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10.2.4		General	Here's the clause from C63.4 10.2.4 List of test equipment A complete list of all test equipment used shall be included with the test report. The manufacturer's model and serial numbers, and date of last calibration, and calibration interval shall be included. Measurement cable loss, measuring instrument bandwidth and detector function, video bandwidth, if appropriate, and antenna factors, shall also be included where applicable. My problem with this is that we can track our calibration dates in our internal data base and by reporting the dates (which takes time to record for each piece of equipment) it does not improve measurement results or reporting of those results.	I'm addressing an audit finding and would like to formally request your consideration as SC1 chair to remove the requirement for the need to include calibration information in the test report.	The requirements in clause 10.2.4 are to remain. The requirement on reporting of calibration information requirement was to ensure that the test equipment is calibrated and that it is within the calibration interval. This would have to be checked in the first place prior to doing the test. If there is an internal data base, it should not be difficult to transfer the calibration information to the test report at the same time the equipment list is populated for the test report and so it should not be onerous to simply place that additional information into the test report.