**September 10, 2012**

What’s New?

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HEADLINES

A summary of this issue’s top stories…

[**Incorporation by Reference Will Be the Focus of ANSI’s 2012 Legal Issues Forum**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3355&source=whatsnew091012)

In an effort to explore the issues surrounding incorporation by reference of voluntary consensus standards into government regulation, ANSI will hold a Legal Issues Forum, *Incorporation by Reference, Reasonable Availability, and Copyright,* from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on October 10, 2012, at the Newseum’s Knight Conference Center, 555 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, in Washington, DC.
[more…](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3355&source=whatsnew091012)

[**October ANSI Caucus to Feature Product Safety Expert Robert Adler of U.S. CPSC**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3354&source=whatsnew091012)

ANSI is pleased to announce that the next ANSI Caucus Luncheon, to be held Thursday, October 4, will feature Robert Adler, a commissioner at the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC).
[more…](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3354&source=whatsnew091012)

**[Free International Delegates Training Course and Introduction to Standards Available Online](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3352&source=whatsnew091012)**

ANSI strongly encourages individuals who are planning to serve as delegates at international standardization meetings to make use of a free multimedia training course, titled *U.S. Delegates to International Activities: Roles and Responsibilities*.
[more…](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3352&source=whatsnew091012)

[**ISO Holds Workshop on Global Water Issues in Japan**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3351&source=whatsnew091012)

On July 25-26, ISO held an international workshop focused on global water issues in Kobe, Japan. The workshop featured remarks from experts in the fields of water sustainability, water and waste treatment, and water crisis management, as well as significant discussion between participants.
[more…](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3351&source=whatsnew091012)

[**People on the Move**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3353&source=whatsnew091012)

*People on the Move* spotlights trailblazers in standardization, highlighting their latest achievements, advancements, and contributions to the standards community. In this issue: Gary Honold.
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SOCIAL MEDIA

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PUBLIC POLICY

*Federal Register* notices of potential interest …

[Standards and Trade Related Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, August 28 – September 4, 2012](http://publicsp.ansi.org:8080/sites/apdl/Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/Standards%20_%20CA%20Notices/2012/09%2010%2012.pdf?&source=whatsnew091012)

[National Cooperative Research and Production Act Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, June 9th, 2012 – July 30, 2012](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/NCRP%20Notices/2012/NCRPNotices%2007_30_12.pdf?&source=whatsnew091012)

PUBLICATIONS

Take advantage of more great information…

[**Standards Action – September 7, 2012**](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Standards%20Action/2012_PDFs/SAV4336.pdf?&source=whatsnew091012)The latest issue of ANSI’s key public review vehicle.

[***United States Standards Strategy* (USSS) *– Third Edition***](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Standards%20Activities/NSSC/USSS_Third_edition/USSS%202010-sm.pdf?&source==whatsnew091012)
The *United States Standards Strategy* provides a framework that can be used by all interested parties to further advance trade issues, and a vision for the future of the U.S. standards system in today’s globally competitive economy.[***2010-2011 Annual Report***](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/Annual%20Report%20Archive/ANSI_2010_11_AnnualReport.pdf?&source=whatsnew091012)
This year's annual report, *Standardization – Paving the Road to Innovation*, describes how ANSI and its Federation of members have continued to use the power of collaboration to develop solutions for economic growth, innovation, and global priorities, fortifying the U.S. marketplace position in the global economy through standards-based solutions to national and global priorities.

Check out our other[publications](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/periodicals/overview.aspx?menuid=7&source=whatsnew091012)and[documents of interest](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/other_documents/other_doc.aspx?menuid=7&source=whatsnew091012).

CALENDAR

Please check the [Events Section](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/online_calendar/events.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew091012) of ANSI Online regularly for updated and new event information.

**[ANSI-HSSP Workshop on CBRNE Standards](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/events/2012/hssp_workshop0512.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew091012)**September 11, 2012
Arlington, VA

[**ANSI-HSSP Plenary and Workshop on Global Supply Chain Security Standards**](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/events/2012/HSSP_workshop_meeting_0912.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew091012)September 12–13, 2012
Washington, DC

[**World Standards Week 2012**](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/WSW12/wsw.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew091012)October 9-12, 2012
Washington, DC

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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[**New on StandardsLearn.org: Standardization Case Studies**](http://www.standardslearn.org/standardization_case_studies.aspx?&source=whatsnew091012)

From radiation detection to quality drinking water, a wide variety of topics are addressed by these case studies, where standardization – either the concept or actual practice – helped in the resolution of real-world problems. Instructors can use these case studies as a vehicle to stimulate class discussion of standardization in their discipline, along with the economic and/or operational consequences of addressing or not addressing the issues or needs.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

As a service to our members and constituents in the U.S. standards and conformity assessment community, ANSI provides an [online network](http://www.ansi.org/career_opportunities/positions_available/position_available.aspx?menuid=13&source=whatsnew?&source=whatsnew091012) connecting the most progressive companies with the most qualified career-minded individuals.

Openings are frequently available in ANSI’s New York and Washington, DC, offices. For more information or to submit your qualifications, visit the [Career Opportunities Section](http://www.ansi.org/career_opportunities/positions_available/position_available.aspx?menuid=13&source=whatsnew091012) of ANSI Online.

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 [**ANSI/ASME B30. Construction Package**](http://webstore.ansi.org/RecordDetail.aspx?sku=ANSI%2fASME+B30.+Construction+Package)

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