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#### Text proposed by the Informal working group for parag 2.9.4.f (complement of proposal 1 in Working paper 33)

- (f) lithium batteries, containing both primary lithium metal cells and rechargeable lithium ion cells, that are not designed to be externally charged (see special provision 387) shall meet the following conditions:
    - (a) ~~It is not designed to be externally charged;~~
    - (b) The rechargeable lithium ion cells can only be charged from the primary lithium metal cells;
    - (c) Overcharge of the rechargeable lithium ion cells is precluded by design;
    - (d) The battery has been tested as a lithium primary battery;
    - (e) Component cells of the battery shall be of a type proved to meet the respective testing requirements of the Manual of Tests and Criteria, part III, subsection 38.3.
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