The revised Lifts Directive 2014/33/EU

The Commission's view

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Key elements

• Obligations for all actors in the supply and distribution chain
• Enhanced rules for notified bodies
• Tools for improved market surveillance
• Simplification – uniform terminology, more consistent EU wide implementation
What's new for lift companies?

- **New actors and duties:** importers and distributors of safety components for lifts
- **Declaration of conformity**
- **Labelling**
- **Traceability and monitoring**

What did not change?

- **Scope** [UCMP]
- Essential requirements
- **Conformity assessment**
As of 20 April 2016

For any lift/safety component *placed on the market*:

- **Adapt technical documentation** (reference to new Directive)
- **New Declaration of Conformity** (template Annex II, translations!!)
- **Name of installer of lift; name of manufacturer/importer of safety component**
- **Type/batch/serial number**
- **Traceability and monitoring system**

**Existing certificates** referring to Directive 95/16 /EC will remain valid to demonstrate conformity with the new Directive!! (Special case UCMP)
Lifts/safety components already placed on the market

Safety components *placed on the market before 20 April 2016* that comply with Directive 95/16/EC can continue to be made available on the market and built into lifts after that date. (including **UCMP devices**)

Lifts *placed on the market before 20 April 2016* that comply with Directive 95/16/EC can be put into service after that date.
Next steps

- Adoption and publication of national transpositions laws by 19 April 2016

- Renotification of notified bodies

- Revision of Lifts Guidelines (2016)

Thank you for your attention