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## Annex ZA (normative)

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<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
IEC 60068-1	2013	Environmental testing - Part 1: General and guidance	EN 60068-1	2014
IEC 60068-2	series	Environmental testing - Part 2: Tests	EN 60068-2	series
IEC 60605-6	2007	Equipment reliability testing - Part 6: Tests for the validity and estimation of the constant failure rate and constant failure intensity	-	-
IEC 60947-1	2007	Low-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 1: General rules	EN 60947-1	2007
+ A1	2010		+ A1	2011
+ A2	2014		+ A2	2014
IEC 60947-5-1	2016	Low-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 5-1: Control circuit devices and switching elements - Electromechanical control circuit devices	EN 60947-5-1	2017

## Annex ZZ (informative)

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**Table ZZ.1 — Correspondence between this European standard and Annex I of  
Directive 2014/35/EU [2014 OJ L96]**

Safety objectives of Directive 2014/35/EU	Clause(s) / sub-clause(s) of this EN	Remarks/note
1 a)	1, 2, 3, Annex A	
1 b)	1, 2, 3, Annex A	
1 c)	1, 2, 3, 5, 6 Also refer to 2 a) to 2 d) and 3 a) to 3 c) in this table	
2 a)	-	This standard does not cover any of the essential requirements 2 a) to 3 c), while functional safety is excluded in this standard
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2 d)	-	This standard does not cover any of the essential requirements 2 a) to 3 c), while functional safety is excluded in this standard
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3 b)	-	This standard does not cover any of the essential requirements 2 a) to 3 c), while functional safety is excluded in this standard

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3 c)	-	This standard does not cover any of the essential requirements 2 a) to 3 c), while functional safety is excluded in this standard

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The text of this amendment is based on the following documents:

FDIS	Report on voting
121A/284/FDIS	121A/301/RVD

Full information on the voting for the approval of this amendment can be found in the report on voting indicated in the above table.

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## INTRODUCTION

*Replace the existing first paragraph by the following:*

General usage of control switches may not be suitable for use at very low voltages and therefore it is recommended to seek the advice of the manufacturer concerning any application with a low value of operational voltage, for example, below 100 V a.c. or d.c. (see IEC 60947-5-1:2016, note of 4.3.2.2).

*Add, at the end of existing introduction, the following two new paragraphs:*

The objective of this document is to ensure the availability of contacts used in this area, including normally-open contacts.

This document shall be used as a complement of IEC 60947-5-1 for low-energy contacts applications.

### 1 Scope and object

*Replace the existing first sentence of second paragraph, without modifying items a) and b), by the following:*

This standard takes into consideration two typical rated voltage areas:

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*Replace the existing third paragraph by the following:*

This standard does not apply to contacts used in:

- functional safety area. In case of contacts used in functional safety area, Annex N of IEC 60947-5-1:2016 applies;
- very low energy area of measurement, for example, sensor or thermocouple systems.

## **2 Normative references**

*Replace the following existing references (including footnotes) by the following updated references:*

IEC 60068-1:2013, *Environmental testing – Part 1: General and guidance*

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IEC 60947-1:2007, *Low-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 1: General rules*  
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IEC 60947-5-1:2016, *Low-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 5-1: Control circuit devices and switching elements – Electromechanical control circuit devices*

*Delete the existing reference to IEC 61131-2.*

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