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Revisions

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SCTE (Society of Cable Telecommunications Engineers)

New Standards

BSR/SCTE 40-200x, Cable Network Interface Specification (new standard)
Defines the characteristics and normative specifications for the network interface between a cable television plant and commercially available consumer equipment that is used to access multi-channel television programming. A previous draft of this document was subject to public review on 1/11/2002; however, that document was withdrawn from consideration and revised. If comments were submitted in connection with the prior public review, and those comments remain, then commenters are required to resubmit the comments in response to the current public review.
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Revisions

BSR/SCTE 28-200x, Host-POD Interface (revision of ANSI/SCTE 28-2002)
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- BSR/UL 2250-200x, Instrumentation Tray Cable (Bulletin dated May 30, 2003) (new standard)
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IEEE (ASC N42) (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers)

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NEMA (ASC C78) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)

New Standards

- BSR C78.LL 1256-200x, Electric Lamps - Procedures for Fluorescent Lamp Sample Preparation and the Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (new standard)
This standard is supplies specific instructions for size reduction of lamps including integral electronic compact, pin-based compact, linear and U-shaped fluorescent lamps.
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Projects Withdrawn from Consideration

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TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

BSR/TIA/EIA 455-78A-1996 (R200x), Measurements of Strip Force for Mechanically Removing Coverings from Optical Fibers (reaffirmation of ANSI/TIA/EIA 455-78A-1996)

30 Day Notice of Withdrawal: ANS 5 to 10 years past approval date

In accordance with clause 4.7.1 Periodic Maintenance of American National Standards of the ANSI Essential Requirements, the following American National Standards have not been reaffirmed or revised within the five-year period following approval as an ANS. Thus, they shall be withdrawn at the close of this 30-day public review notice in Standards Action.

ANSI/TIA/EIA 455-129-1996, Procedure for Applying Human Body Model Electrostatic Discharge Stress to Packaged Optoelectronic Components
ANSI/TIA/EIA 526-4A-1997, Optical Eye Pattern Measurement Procedure
ANSI/TIA/EIA 619-1995, Aggregation of Multiple Independent 56 kbit/s or 64 kbit/s Channels into a Synchronized Wideband Connection
ANSI/TIA/EIA 626-1995, Multimedia Fiber-Optic Link Transmission Design
ANSI/TIA/EIA 660-1996, Uniform Dialing Procedures and Call Processing Treatment for Cellular RadioTelecommunications
ANSI/TIA/EIA 620AA00-1994, Blank Detail Specification for Single-Mode FiberOptic Branching Devices for Outside Plant Applications

Notice of Withdrawal: ANS at least 10 years past approval date

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ANSI C37.44-1981 (R1992), Distribution Oil Cutouts and Fuse Links, Specifications for
ANSI C37.45-1981 (R1992), Distribution Enclosed Single-Pole Air Switches, Specifications for
ANSI J-STD-003-1992, Solderability Tests for Printed Boards
ANSI N13.27-1981 (R1992), Dosimeters and Alarm Ratemeters, Performance Requirements for Pocket-Sized Alarm
ANSI N43.3-1993, General Radiation Safety - Installations Using Non-Medical X-Ray and Sealed Gamma-Ray Sources, Energies up to 10 MeV
ANSI PH3.104-1992, Photography - Front Lens Barrels up to 127 mm - Dimensions Important to the Connection of Auxiliaries
ANSI PH3.200-1987 (R1992), Photography (Darkroom Equipment) - Contact Printers and Printing Frames - Specifications
ANSI T1.624-1993, Telecommunications - Broadband ISDN User-Network Interfaces - Rates and Formats Specifications
ANSI Z21.2-1992, Gas Hose Connectors for Portable Indoor Gas-Fired Equipment
ANSI Z83.9a-1992, Gas-Fired Duct Furnaces
ANSI/AAMI ST43-1993, Good Hospital Practice: Ethylene Oxide Gas - Ventilation Recommendations and Safe Use
ANSI/ADA 15a-1992, Synthetic Resin Teeth
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ANSI/ADA 23a-1984 (R1993), Dental Excavating Burs
ANSI/ADA 55-1985 (R1992), Dispensers of Alloys and Mercury for Dental Amalgam
ANSI/ADA 59-1992, Portable Steam Sterilizers for Use in Dentistry
ANSI/ADA 61-1980 (R1992), Dental Material - Zinc Polycarboxylate Cement
ANSI/AIAA R-004-1992, Recommended Practice for Atmospheric and Space Flight Vehicle Coordinate Systems
ANSI/AIMM MS29-1992, Micrographics - Cores and Spools for Microfilm Recording Equipment - Dimensions
ANSI/ANS 2.8-1992, Determining Design Basis Flooding at Power Reactor Sites
ANSI/ANS 3.8.5-1992, Criteriá for Emergency Radiological Field Monitoring, Sampling, and Analysis
ANSI/API 520-1992, Sizing, Selection, and Installation of Pressure-Relieving Devices in Refineries - Part I, Sizing and Selection
ANSI/API 521-1992, Guide for Pressure-Relieving and Depressing Systems
ANSI/ICEA S-82-552-1992, Instrumentation Cables and Thermocouple Wire


ANSI/IEEE 752-1986 (R1993), Functional Requirements for Methods and Equipment for Measuring the Performance of Tone Address Signaling Systems

ANSI/IEEE 934-1987 (R1993), Replacement Parts for Class 1E Equipment in Nuclear Power Generating Stations, Design of

ANSI/IEEE 946-1993, Safety-Related DC Auxiliary Power Systems for Nuclear Power Generating Stations, Design of

ANSI/IEEE 990-1987 (R1993), ADA as a Program Design Language, Recommended Practice for

ANSI/IEEE 999-1993, Master/Remote SCADA Communication


ANSI/IEEE 1036-1993, Application of Shunt Power Capacitors


ANSI/IEEE 1155-1993, High Speed Backplane Instrumentation Bus Structure

ANSI/IEEE 1209-1993, Evaluation and Selection of CASE Tools

ANSI/IEEE C57.19.00-1991, General Requirements and Test Procedure for Outdoor Power Apparatus Bushing

ANSI/IPC D-356-1992, Bare Board Electrical Test Information in Digital Form


ANSI/IPC SG-141-1992, Finished Fabric Woven from "S" Glass for Printed Boards

ANSI/IPC SM-785-1993, Accelerated Reliability Testing of Surface Mount Solder Attachments

ANSI/IPC T-50E-1992, Terms and Definitions for Interconnecting and Packaging Electronic Circuits

ANSI/ISA S5.1-1984 (R1992), Instrumentation Symbols and Identification

ANSI/ISA S5.2-1976 (R1992), Binary Logic Diagrams for Process Operations

ANSI/ISA S18.1-1979 (R1992), Annunciators - Sequences and Specifications

ANSI/ISO 5609-1989, Boring Bars for Indexable Inserts - Dimensions

ANSI/NEMA WC 55-1992, Instrumentation Cables and Thermocouple Wire

ANSI/NFPA 497A-1992, Classification of Class I Hazardous (Classified) Locations for Electrical Installations in Chemical Process Areas


ANSI/SAAMI Z299.1-1992, Pressure and Velocity of Rimfire Sporting Ammunition for the Use of Commercial Manufacturers

ANSI/SAAMI Z299.4-1992, Pressure and Velocity of Centerfire Rifle Sporting Ammunition for the Use of Commercial Manufacturers

ANSI/SAE J1928-APR93, Devices Providing Backfire Flame Control for Gasoline Engines in Marine Applications

ANSI/SIA A92.5-1992, Boom-Supported Elevating Work Platforms

ANSI/SMPTE 55-1992, Motion-Picture Film - 35- and 16-mm Audio Release Prints - Leaders and Cue Marks


ANSI/SMPTE 195-1993, Dimensions of Projectable Image Area on 35-mm Motion-Picture Prints

ANSI/SMPTE 236-1987 (R1992), Motion-Picture Equipment (8mm Type R) - Projection Reels

ANSI/SMPTE 238M-1992, Television Analog Recording - 1/2-in Type L - Tape and Cassettes

ANSI/SMPTE 254-1992, Motion-Picture Film (35-mm) - Manufacturer-Printed, Latent Image Identification Information

ANSI/TIA/EIA 455-7:1992, Numerical Aperture of Step-Index Multimode Optical Fibers by Output Far-Field Radiation Pattern Measurement

ANSI/TIA/EIA 455-44B-1992, Fiber Optics - Refractive Index Profile, Refracted Ray Method


ANSI/TIA/EIA 526-1992, Test Procedures for Fiber Optic Systems

ANSI/UL 209-1992, Cellular Metal Floor Raceways and Fittings

ANSI/UL 789-1993, Indicator Posts for Fire-Protective Services


ANSI/UL 1474-1992, Adjustable Drop Nipples for Sprinkler Systems
The addresses listed in this section are to be used in conjunction with standards listed in Call for Comment. This section is a list of developers who have submitted standards for public review in this issue of Standards Action – it is not intended to be a list of all ANSI developers. Please send all address corrections to: Standards Action Editor, American National Standards Institute, 25 West 43rd Street, New York, NY 10036 or standact@ansi.org.

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Initiation of Canvasses

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Final actions on American National Standards

The standards actions listed below have been approved by the ANSI Board of Standards Review (BSR) or by an ANSI-Audited Designator, as applicable.

AGMA (American Gear Manufacturers Association)

Revisions


AMCA (Air Movement and Control Association)

New Standards


ARI (Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute)

New Standards


ASHRAE (American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc.)

Supplements


ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

Reaffirmations

ANSI/ASME B18.2.3.10M-1996 (R2003), Square Head Bolts (Metric Series) (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME B18.2.3.10M-1996): 6/5/2003

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ASTM (ASTM International)

New Standards


Reaffirmations

Revisions


Withdrawals


ATIS (ASC T1) (Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions)

New Standards


Reaffirmations


Revisions


AWS (American Welding Society)

Revisions


AWWA (American Water Works Association)

New Standards


BHMA (Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association)

New Standards


HL7 (Health Level Seven)

New Standards


IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers)

Supplements


ITI (INCITS) (InterNational Committee for Information Technology Standards)

New Standards


NEMA (ASC C78) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)

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NSF (NSF International)

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SCTE (Society of Cable Telecommunications Engineers)

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UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

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VITA (VMEbus International Trade Association (VITA))

New Standards

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Project Initiation Notification System (PINS)

ANSI Procedures require notification of ANSI by ANSI-accredited standards developers of the initiation and scope of activities expected to result in new or revised American National Standards. This information is a key element in planning and coordinating American National Standards. For additional information, see clause 2.4 of the ANSI Essential Requirements: Due Process Requirements for American National Standards (January 2003 edition).

Following is a list of proposed new American National Standards or revisions to existing American National Standards that have been received from ANSI-accredited standards developers that utilize the periodic maintenance option in connection with their standards. Please also review the section entitled "American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance" contained in Standards Action for comparable information with regard to standards maintained under the continuous maintenance option. Directly and materially affected interests wishing to receive more information should contact the standards developer directly.

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This standard applies to household refrigerators, refrigerator-freezers, freezers and wine chillers. This standard covers definitions, methods for computing volumes and shelf areas, methods for determining volumes of special features, performance test procedures, durability test procedures, methods for determining energy consumption and energy factor, and safety recommendations.

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BSR B11.16-200x, Safety Requirements for Metal Powder Compacting Presses (MPIF #47) (new standard)
Describes the safety requirements pertaining to the design, construction, installation, startup, operation, and maintenance of various types of metal powder compacting presses.

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BSR/ASTM Z0334Z-200x, Test Method for Measurement of the Leakage Currents from Smoke Deposited on Electric Circuits (new standard)
This is a fire response test standard. The tests are conducted by burning electrical insulating materials contained in electrical or optical fiber cables when the cable test specimens, excluding accessories, are subject to radiant heat in a tube furnace.

BSR/ASTM Z0364Z-200x, Test Method for the Performance of Powered Open Warewashing Sinks (new standard)
This test method evaluates the energy consumption and cleaning performance of powered open warewashing sinks. The food service operator can use these tests to evaluate and select suitable wash-ing device and understand its energy consumption and cleaning ability. This test method applies to powered open warewashing sinks (powered sinks) with the following characteristics: a large main water sink with electrically powered water pump(s) and multiple high flow water nozzles.

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American National Standards 
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Maintenance 

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clause 4.7.1) and continuous maintenance (see clause 4.7.2). 
Continuous maintenance is defined as follows:

The standard shall be maintained by an accredited standards 
developer. A documented program for periodic publication of 
revisions shall be established by the standards developer. 
Processing of these revisions shall be in accordance with these 
procedures. The published standard shall include a clear statement 
of the intent to consider requests for change and information on the 
submittal of such requests. Procedures shall be established for 
timely, documented consensus action on each request for change 
and no portion of the standard shall be excluded from the revision 
process. In the event that no revisions are issued for a period of four 
years, action to reaffirm or withdraw the standard shall be taken in 
accordance with the procedures contained in the ANSI Essential 
Requirements.

The Executive Standards Council (ExSC) has determined that for 
standards maintained under the Continuous Maintenance option, 
separate PINS announcements are not required. The following ANSI 
Accredited Standards Developers have formally registered standards 
under the Continuous Maintenance option.

- AAMVA
- AGRSS
- ASC B109 (AGA)
- ASHRAE
- ASME
- ASTM
- NBBPVI
- NSF International
- TIA
- Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

To obtain additional information with regard to these standards, such 
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Announcement of Procedural Revisions
Comment Deadline: July 14, 2003

Comments with regard to these proposed revisions should be submitted to psa@ansi.org or via fax to the Recording Secretary of the ANSI Executive Standards Council (ExSC) at 212-840-2298. Mailed comments should be sent to ANSI, ExSC Recording Secretary, 25 West 43 Street, 4th Floor, New York, NY by July 14, 2003.
This proposed revision to the ANSI Essential Requirements acknowledges that there are many parts of a published standard that do not go through the full consensus process (e.g., cover page, copyright page, committee roster), but since there is nothing in these parts of a standard that would impact application of the requirements of the standard, there is no value added to identifying these portions as not being part of the American National Standard. Therefore, this proposed revision would limit this requirement to portions of a standard that could actually impact the application of the requirements of the standard.

**ExSC 6254r**

### 4.4 Designation of American National Standards

A standard that is approved as an American National Standard shall have its cover or title page marked with an approval logo furnished by ANSI or the words “an American National Standard.” In addition, American National Standards shall be marked in such a way as to identify the version of the standard or shall be identified by a unique alphanumeric designation in accordance with the guidelines contained herein.

The ANSI approval logo and the words “an American National Standard” shall not be used to identify any standard that has not received approval as an ANS by the ANSI Board of Standards Review or been approved by an accredited standards developer who has been granted authority to designate its standards as American National Standards.

Portions of the published document that were not approved through the full consensus process but contain information that may appear to be requirements necessary for conformance with the approved and therefore are not part of the American National Standard (ANS) (such as forewords, prefaces, annexes, appendices, interpretations, etc.) shall be (1) clearly identified at the beginning and end of each such portion of the document, or (2) clause, or such information shall be overprinted on the cover page. These portions of the document shall be marked with the following, or similar, explanatory language:

> “The information contained in this annex (or other portion of a document) is not part of this American National Standard (ANS) and has not been processed in accordance with ANSI’s requirements for an ANS. As such, this annex (or other portion of a document) may contain material that has not been subjected to public review or a consensus process. In addition, it does not contain requirements necessary for conformance to the standard.”

American National Standards shall be identified by a unique alphanumeric designation (e.g., ANSI/ASD 123-2001). Multiple designations should be avoided. If a standard has multiple designations, an attempt shall be made by those concerned to arrive at a single designation.

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1 An “Approved American National Standard” mark is available from ANSI.
This proposed revision to the *ANSI Essential Requirements* is intended to articulate the limited conditions under which an ANSI-accredited standards developer may make technical changes to the content of an American National Standard under exceptional circumstances and without formal approval by the consensus body.

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2.6 Evidence of consensus and consensus body vote

Evidence of consensus in accordance with these procedures and the accredited procedures of the standards developer shall be documented.

2.6.1 Consensus body vote

Consensus is demonstrated, in part, by a vote of the consensus body. Such a vote shall be conducted and reported in accordance with the rules set forth herein.

1. Accredited Standards Developers (ASDs) shall not change a vote unless instructed to do so by the voter. If the change of vote was not submitted in writing by the voter, then written confirmation of such a vote change shall be provided to the voter by the developer. It is never appropriate for an ASD to inform voters that if they are not heard from, their negative vote will be considered withdrawn and their vote will be recorded as an abstention or an affirmative. All negative votes that are not changed at the request of the voter shall be recorded and reported to the BSR as outstanding negatives by any ASD that has not been granted the authority to designate its standards as American National Standards without approval by the BSR.

2. ASDs shall record and consider all negative votes accompanied by any comments that are related to the proposal under consideration. This includes negative votes accompanied by comments concerning potential conflict or duplication of the draft standard with an existing American National Standard and negative votes accompanied by comments of a procedural or philosophical nature. These types of comments shall not be dismissed due to the fact that they do not necessarily provide alternative language or a specific remedy to the negative vote.

3. ASD’s are not required to consider negative votes accompanied by comments not related to the proposal under consideration, or negative votes without comments. The ASD shall indicate conspicuously on the letter ballot that negative votes must be accompanied by comments related to the proposal and that votes unaccompanied by such comments will be recorded as “negative without comments” without further notice to the voter. If comments not related to the proposal are submitted with a negative vote, the comments shall be documented and considered in the same manner as submittal of a new proposal. If clear instruction is provided on the ballot, and a negative vote unaccompanied by comments related to the proposal is received notwithstanding, the vote may be counted as a “negative without comment” for the purposes of establishing a quorum and reporting to ANSI. However, such votes (i.e., negative vote without comment or negative vote accompanied by comments not related to the proposal) shall not be factored into the numerical requirements for consensus, unless the ASD’s procedures state otherwise. The ASD is not required to solicit any comments from the negative voter. The ASD is not required to conduct a recirculation ballot of the negative vote. The ASD is required to report the “no” vote as a “negative without comment” when making their final submittal to the BSR unless the ASD has been granted the authority to designate its standards as American National Standards without approval by the BSR.

4. The ASD shall maintain records of evidence regarding any change of an original vote.

5. Except in regard to votes on membership and officer-related issues, each member of a consensus body should vote one of the following positions (or the equivalent):

a) Affirmative;
b) Affirmative, with comment;

c) Negative, with reasons (the reasons for a negative vote shall be given and if possible should include specific wording or actions that would resolve the objection);

d) Abstain.

6. For votes on membership and officer-related issues, the affirmative/negative/abstain method of voting shall be followed. Votes with regard to these issues need not be accompanied by reasons and need not be resolved or circulated to the consensus body.

2.6.2 Extraordinary Actions

If a developer’s accredited procedures explicitly permit the technical content of a proposed ANS to be changed, under extraordinary circumstances, by an appellate or oversight body after the public review and final vote of the consensus body, then the developer may take such action provided the following conditions are satisfied:

1. Notice and justification for the basis of such action is provided to the consensus body in a timely manner for informational purposes.

2. A justification of the basis for the action shall be made available to the public upon request. An informational announcement and the availability of a justification shall be published in ANSI’s Standards Action.
This proposed revision to the *ANSI Essential Requirements* is intended, in part, to ensure that there is not a prohibition on some acceptable uses of a developer’s trademark in the text of a standard, such as normative references to standards that include the trademark as part of the name or designation. It is also intended to restore flexibility, consistent with the goal of the *ANSI Essential Requirements*.

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3.2 Commercial terms and conditions

Provisions involving business relations between buyer and seller such as guarantees, warranties, and other commercial terms and conditions shall not be included in an American National Standard. Generally, it is not acceptable to include proper names or trademarks of specific companies or organizations in the text of a standard or in an annex (or the equivalent). It is not acceptable to include manufacturer lists, service provider lists, or similar material in the text of a standard or in an annex (or the equivalent). Where a sole source exists for essential equipment, materials or services necessary to determine compliance with the standard, it is permissible to supply the name and address of the source in a footnote or informative annex as long as the words “or the equivalent” are added to the reference. In connection with standards that relate to the determination of whether products or services conform to one or more standards, the process or criteria for determining conformity can be standardized as long as the description of the process or criteria is limited to technical and engineering concerns and does not include what would otherwise be a commercial term or proper name.
This proposed revision to the ANSI Essential Requirements is intended to clarify that all members of a consensus body shall have the opportunity to vote on the final approval of a document as an American National Standard (ANS).

2.6 Evidence of consensus and consensus body vote

Evidence of consensus in accordance with these procedures and the accredited procedures of the standards developer shall be documented.

Consensus is demonstrated, in part, by a vote of the consensus body. Votes for the approval of a document or portion thereof as a candidate ANS may be obtained by letter, fax, recorded votes at a meeting or electronic means. All members of the consensus body shall have the opportunity to vote. When recorded votes are taken at meetings, members who are absent shall be given the opportunity to vote before or after the meeting.

1. Accredited Standards Developers (ASDs) shall not change a vote unless instructed to do so by the voter. If the change of vote was not submitted in writing by the voter, then written confirmation of such a vote change shall be provided to the voter by the developer. It is never appropriate for an ASD to inform voters that if they are not heard from, their negative vote will be considered withdrawn and their vote will be recorded as an abstention or an affirmative. All negative votes that are not changed at the request of the voter shall be recorded and reported to the BSR as outstanding negatives by any ASD that has not been granted the authority to designate its standards as American National Standards without approval by the BSR.

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6. For votes on membership and officer-related issues, the affirmative/negative/abstain method of voting shall be followed. Votes with regard to these issues need not be accompanied by reasons and need not be resolved or circulated to the consensus body.
ISO Draft International Standards

This section lists proposed standards that the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) is considering for approval. The proposals have received substantial support within the technical committees or subcommittees that developed them and are now being circulated to ISO members for comment and vote. Standards Action readers interested in reviewing and commenting on these documents should order copies from ANSI.

Comments
Comments regarding ISO documents should be sent to Henrietta Scully, at ANSI's New York offices. The final date for offering comments is listed after each draft.

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web: http://global.ihs.com

DENTISTRY (TC 106)
ISO/DIS 1942, Dental vocabulary - 9/6/2003, $121.00

MECHANICAL VIBRATION AND SHOCK (TC 108)
ISO/DIS 18431-2, Mechanical vibration and shock - Signal processing - Part 2: Time domain windows for Fourier transform analysis - 9/4/2003, $33.00

METALLIC AND OTHER INORGANIC COATINGS (TC 107)
ISO/DIS 21968, Non-magnetic metallic coatings on metallic and non-metallic basis materials - Measurement of coating thickness - Phase sensitive eddy current method - 9/6/2003, $42.00

NUCLEAR ENERGY (TC 85)
ISO/DIS 18589-1, Measurement of radioactivity in the environment - Soil - Part 1: General guide and definitions - 9/4/2003, $42.00

PAPER, BOARD AND PULPS (TC 6)
ISO/DIS 1830, Paper, board and pulps - Determination of manganese - 9/4/2003, $29.00

PLASTICS (TC 61)

ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)
ISO/DIS 1728, Road vehicles - Pneumatic braking connections between motor vehicles and towed vehicles - Interchangeability - 9/6/2003, $42.00
ISO/DIS 11451-2, Road vehicles - Vehicle test methods for electrical disturbances from narrowband radiated electromagnetic energy - Part 2: Off-vehicle radiation sources - 9/6/2003, $46.00

TEXTILES (TC 38)
ISO/DIS 7768, Textiles - Method for assessing the smoothness appearance of fabrics after domestic washing and drying - 9/6/2003, $29.00
Newly Published ISO and IEC Standards

Listed here are new and revised standards recently approved and promulgated by ISO - the International Organization for Standardization – and IEC – the International Electrotechnical Commission. Most are available at the ANSI Electronic Standards Store (ESS) at www.ansi.org. All paper copies are available from Global Engineering Documents.

Weblinks are now provided from Standards Action to ANSI’s Electronic Standards Store. To purchase a PDF copy of the desired standard, click on the blue, underlined designation.

ISO Standards

MEASUREMENT OF FLUID FLOW IN CLOSED CONDUITS (TC 30)
ISO 10790/Amendment 1:2003, Measurement of fluid flow in closed conduits - Coriolis mass flowmeters - Amendment 1: Guidelines for gas measurement, $13.00

PLASTICS (TC 61)
ISO 899-1:2003, Plastics - Determination of creep behaviour - Part 1: Tensile creep, $59.00
ISO 899-2:2003, Plastics - Determination of creep behaviour - Part 2: Flexural creep by three-point loading, $53.00
ISO 7823-1:2003, Plastics - Poly(methyl methacrylate) sheets - Types, dimensions and characteristics - Part 1: Cast sheets, $45.00
ISO 7823-2:2003, Plastics - Poly(methyl methacrylate) sheets - Types, dimensions and characteristics - Part 2: Extruded sheets, $48.00

SMALL TOOLS (TC 29)
ISO 1641-1:2003, End mills and slot drills - Part 1: Milling cutters with cylindrical shanks, $33.00
ISO 1641-3:2003, End mills and slot drills - Part 3: Milling cutters with 7/24 taper shanks, $33.00

STERILIZATION OF HEALTH CARE PRODUCTS (TC 198)
ISO 14387/Cor1:2003, Sterilization of health care products - General requirements for characterization of a sterilizing agent and the development, validation and routine control of a sterilization process for medical devices - Corrigendum, FREE

TEXTILE MACHINERY AND ALLIED MACHINERY AND ACCESSORIES (TC 72)
ISO 8122:2003, Textile machinery - Knitting machines - Number of needles for circular knitting machines of large nominal diameter, $33.00

ISO Technical Specifications

MECHANICAL TESTING OF METALS (TC 164)

ISO/IEC JTC 1, Information Technology


IEC Standards

AUDIO, VIDEO AND MULTIMEDIA SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT (TC 100)
IEC 60268-5 Ed. 3.0 en:2003, Sound system equipment - Part 5: Loudspeakers, $109.00
IEC 60268-16 Ed. 3.0 en:2003, Sound system equipment - Part 16: Objective rating of speech intelligibility by speech transmission index, $78.00
IEC 61305-5 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Household high-fidelity audio equipment and systems - Methods of measuring and specifying the performance - Part 5: Loudspeakers, $24.00
IEC 61603-7 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Transmission systems of audio and/or video and related signals using infra-red radiation - Part 7: Digital audio signals for conference and similar applications, $78.00
IEC 61937-1 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Digital audio - Interface for non-linear PCM encoded audio bitstreams applying IEC 60958 - Part 1: General, $70.00
IEC 61937-2 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Digital audio - Interface for non-linear PCM encoded audio bitstreams applying IEC 60958 - Part 2: Burst-info, $38.00

IEC 61937-3 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Digital audio - Interface for non-linear PCM encoded audio bitstreams applying IEC 60958 - Part 3: Non-linear PCM bitstreams according to the AC-3 format, $32.00

IEC 61937-4 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Digital audio - Interface for non-linear PCM encoded audio bitstreams applying IEC 60958 - Part 4: Non-linear PCM bitstreams according to the MPEG audio formats, $40.00

IEC 62251 TR Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Multimedia systems and equipment - Quality assessment - Audio-video communication systems, $99.00

IEC 62266 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Service diagnostic interface for consumer electronics products and networks - Implementation for IEEE 1394, $63.00

IEC 62330-1 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Helical-scan digital video cassette recording system using 12.65 mm (0.5 in) magnetic tape - Format HD-D5 - Part 1: VTR specifications, $146.00

IEC 62330-2 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Helical-scan digital video cassette recording system using 12.65 mm (0.5 in) magnetic tape - Format HD-D5 - Part 2: Compression format, $109.00

IEC 62330-3 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Helical-scan digital video cassette recording system using 12.65 mm (0.5 in) magnetic tape - Format HD-D5 - Part 3: Data stream format, $36.00

AUTOMATIC CONTROLS FOR HOUSEHOLD USE (TC 72)

IEC 60730-1 Amd.1 Ed. 3.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $99.00

CABLES, WIRES, WAVEGUIDES, R.F. CONNECTORS, AND ACCESSORIES FOR COMMUNICATION AND SIGNALLING (TC 46)

IEC 61156-7 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications - Part 7: Symmetrical pair cables with transmission characteristics up to 1 200 MHz - Sectional specification for digital and analog communication cables, $40.00

IEC 61156-7-1 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications - Part 7-1: Symmetrical pair cables with transmission characteristics up to 1 200 MHz - Blank detail specification for digital and analog communication cables, $28.00

IEC 61156-7-2 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Multicore and symmetrical pair/quad cables for digital communications - Part 7-2: Symmetrical pair cables with transmission characteristics up to 1 200 MHz - Quality assessment procedure - Sectional specification for digital and analog communication cables, $32.00

IEC 61935-2 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Generic cabling systems - Specification for the testing of balanced communication cabling in accordance with ISO/IEC 11801 - Part 2: Patch cords and work area cords, $74.00

CAPACITORS AND RESISTORS FOR ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT (TC 40)

IEC 60393-6 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Potentiometers for use in electronic equipment - Part 6: Sectional specification: Surface mount preset potentiometers, $78.00

IEC 60393-6-1 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Potentiometers for use in electronic equipment - Part 6-1: Blank detail specification: Surface mount preset potentiometers - Assessment level E, $46.00

ELECTRICAL TRACTION EQUIPMENT (TC 9)

IEC 62128-1 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Railway applications - Fixed installations - Part 1: Protective provisions relating to electrical safety and earthing, $164.00

ELECTRICAL ACCESSORIES (TC 23)

IEC 60670-22 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Boxes and enclosures for electrical accessories for household and similar fixed electrical installations - Part 22: Particular requirements for connecting boxes and enclosures, $46.00

IEC 60898-1 Amd.2 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 2, $46.00

IEC 60898-2 Amd.1 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $32.00

IEC 61084-2-2 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Cable trunking and ducting systems for electrical installations - Part 2-2: Particular requirements - Cable trunking systems and cable ducting systems intended for underfloor and flushfloor installations, $78.00

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT IN MEDICAL PRACTICE (TC 62)

IEC 60601-2-13 Ed. 3.0 en:2003, Medical electrical equipment - Part 2-13: Particular requirements for the safety and essential performance of anaesthetic systems, $109.00

ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS OF SHIPS AND OF MOBILE AND FIXED OFFSHORE UNITS (TC 18)

IEC 60992-376 Ed. 2.0 en:2003, Electrical installations in ships - Part 376: Cables for control and instrumentation circuits 150/250 V (300 V), $70.00

ELECTROMAGNETIC COMPATIBILITY (TC 77)

IEC 61000-4-6 Ed. 2.0 b:2003, Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 4-6: Testing and measurement techniques - Immunity to conducted disturbances, induced by radio-frequency fields, $109.00

ELECTROMECHANICAL COMPONENTS AND MECHANICAL STRUCTURES FOR ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT (TC 48)

IEC 60068-2-42 Ed. 3.0 b:2003, Environmental testing - Part 2-42: Tests and measurements - Part 11-7: Climatic tests - Test 11g: Voltage proof, $23.00

IEC 60068-2-43 Ed. 2.0 b:2003, Environmental testing - Part 2-43: Tests - Test Kd: Hydrogen sulphide test for contacts and connections, $32.00

IEC 60512-4-1 Ed. 1.0 b:1997, Electromechanical components for electronic equipment - Basic testing procedures and measuring methods - Part 1: General examination - Part 376: Cables for control and instrumentation circuits 150/250 V (300 V), $109.00

IEC 60512-5-2 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Connectors for electronic equipment - Tests and measurements - Part 2-5: Electrical continuity and contact resistance tests - Test 2b: Contact resistance - Specified test current method, $24.00

IEC 60512-5-5 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Connectors for electronic equipment - Tests and measurements - Part 2-5: Electrical continuity and contact resistance tests - Test 2e: Contact disturbance, $23.00

IEC 60512-4-1 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Connectors for electronic equipment - Tests and measurements - Part 4-1: Voltage stress tests - Test 4a: Voltage proof, $23.00

IEC 60512-11-7 Ed. 2.0 b:2003, Connectors for electronic equipment - Tests and measurements - Part 11-7: Climatic tests - Test 11g: Flowing mixed gas corrosion test, $24.00

IEC 60512-19-3 Ed. 1.0 b:1997, Electromechanical components for electronic equipment - Basic testing procedures and measuring methods - Part 19: Chemical resistance tests - Section 3: Test 19c: Fluid resistance, $25.00

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS, CLASSIFICATION AND METHODS OF TEST (TC 104)

IEC 60721-4-1 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $78.00

IEC 60721-4-2 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $70.00

IEC 60721-4-3 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $109.00
IEC 60721-4-4 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $78.00
IEC 60721-4-5 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $78.00
IEC 60721-4-6 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $63.00
IEC 60721-4-7 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $51.00

FIBRE OPTICS (TC 86)
IEC 61290-10-1 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Optical amplifiers - Test methods - Part 10-1: Multichannel parameters - Pulse method using an optical switch and optical spectrum analyzer, $74.00
IEC 61291-4 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Optical amplifiers - Part 4: Multichannel applications - Performance specification template, $51.00

INDUSTRIAL-PROCESS MEASUREMENT AND CONTROL (TC 65)
IEC 61313-1 Ed. 2.0 en:2003, Programmable controllers - Part 1: General information, $63.00
IEC 61158-2 Ed. 3.0 en:2003, Digital data communications for measurement and control - Fieldbus for use in industrial control systems - Part 2: Physical layer specification and service definition, $228.00
IEC 61158-3 Ed. 3.0 en:2003, Digital data communications for measurement and control - Fieldbus for use in industrial control systems - Part 3: Data link service definition, $228.00
IEC 61158-4 Ed. 3.0 en:2003, Digital data communications for measurement and control - Fieldbus for use in industrial control systems - Part 4: Data link protocol specification, $367.00
IEC 61158-5 Ed. 3.0 en:2003, Digital data communications for measurement and control - Fieldbus for use in industrial control systems - Part 5: Application layer service definition, $367.00
IEC 61158-6 Ed. 3.0 en:2003, Digital data communications for measurement and control - Fieldbus for use in industrial control systems - Part 6: Application layer protocol specification, $367.00
IEC 61784-1 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Digital data communications for measurement and control - Part 1: Profile sets for continuous and discrete manufacturing relative to fieldbus use in industrial control systems, $217.00

INSULATING MATERIALS (TC 15)
IEC 60454-3-16 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Pressure-sensitive adhesive tapes for electrical purposes - Part 3: Specifications for individual materials - Sheet 16: Polyester film/glass filament combinations with pressure-sensitive adhesive, $32.00
IEC 60454-3-18 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Pressure-sensitive adhesive tapes for electrical purposes - Part 3: Specifications for individual materials - Sheet 18: Polypropylene film tapes with pressure-sensitive adhesive, $28.00
IEC 60454-3-19 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Pressure-sensitive adhesive tapes for electrical purposes - Part 3: Specifications for individual materials - Sheet 19: Tapes made from various backing materials with pressure-sensitive adhesive on both sides, $32.00
IEC 60684-2 Ed. 2.1 b:2003, Flexible insulating sleeving - Part 2: Methods of test, $146.00

INSULATORS (TC 36)
IEC 60372 Ed. 2.0 b:2003, Amendment 2, $20.00
IEC 62155 Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Hollow pressurized and unpressurized ceramic and glass insulators for use in electrical equipment with rated voltages greater than 1 000 V, $109.00

LAMPS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT (TC 34)
IEC 60061-1 Amd.31 Ed. 3.0 b:2003, Amendment 31, $40.00

IEC 60061-3 Amd.30 Ed. 3.0 b:2003, Amendment 30, $89.00
IEC 60598-2-10 Ed. 2.0 b:2003, Luminaires - Part 2-10: Particular requirements - Portable luminaires for children, $32.00
IEC 60810 Ed. 3.0 b:2003, Lamps for road vehicles - Performance requirements, $89.00

MARITIME NAVIGATION AND RADIOCOMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS (TC 80)
IEC 61097-13 Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Global maritime distress and safety system (GMSS) - Part 13: Inmarsat F77 ship earth station equipment - Operational and performance requirements, methods of testing and required test results, $74.00

OTHER
IEC 60721-4-7 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $51.00
IEC 60721-4-6 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $63.00
IEC 60721-4-4 Amd.1 TR Ed. 1.0 b:2003, Amendment 1, $78.00

IEC 62239 TS Ed. 1.0 en:2003, Process management for avionics - Preparation of an electronic components management plan, $70.00
This section provides information on standards activity within CEN - the European Committee for Standardization - and CENELEC - the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardization. CEN and CENELEC are composed of European member bodies whose countries cooperate within the European Economic Community (Common Market) and the European Free Trade Association (EFTA). Their primary purpose is to develop standards needed to harmonize European interests and prevent technical barriers. Both CEN and CENELEC are committed to adopting standards developed by ISO and IEC wherever possible.

ANSI is publishing this information to give U.S. interests an opportunity to obtain information, and to comment on proposed European Standards and/or Harmonization Documents being circulated for enquiry. Anyone interested in obtaining this information, and/or commenting on proposals should order copies from ANSI.

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CEN

European drafts sent for CEN enquiry
The following European drafts have been sent to CEN members for enquiry and comment. If the draft is a proposed adoption of an International Standard, it is so noted. The final date for offering comments is listed after each proposal.

EN 740: 1998/prA1, Anaesthetic workstations and their modules - Particular requirements - 8/29/2003, $20.00
prEN 14211, Ambient air quality - Measurement method for the determination of the concentration of nitrogen dioxide and nitrogen monoxide by chemiluminescence - 8/29/2003, $102.00
prEN 14212, Ambient air quality - Measurement method for the determination of the concentration of sulphur dioxide by ultraviolet fluorescence - 8/29/2003, $110.00
prEN 14625, Ambient air quality - Measurement method for the determination of ozone in ambient air by means of ultraviolet photometric method - 8/29/2003, $110.00
prEN 14714, Inland navigation vessels - Connection for sampling devices at cargo tanks - Dimensions - 10/29/2003, $26.00
prEN ISO 463, Geometrical Product Specifications (GPS) - Dimensional measuring equipment - Design and metrological characteristics of mechanical dial gauges (ISO/DIS 463: 2003) - 7/21/2003, $20.00
prEN ISO 10477 REVIEW, Dentistry - Polymer based crown and bridge materials (ISO/DIS 10477: 2003) - 9/22/2003, $20.00

European drafts sent for formal vote (for information)
The following European drafts have been sent to CEN members for formal vote. If the draft is a proposed adoption of an International Standard, it is so noted.

prEN 326-3 REVIEW, Wood-based panels - Sampling, cutting and inspection - Part 3: Inspection of a lot of panels
prEN 1796, Plastics piping systems for water supply with or without pressure - Glass-reinforced thermosetting plastics (GRP) based on unsaturated polyester resin (UP)
CEN/CENELEC

European drafts sent for CEN/CENELEC enquiry

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Registration of Organization Names in the United States

The Procedures for Registration of Organization Names in the United States of America (document ISSB 989) require that alphanumeric organization names be subject to a 90-day Public Review period prior to registration. For further information, please contact the Registration Coordinator at (212) 642-4975.

The following is a list of alphanumeric organization names that have been submitted to ANSI for registration. Alphanumeric names appearing for the first time are printed in bold type. Names with confidential contact information, as requested by the organization, list only public review dates.

PUBLIC REVIEW

**Thomson Financial**
Organization: Thomson Financial
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Public review: March 31, 2003 to June 29, 2003

**Department of Labor**
Organization: Department of Labor, Office of the CIO
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NOTE: Challenged alphanumeric names are underlined. The Procedures for Registration provide for a challenge process, which follows in brief. For complete details, see Section 6.4 of the Procedures.

A challenge is initiated when a letter from an interested entity is received by the Registration Coordinator. The letter shall identify the alphanumeric organization name being challenged and state the rationale supporting the challenge. A challenge fee shall accompany the letter. After receipt of the challenge, the alphanumeric organization name shall be marked as challenged in the Public Review list. The Registration Coordinator shall take no further action to register the challenged name until the challenge is resolved among the disputing parties.

Proposed Foreign Government Regulations

Call for Comment

U.S. manufacturers, exporters, regulatory agencies and standards developing organizations may be interested in proposed foreign technical regulations issued by members of the World Trade Organization (WTO). In accordance with the WTO Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT Agreement), members are required to report proposed technical regulations that may significantly affect trade to the WTO Secretariat in Geneva, Switzerland, who in turn disseminates the information to all WTO members. The purpose of this requirement is to provide trading partners with an opportunity to review and comment on the regulation before it becomes final.

To distribute information on these proposed foreign technical regulations, the National Center for Standards and Certification Information (NCSCI), National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), provides an on-line service - Export Alert! - that allows interested parties to register and obtain notifications, via e-mail, for countries and industry sectors of interest to them. To register, go to http://ts.nist.gov/ncsci and click on "Export Alert!".

NCSCI serves as the U.S. WTO TBT inquiry point and receives copies of all notifications, in English, to disseminate to U.S. industry. To obtain copies of the full text of the regulations or for further information, contact NCSCI, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive, Stop 2160, Gaithersburg, MD. 20899-2160; telephone (301) 975-4040; fax (301) 926-1559, e-mail - ncsci@nist.gov.

NCSCI will also request an extension of the comment period and transmit comments to the issuing foreign agency for consideration.
Information Concerning

American National Standards

Comment Deadline Extended to July 10, 2003 for BSR/ACCA Man J 2-200x

In an effort to maximize openness and give additional time for comments, ACCA wishes to extend its public comment period an additional 30 days. The public comment period that would have concluded June 10, 2003 will end July 10, 2003.

ACCA (Air Conditioning Contractors of America)

BSR/ACCA Man J 2-200x, Standard for Residential Load Calculations (new standard)

Technical Manual (With Tables and electronic spreadsheet) outlining the proper methods and procedures for accurately calculating the heat loss and heat gain of conventional residential structures.

Single copy price: $79.00 Member, $125.00 Non-Member

Order from: Courtney Cooper, ACCA; (888) 290-2220

Send comments (with copy to BSR) to: Dick Shaw, ACCA; shawddd@aol.com
2800 Shirlington Road Suite 300
Arlington, VA  22206
PHONE: (231) 854-1488
http://www.acca.org/

Accredited Organizations

Approval of Accreditation

American Institute of Timber Construction (AITC)

The Executive Standards Council has approved the accreditation of the American Institute of Timber Construction (AITC) using its own operating procedures, effective June 6, 2003. For additional information, please contact: Mr. Ron Goff, Director, Inspection Bureau, American Institute of Timber Construction, 7021 South Revere Parkway, Suite 140, Englewood, CO 80112;
PHONE: (303) 792-9559; FAX: (303) 792-0669; E-mail: rgoff@aitc-glulam.org.

International Organization for Standardization (ISO)

Organizational Meeting

ISO/TC 225 - Market Research

ANSI has been advised the first meeting of ISO/TC 225 will be held July 2, 2003 in Madrid (Spain). This one-day meeting is aimed at confirming the scope; composition and business plan; as well as setting a working calendar for the main project. The meeting will also decide on the allocation of tasks among the different members.

The provisional scope of this Technical Committee is as follows:

- Standardization of the minimum requirements for organizations conducting market and opinion research. It is applicable to all organizations and professionals acting in this sector.

The United States is presently not a member of this Technical Committee.

Information concerning the US becoming a Participating Member of this Technical Committee can be obtained by contacting Henrietta Scully via e-mail: hscully@ansi.org; mail: c/o ANSI, 25 West 43rd Street, New York, NY 10036; or fax to (212) 730-1346.

U.S. Technical Advisory Groups

Approval of Reaccreditation

ISO/TC 21 - Equipment for Fire Protection and Fire Fighting

The Executive Standards Council has approved the reaccreditation of the U.S. Technical Advisory Group to ISO/TC 21, Equipment for fire protection and fire fighting, under revised operating procedures, effective June 2, 2003. For additional information, please contact: Ms. Debbie Baio, NFPA, One Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9101;
PHONE: (617) 984-7241; E-mail: dbaio@nfpa.org.

Accredited Standards Committees

Approval of Procedures

ASC CGATS - Committee for Graphic Arts Technologies Standards

The Executive Standards Council has approved the CGATS Procedure for Development of an ANSI Technical Report, submitted for review by the Association for Suppliers of Printing, Publishing and Converting Technologies (NPES) as the Secretariat of Accredited Standards Committee CGATS, Committee for Graphic Arts Technologies Standards, effective June 2, 2003. For additional information, please contact: Ms. Mary Abbott, Director, Standards Program, NPES, 1899 Preston White Drive, Reston, VA 20191-4367;
PHONE: (703) 620-0794; FAX: (703) 620-0994; E-mail: mabbott@npes.org.

Call for Members

Subcommittee Z88.14 - Respirator Use for Emergency Response and Operations Against Terrorism and Weapons of Mass Destruction

The AIHA ASC Z88 committee is forming a new subcommittee, Z88.14, Respirator Use for Emergency Response ad Operations Against Terrorism ad Weapons o Mass Destruction. The second meeting of the new subcommittee will be July 22-23, 2003 at the Department of Labor (200 Constitution Ave, NW Washington, DC 20210, Room C5320). This meeting is open to the public on a first-come, first-serve basis. If you are interested in joining this subcommittee and would like to attend the meeting, please contact Jill Snyder, Standards Coordinator at AIHA (jsnyder@aiha.org or (703) 846-0793).
Meeting Notice

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