implementation of EN 60086-2:2016. It is identical to IEC 60086-2:2015. It supersedes BS EN 60086-2:2011 which will be withdrawn on 3 December 2018.

BSI, as a member of CENELEC, is obliged to publish BS EN 60086-2 as a British Standard. However, attention is drawn to the fact that the UK committee voted against its approval as a European standard. The UK committee submitted a negative vote for the following reason:

Although it had been accepted by IEC/TC 35 that the pulse load should be applied first in all the discharge tests, this change has not been applied consistently. The circuit diagrams in 6.1.6, 6.4.2, 6.4.5, 6.5.1 and 6.6.8 still indicate that the background load is applied first. Also, in the table in 6.6.8 the background load for testing a smoke detector is listed before the pulse load.

The UK participation in its preparation was entrusted to Technical Committee CPL/35, Primary cells.

A list of organizations represented on this committee can be obtained on request to its secretary.

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