

**CODE OF PRACTICE FOR INSTALLATION, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF  
ESCALATORS AND PASSENGER CONVEYORS**

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**1. Page 11, 5.1.5.6.3**

*Delete* the entire 5.1.5.6.3 and *replace* with the following:

**5.1.5.6.3** On escalators, the possibility of trapping between the skirting and steps shall be reduced.

For this purpose, the following four conditions shall be fulfilled:

- sufficient rigidity of the skirting according to 5.1.5.6.2;
- clearances to be in accordance with 11.2.1;
- reduction of the coefficient of friction by the use of suitable materials or a suitable type of lining for the skirting;
- yellow markings on the sides of the step tread surface.

In addition, suitable deflector devices, for example, double lined brushes shall be permanently installed on the skirting.