What’s New?
What’s New? is a weekly electronic newsletter produced and distributed free of charge to the members and constituents of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). For a complete listing of ANSI news and events, visit ANSI Online. >>>

HEADLINES
Get caught up on the latest news from ANSI…

ANSI Launches Company Member Online Discussion Board
ANSI, in partnership with its Company Member Forum (CMF), has released a new online discussion board, providing members with an opportunity to share, connect, and discuss emerging industry issues.

ANSI Holds Solar Mini-Grid Workshop under U.S.-Africa Clean Energy Standards Program in Kenya
On September 29, ANSI, with the support of the U.S. Trade and Development Agency (USTDA) initiative the U.S.-Africa Clean Energy Standards Program (CESP), held the “Solar Mini-Grids Workshop: Regulatory Framework and Quality Assurance” in Nairobi, Kenya. The event provided an opportunity for attending rural electrification experts to share expertise regarding solar mini-grids in Kenya and East Africa.

White House Announces Coalition of Partners to Develop Internet of Things–Enabled Smart City Framework; ANSI among Participating Organizations
The White House recently announced that the U.S. Department of Commerce’s National Institute of Standards and Technology and partners, including ANSI, have established a new international coalition dedicated to developing an Internet of Things-Enabled Smart City Framework, with an initial release planned for next summer.

Choose a Winner for the World Standards Day Video Competition!
The World Standards Cooperation has selected 13 finalists for its annual World Standards Day video competition, highlighting “Standards Build Trust”; to support this effort, ANSI encourages all stakeholders to vote for a winner.

ANSI Welcomes New Members

People on the Move
People on the Move spotlights trailblazers in standardization, highlighting their latest achievements, advancements, and contributions to the standards and conformance community. In this issue: the Association of Equipment Manufacturers (AEM) and SAE International.

SOCIAL MEDIA
Check us out on …

PUBLIC POLICY
This week’s Federal Register notices of potential interest …
Standards Related Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, September 26-30, 2016

National Cooperative Research and Production Act Notices from the U.S. Federal Register: April – September 2016

PUBLICATIONS
Take advantage of more great information…

Standards Action – September 30, 2016
ANSI’s key public review vehicle enables effective participation in the standards development process.

United States Standards Strategy (USSS)
The United States Standards Strategy provides a framework to further advance trade and a vision for the future of the U.S. standards system in today’s globally competitive economy.

United States Conformity Assessment Principles (USCAP)
The United States Conformity Assessment Principles articulates how U.S. conformity assessment activities foster confidence while avoiding the creation of unnecessary barriers to trade.

2014 – 2015 Annual Report
The 2015 annual report, A Window on the Standardization Initiatives Making the World a Safer, Better Place, provides a summary of recent work carried out by ANSI and its constituents in support of ANSI’s mission.

What Is ANSI?
This user-friendly introduction to ANSI provides a brief overview of many of the Institute’s ongoing programs and activities.

Check out our other publications and documents of interest.

CALENDAR
Visit the Events Section of ANSI Online regularly for complete event information.

World Standards Week (WSW) 2016
October 24 – 28, 2016, Washington, DC

U.S. Celebration of World Standards Day (WSD) 2016
October 27, 2016, Washington, DC

EDUCATION AND TRAINING
Check out ANSI’s Education and Training page regularly for listings of upcoming courses.

Visit StandardsLearn.org for easy-to-use educational tools that address the full range of standards activities. All of the courses and resources are free and provided by ANSI as a public service. Standardization Case Studies demonstrate how standardization helped in the resolution of real-world problems. Instructors can use these case studies as a vehicle to stimulate class discussion of standardization and its potential economic and/or operational benefits.

ANSI’s K-12 Learning Resources provide a fun and interactive introduction to standards and the critical role they play in everyday life.
CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
ANSI provides an online network of standardization-related career opportunities as a service to our members and constituents. ANSI’s Career page includes openings in ANSI's New York and Washington, DC, offices, as well as job listings from ANSI member and other prominent companies and organizations.

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This week’s featured eSS package:

ISO 6469 - Electrically Propelled Road Vehicles Package
ISO 6469 - Electrically Propelled Road Vehicles Package provides safety specifications for electric road vehicles and it specifically addresses on-board rechargeable energy storage systems for the protection of people inside and outside the vehicle as well as safety means and protection against electrical failures. ISO 6469 - Electrically Propelled Road Vehicles Package also specifies requirements to protect people from electric shock in electric road vehicles in addition to electrical safety requirements for vehicle post-crash conditions.

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