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- Standard was fully revised;
- Modification of the title;
- Specification of the scope;
- Terms and definitions of high bed, tread, completely bound opening, partially bound opening, upper bed, means of access, and handrail added;
- Requirements for the materials improved;
- Requirements for vertically protruding parts added;
- Requirements for accessible holes, gaps and openings added;
- Requirements for bed base(s) given in more detail;
- Requirements for safety barriers around beds added;
- Requirements for means of access added;
- Requirements for shear and squeeze points added;
- Requirements for platform and stairs added;
- Requirements for all other accessible holes, gaps or openings added;
- Requirements for strength of means of access: Attachment, deflection and strength added;
- Requirements for strength of frame and fastenings given in more detail;
- Requirements for the stability given in more detail;
- Requirements for the instructions for use given in more detail;
- Requirements for the marking in more detail;
- Requirements for the purchase information added;

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# 1 Scope

This document specifies requirements for the safety, strength and durability of bunk beds and high beds for domestic and non-domestic use.

It is applicable to bunk beds and high beds with an internal length greater than 1 400 mm and a maximum bed base width of 1 200 mm, and with the upper surface of a bed base of 600 mm or more above the floor.

This document does not apply to bunk beds and high beds used for special purposes, including but not limited to prisons, the military and fire brigades.

If other products are included in a bunk bed/high bed, for example a table or storage furniture, the relevant European Standards could, in addition, apply.

The document contains one annex:

— Annex A (informative) – Rationales.

#### 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 747-2:2024, Furniture — Bunk beds and high beds — Part 2: Test methods

# 3 Terms and definitions

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- IEC Electropedia: available at <a href="https://www.electropedia.org/">https://www.electropedia.org/</a>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <a href="https://www.iso.org/obp">https://www.iso.org/obp</a>

#### 3.1

#### bunk bed

two beds, one above the other, where the upper surface of one bed base (3.4) is 600 mm or more above the floor

## 3.2

#### high bed

bed, where the upper surface of the bed base (3.4) is 600 mm or more above the floor, irrespective of the use to which the space below is put

#### 3.3

## bed end structure

upright unit at the head and foot of the bed to which the side rails (3.6) are attached

#### 3.4

#### bed base

support structure for a mattress