## Commission Expert Group

**Name:** Expert Group on liability and new technologies (E03592)  
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

**Policy Area:**  
- Enterprise  
- Information Society  
- Justice and Home Affairs  
- Other

**Lead DG:**  
- JUST - DG Justice and Consumers  
- GROW - DG Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs  
- CNECT - DG Communications Networks, Content and Technology

**Type:** Informal, Temporary

**Scope:** Limited

**Mission:** Provide the Commission with expertise on the applicability of the Product Liability Directive to traditional products, new technologies and new societal challenges (Product Liability Directive formation) and assist the Commission in developing principles that can serve as guidelines for possible adaptations of applicable laws at EU and national level relating to new technologies (New Technologies formation).

**Task:** Other  
- Provide the Commission with expertise on the applicability of the PLD and with assistance in developing guiding principles for possible adaptations of applicable laws related to new technologies.

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**Last updated:** 21 Nov 2019
Additional Information
Selection Procedure (members)

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Members of this group were selected via a call for applications, which is now closed. The deadline of the call was 30 April 2018. The members of the two sub-groups are members of the Expert Group.

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