

Waste Compartment Fire Containment MOCs and Test Harmonization

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All Waste Compartments, Meal Trolleys & Waste Trolleys must be substantiated to 14CFR 25.853(h) by test or analysis. Industry and regulators lack harmonized published methods of compliance (MOCs) to substantiate by analysis. Additionally, several opportunities have been discovered to improve/standardize and bring these test methods into the 21st century. (The current test method still includes cigarette boxes in the fire test load).

This presentation will outline progress made by the Industry Fire Containment Task Group as well as highlight the commitment of regulators, airlines, OEMs and interior component suppliers to work closely together to ensure passenger and aircraft safety.