# Work Item A

**B-12 Review Process** 

**Report to CSBWG15** 

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## **Work Item Update**

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Update of current listed sub work items plus any changes/additions/deletions to those items

Work Item	Title	Priority H-high M-medium L-low	Next milestone	Start Date	End Date	Status P-planned O-ongoing C-completed S-Superseded	Contact Person(s)	Related Pubs / Standard	Remarks
A-1	Review B-12 Edition 3.0.0	M	Identify review cycle	2023	August 2023	P	CIDCO/G Morissette	B-12 Edition 3.0.0	
A-2	Capture suggested updates to B-12 Edition 3.0.0	M	Consolidate and share suggestions	2023	August 2023	P	CIDCO/G Morissette	B-12 Edition 3.0.0	Discussion topic at CSBWG15



## **Key Activities**

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#### Consultations regarding a governance structure proposal

#### Key Elements:

- IHO Published document conformity appears rigid
- Distribution through Github allows for optimal
- A committee-based structure would ensure adequate representation of the various stakeholders
  - HOs
  - Industry
  - Research & Academia



#### Issues/Risks/Concerns

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#### Description of any current or anticipated issues/risks/concerns

- Unequal resources
- Limited time to discuss B-12
- Limited representation from HOs/Industry/Research and Academia
- Technological gap with regards to using GitHub

### **Requests to CSBWG**

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- Validate the committee-based approach with CSBWG
- Request volunteers to help for the first committee:
  - HOs
  - Industry
  - Research & Academia

# **Upcoming Work**

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- First committee meeting
- First draft of the review lifecycle
- IHO Publication formatting conformity on Github