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## American National Standards

### Call for comment on proposals listed

This section solicits public comments on proposed draft new American National Standards, including the national adoption of ISO and IEC standards as American National Standards, and on proposals to revise, reaffirm or withdraw approval of existing American National Standards. A draft standard is listed in this section under the ANSI-accredited standards developer (ASD) that sponsors it and from whom a copy may be obtained. Comments in connection with a draft American National Standard must be submitted in writing to the ASD no later than the last day of the comment period specified herein. Such comments shall be specific to the section(s) of the standard under review and include sufficient detail so as to enable the reader to understand the commenter's position, concerns and suggested alternative language, if appropriate. Please note that the ANSI Executive Standards Council (ExSC) has determined that an ASD has the right to require that interested parties submit public review comments electronically.

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★ Standard for consumer products

## Comment Deadline: April 9, 2006

### AMT (ASC B11) (Association for Manufacturing Technology)

#### Revisions

BSR B11.21-200x, Machine Tools - Safety Requirements for Machine Tools Using Lasers for Processing Materials (revision of ANSI B11.21-1997)

This standard applies to machine tools using laser radiation to process materials. It describes the hazards generated by such machines and states the protective measures to be incorporated into such machines. The standard also contains the description of information required to be provided by suppliers and users of such equipment.

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## Comment Deadline: April 24, 2006

### AHAM (Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers)

#### Revisions

- ★ BSR/AHAM HLW-1-200x, Performance Evaluation Procedures for Household Clothes Washers (revision of ANSI/AHAM HLW-1-2002)

The purpose of this standard is to establish a uniform, repeatable procedure for evaluating the performance of household clothes washers. This standard provides technical means to compare and evaluate the performance of different brands and models of household clothes washers. This standard applies to automatic household clothes washers and combination washer-dryer equipment.

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### AMT (ASC B11) (Association for Manufacturing Technology)

#### Revisions

BSR B15.1-200x, Machine Tools - Safety Requirements for Mechanical Power Transmission Apparatus (revision and redesignation of ANSI/ASME B15.1-2000)

This standard provides safety requirements for the proper safeguarding of mechanical sources of power and other mechanical components used to transmit power to the point of operation.

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### API (American Petroleum Institute)

#### New National Adoptions

BSR/API Spec 13A/ISO 13500 17th Edition-200x, Specification for Drilling Fluid Materials (identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/API Spec 13A/ISO 13500-2003)

Covers physical properties and test procedures for materials manufactured for use in oil- and gas-well drilling fluids. The materials covered are barite, haematite, bentonite, nontreated bentonite, OCMA-grade bentonite, attapulgit, sepiolite, technical-grade low-viscosity carboxmethylcellulose (CMC-LVT), and starch.

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#### Reaffirmations

BSR S12.1-1983 (R200x), Guidelines for the Preparation of Standard Procedures to Determine the Noise Emission from Sources (reaffirmation of ANSI S12.1-1983 (R2001))

Standard contains guidelines for preparation of procedures (standards, test codes, recommended practices, etc.) for determination of noise emission from sources. Included are general questions that need to be considered during development of a measurement procedure.

Guidelines on the following subjects are included:

- prefatory material;
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BSR S12.3-1985 (R200x), Statistical Methods for Determining and Verifying Stated Noise Emission Values of Machinery and Equipment (reaffirmation of ANSI S12.3-1985 (R2001))

This standard defines the preferred methods for determining and verifying noise emission values for machinery and equipment that are stated in product literature or labeled by other means.

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BSR S12.17-1996 (R200x), Impulse Sound Propagation for Environmental Noise Assessment (reaffirmation of ANSI S12.17-1996 (R2001))

Describes engineering methods to calculate propagation of high-energy impulsive sounds through the atmosphere for purposes of assessment of environmental noise. The methods yield estimates for the mean C-weighted sound exposure level of impulsive sound at distances between source and receiver ranging from 1 to 30 km. Equations to estimate standard deviation about the mean C-weighted sound exposure levels are provided. The methods apply for explosive masses between 50 g and 1000 kg.

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BSR S12.19-1996 (R200x), Measurement of Occupational Noise Exposure (reaffirmation of ANSI S12.19-1996 (R2001))

The standard presents methods that can be used to measure a person's noise exposure received in a workplace. The methods have been developed to provide uniform procedures and repeatable results for the measurement of occupational noise exposure.

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BSR S12.23-1989 (R200x), Sound Power Emitted by Machinery and Equipment (reaffirmation of ANSI S12.23-1989 (R2001))

Standard describes a method for expressing the noise emission of machinery and equipment in a convenient manner. Standard applies to all machinery and equipment that is essentially stationary in nature and for which overall A-weighted sound power is a meaningful descriptor of noise emission. Standard is intended to facilitate preparation of equipment specifications, labels or other documentation that expresses in quantitative terms the noise emission of machinery or equipment.

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## ASA (ASC S3) (Acoustical Society of America)

### Reaffirmations

BSR S3.36-1985 (R200x), Specification for a Manikin for Simulated in-situ Airborne Acoustic Measurements (reaffirmation of ANSI S3.36-1985 (R2001))

This standard describes a manikin for airborne acoustic measurements. It comprises a head with external ears and ear canals, and a torso that simulates a median human adult. It is intended primarily as an instrument for measuring the acoustic gain of hearing aids under simulated in situ conditions. Both geometric and acoustical response descriptions are given.

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BSR S3.44-1996 (R200x), Determination of Occupational Noise Exposure and Estimation of Noise-Induced Hearing Impairment (reaffirmation of ANSI S3.44-1996 (R2001))

This standard presents the statistical relationship between noise exposures and changes in hearing threshold levels for a noise exposed population, and can be applied to the calculation of the risk of incurring hearing handicap from sustained daily exposure to noise. It provides guidance to the measurement of noise exposure. Unlike its ISO counterpart, it allows assessment of noise exposure using a time/intensity trading relation other than a 3-decibel increase per halving of exposure time.

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## ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

### Revisions

BSR/ASME B20.1-200x, Safety Standard for Conveyors and Related Equipment (revision of ANSI/ASME B20.1-2003)

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BSR/ASTM D3850-1994 (R200x), Test Method for Rapid Thermal Degradation of Solid Electrical Insulating Materials by Thermogravimetric Method (TGA) (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASTM D3850-1994 (R2000))

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## **Withdrawals**

ANSI/ASTM D176-2000, Test Methods for Solid Filling and Treating Compounds Used for Electrical Insulation (withdrawal of ANSI/ASTM D176-2000)

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## **AWS (American Welding Society)**

### **Reaffirmations**

BSR/AWS A4.3-93 (R200x), Standard Methods for Determination of the Diffusible Hydrogen Content of Martensitic, Bainitic, and Ferritic Steel Weld Metal Produced by Arc Welding (reaffirmation of ANSI/AWS A4.3-93 (R97))

A standard 25 x 12 x 80 mm test specimen and method of preparation are set forth, along with two standard methods of diffusible hydrogen analysis, mercury displacement and gas chromatography. The methods are suitable for shielded metal arc welding, gas metal arc welding, flux cored arc welding, and submerged arc welding using welding conditions and electrodes given in several applicable American Welding Society filler metal specifications.

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BSR/AWS A4.4M-2001 (R200x), Standard Procedures for Determination of Moisture Content of Welding Fluxes and Welding Electrode Flux Coverings (reaffirmation of ANSI/AWS A4.4M-2001)

This document establishes standard procedures for determination of moisture content of welding fluxes and welding electrode coverings. The test involves combustion of a sample in an oxygen carrier gas at elevated temperature. Any water evolved from the sample or formed by the combustion process is measured by means of either Karl Fischer titration or infrared detection. The key differences between these methods and traditional thermogravimetric techniques are the inclusion of instrument calibration procedures, system verification checks and the use of more accurate analytical techniques for water detection.

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

### Reaffirmations

BSR INCITS 183-1991 (R200x), Information Systems - High-Performance Parallel Interface - Mechanical, Electrical, and Signalling Protocol Specification (HIPPI-PH) (formerly ANSI X3.183-1991 (R2001)) (reaffirmation of ANSI INCITS 183-1991 (R2001))

Provides the mechanical, electrical and signalling protocol specifications for an efficient simplex high-performance point-to-point interace between pieces of data-processing equipment. The interface described in this document can be operated at peak data rates of 800 or 1600 Mbit/s, over distances of up to 25 m by means of copper cabling. A distance-independent signalling protocol allows the average data rates to approach the peak data rates, even over distances longer than specified for the HIPPI-PH.

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BSR INCITS 323-1998/AM1-2001 (R200x), Information Technology - High-Performance Parallel Interface - 6400 Mbit/s Physical Layer Amendment 1 (supplement to ANSI NCITS 323-1998) (formerly ANSI NCITS 323-1998/AM 1-2001) (reaffirmation of ANSI INCITS 323-1998/AM1-2001)

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### Withdrawals

ANSI INCITS 230-1994/AM1-1996 (R2001), Information Technology - Fibre Channel Physical and Signaling Interface (FC-PH) - Amendment 1 (formerly ANSI X3.230-1994/AM 1-1996 (R2001)) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 230-1994/AM1-1996 (R2001))

Consists of editorial corrections to ANSI INCITS 230-1994.

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ANSI INCITS 272-1996 (R2001), Information Technology - Fibre Channel - Arbitrated Loop (FC-AL) (formerly ANSI X3.272-1996 (R2001)) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 272-1996 (R2001))

Specifies signaling interface enhancements to the signaling protocol of American National Standard for Information Technology - Fibre Channel - Physical and Signaling Interface (FC-PH), ANSI INCITS 230-1994 (R1999), to support communication among two or more ports without using the Fabric topology.

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ANSI INCITS 283-1996 (R2001), Information Technology - High-Performance Parallel Interface - Encapsulation of Frames of the Fibre Channel Physical and Signaling Interface (FC-PH Encapsulation) (HIPPI-FC) (formerly ANSI X3.283-1996 (R2001)) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 283-1996 (R2001))

Provides a common method for encapsulating frames and ordered sets defined by American National Standard for Information Technology - Fibre Channel - Physical and Signaling Interface (FC-PH), ANSI INCITS 230-1994 (R1999) for transport over a HIPPI infrastructure.

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ANSI INCITS 342-2001, Information Technology - Fibre Channel Backbone (FC-BB) (formerly ANSI NCITS 342-2001) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 342-2001)

Consists of two WAN interface specifications - FC-BBW\_ATM and FC-BBW\_SONET. Fibre Channel Backbone WAN (FC-BBW) allows extending the Fibre Channel networks over distances use ATM or SONET.

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ANSI INCITS 343-2001, Information Technology - Scheduled Transfer - Reliable Transport Profile (ST-RTP) (formerly ANSI NCITS 343-2001) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 343-2001)

Specifies limitationsand requirements that may be accepted within the Scheduled Transfer (ST) protocol in order to facilitate interoperability for reliable data transports.

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ANSI INCITS 348-2001, Information Technology - Fibre Channel - Generic Services - 3 (FC-GS-3) (formerly ANSI NCITS 348-2001) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 348-2001)

Describes in detail the basic Fibre Channel services introduced in ANSI INCITS 230, FC-PH. The Fibre Channel services described in this document are:

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- Alias Service; and
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ANSI INCITS 349-2001, Information Technology - Fibre Channel - Single-Byte-2 (FC-SB-2) (formerly ANSI NCITS 349-2001) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 349-2001)

Describes a communication interface between a channel and I/O control units that utilize the Single-Byte Command Code Sets (SBCCS) as implemented in a wide range of data processing systems. It employs information formats and signaling protocols that provide a uniform means for communicating with various types of I/O control units, facilitating a high-bandwidth, high-performance, and long-distance information exchange environment.

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ANSI INCITS 355-2001, Information Technology - Fibre Channel Switch Fabric -2 (FC-SW-2) (formerly ANSI NCITS 355-2001) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 355-2001)

Describes the operation and interaction of Fibre Channel Switches. This standard includes:

- (a) E\_Port Operation and Fabric Configuration;
- (b) Path selection (FSPF and FSPF-Backbone);
- (c) Bridge Port (B\_Port) Operation;
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## NSF (NSF International)

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BSR/NSF 58-200x (i45), Reverse osmosis drinking water treatment systems (revision of ANSI/NSF 58-2003)

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## SCTE (Society of Cable Telecommunications Engineers)

### New Standards

- ★ BSR/SCTE 115-200x, Test Method for Reverse Path (Upstream) Intermodulation Using Two Carriers (new standard)

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### Revisions

BSR/SCTE 02-200x, Specification for "F" Port, Female, Indoor (revision of ANSI/SCTE 02-1997)

The purpose of this document is to specify requirements for female indoor "F" ports that are used in the 75-ohm RF broadband communications industry. This specification applies to SCTE drop cable specifications ANSI/SCTE 74-2003, ANSI/SCTE 71-2003, ANSI/SCTE 100-2004, IPS SP 005, and IPS SP 006.

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BSR/SCTE 30-200x, Digital Program Insertion Splicing API (revision of ANSI/SCTE 30-2005)

This Application Program Interface (API) creates a standardized method for communication between Servers and Splicers for the insertion of content into any MPEG-2 Output Multiplex in the Splicer. This API is flexible enough to support one or more Servers attached to one or more Splicers.

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## TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

### Revisions

- ★ BSR/TIA 136.000-F-200x, TDMA Third Generation Wireless List of Parts (revision of ANSI/TIA 136-000-E-2004)

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- ★ BSR/TIA 136-123-F-200x, TDMA Third Generation Wireless Digital Control Channel Layer 3 (revision and partition of ANSI/TIA 136-000-E-2004)

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- ★ BSR/TIA 136-377-B-200x, TDMA Third Generation Wireless EGPRS-136 Gs Interface Specifications (revision of ANSI/TIA 136-377-A-2004)

TIA/EIA-136-377 specifies the Gs interface in the EGPRS-136 packet-data architecture.

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- ★ BSR/TIA 136.370-B-200x, TDMA Third Generation Wireless Enhanced General Packet-Data Service (EGPRS-136) (revision of ANSI/TIA 136-370-A-2004)

TIA 136-370 is an overview of the TDMA Packet-Data Service called Enhanced General Packet Radio Service for TIA 136. Enhanced General Packet Radio Service for TIA 136 is also referred to as EGPRS-136.

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- ★ BSR/TIA 136.376-B-200x, TDMA Third Generation Wireless Enhanced General Packet-Data Service (EGPRS-136) Mobility Management (MM) (revision of ANSI/TIA 136-376-A-2004)

TIA 136-376 specifies the mobility-management functions for high-speed packet-data service (EGPRS-136). These functions include location tracking and user-identity confidentiality.

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- ★ BSR/TIA 136.440-B-200x, TDMA Third Generation Wireless Adaptive Multi Rate (AMR) Codec (revision of ANSI/TIA 136-440-A-2004)

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## UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

### New Standards

BSR/UL 1447-200x, Standard for Safety for Electric Lawn Mowers (new standard)

The March 10, 2006 UL 1447 recirculation bulletin includes a revision to paragraph 1.4, changing a reference to the latest edition of a standard.

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### Revisions

BSR/UL 489-200x, Standard for Safety for Molded-Case Circuit Breakers, Molded-Case Switches, and Circuit-Breaker Enclosures (Proposals dated March 10, 2006) (revision of ANSI/UL 489-2004)

Substantive changes to the following items of UL's Subject 489 Proposals dated July 15, 2005:

(2) Revision of Requirements for the Identification of Grounded Conductors;

(3) Clarification of Temperature Test Requirements;

(6) Clarification of Terminal Marking Requirements for Circuit Breakers with Equipment Ground-Fault Protection; and

(9) Addition of Figure C6.2.

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BSR/UL 555S-200x, Smoke Dampers (Proposals dated 3-10-06) (revision of ANSI/UL 555S-2001)

The following items are subject to comment:

(1) Ambient temperature change for airflow measurements;

(2) Revision of the modulating fire and smoke damper with actuator test;

(3) Revision of Table 7.2 in order to allow one sample to be used to determine comparative leakage before and after the temperature degradation test;

(4) Deletion of paragraph 1.7, which addresses issues specific to the certification of a product; and

(5) Revisions to update references throughout the standard.

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- ★ BSR/UL 588-200x, Seasonal and Holiday Decorative Products (revision of ANSI/UL 588-2005)

Based on discussion at the November 2005 STP 588 meeting, the following changes in requirements are being proposed. The topic numbers are in numerical order and correspond with the topics described in the STP 588 Meeting Agenda, dated October 14, 2005, and the STP 588 Meeting Report, dated December 16, 2005, unless otherwise noted:

(1) Revision of general requirements for series-connected strings; and  
(2) Revision of individual flashing lamp requirements to allow alternative constructions that do not permit an individual-flashing lamp to be installed in a lampholder intended for a steady-illuminating lamp in the same lighting string.

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BSR/UL 1479-200x, Standard for Safety for Fire Tests of Through-Penetration Firestops (revision of ANSI/UL 1479-2006)

Revises the Expansion Tests.

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BSR/UL 1821-200x, Standard for Safety for Thermoplastic Sprinkler Pipe and Fittings for Fire Protection Service (revision of ANSI/UL 1821-2005)

The following changes in requirements are being proposed:

- (1) Revision to long-term hydrostatic pressure test;
- (2) Deletion of polybutylene pipe reference;
- (3) Addition of stress cracking test for stainless steel parts; and
- (4) Miscellaneous revisions.

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★ BSR/UL 2388-200x, Flexible Lighting Products (revision of ANSI/UL 2388-2005)

The following changes in requirements are being proposed:

- (1) Revision to clarify scope for products that are intended to be used as a sign are covered under UL 48;
- (2) Clarification of requirements for enclosures;
- (3) Revision to clarify that a decorative part may be other than polymeric;
- (4) Detachable power supply cords;
- (5) Clarification of component rating requirements;
- (6) Clarification of requirements for Class 2 circuits;
- (7) Normal temperature test method for products provided with decorative parts; and
- (8) Clarification of the crush test and addition of ultraviolet (UV) light exposure and water immersion tests.

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### AGMA (American Gear Manufacturers Association)

#### Revisions

BSR/AGMA 9003-B-200x, Flexible Couplings - Keyless Fits (revision and redesignation of ANSI/AGMA 9003-A91 (R2005))

Presents information on design, dimensions, inspection, mounting, removal, and equipment that is in common use with keyless tapered and keyless straight (cylindrical) bore hubs for flexible couplings.

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BSR/AGMA 2002-B88 (R200x), Tooth Thickness Specification and Measurement (reaffirmation of ANSI/AGMA 2002-B88 (R1996))

Presents procedures for determining tooth thickness measurements of external and internal cylindrical involute gearing. Includes equations and calculation procedures for commonly used measuring methods.

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### ANS (American Nuclear Society)

#### New Standards

BSR/ANS 8.26-200x, Criticality Safety Engineer Training and Qualification Program (new standard)

This standard presents the fundamental content elements of a training and qualification program for individuals with responsibilities for performing the various technical aspects of criticality safety engineering. The standard presents a flexible array of competencies for use by management to develop tailored training and qualification programs applicable to site-specific job functions, facilities and operations.

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### ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

#### Revisions

BSR/ASME A112.19.12-200x, Wall-Mounted, Pedestal-Mounted, Adjustable, Elevating, Tilting and Pivoting Lavatory, Sink and Shampoo Bowl Carrier Systems and Drain Waste Systems (revision of ANSI/ASME A112.19.12-2000 (R2004))

This Standard establishes physical requirements and tests addressing structural strength, adjustments, materials and drain line hydraulics, mechanical, material, testing, marking, and documentation requirements for wall mounted and pedestal mounted adjustable, pivoting, elevating and tilting lavatory, sink and shampoo bowl carrier systems intended to facilitate use by individuals who are physically challenged.

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### AWWA (American Water Works Association)

#### Revisions

BSR/AWWA C153/A21.53-200x, Ductile-Iron Compact Fittings for Water Service (revision of ANSI/AWWA C153/A21.53-2000)

This standard covers 3-in. through 64-in. (76-mm through 1,600-mm) ductile-iron compact fittings to be used with ductile-iron pipe or pipe made of other materials with similar outside diameters for conveying water.

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**Withdrawals**

ANSI/AWWA C908-2001, PVC Self-Tapping Saddle Tees for Use on PVC Pipe (withdrawal of ANSI/AWWA C908-2001)

This standard describes self-tapping saddle tees, hereafter referred to as self-tapping saddle(s), molded from poly (vinyl chloride) (PVC) material (ASTM D1784). The self-tapping saddles are for use with PVC water pipe described in ANSI/AWWA C900 having cast iron outside diameters (CIOD) and are for self-tapping saddles designed for iron pipe size (IPS-OD) PVC water pipes in nominal sizes 1-1/4 in. through 8 in. (32 mm through 200 mm).

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**CSA (3) (CSA America, Inc.)****Reaffirmations**

BSR/IAS PRD1-1998 (R200x), BSR/IAS PRD1a-1999 (R200x), Basic Requirements for Pressure Relief Devices for Natural Gas Vehicle (NGV) Fuel Containers (reaffirmation of ANSI/IAS PRD-1-1998, ANSI/IAS PRD-1a-1999)

This standard contains specifications for the materials, design, manufacture and testing of pressure relief devices produced for use on NGV fuel containers. NGV fuel containers comply with the NGV2, FMVSS304 and/or CSA B51 Part 2 standards, as appropriate.

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**CSA (CSA America, Inc.)****Reaffirmations**

BSR/CSA NGV3.1/CSA 12.3-1995 (R200x), Fuel System Componentets for Compressed Natural Gas Powered Vehicles (reaffirmation of ANSI/CSA NGV3.1/CSA 12.3-1995 (R2001))

Provides construction and performance criteria for:

- (1) Check valves;
- (2) Cylinder valves;
- (3) Manual valves;
- (4) Gas air mixers for operation at differential pressures greater than 2 psi;
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**UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)****Revisions**

BSR/UL 1738-200x, Standard for Safety for Venting Systems for Gas-Burning Appliances, Categories II, III, IV (revision of ANSI/UL 1738-2000)

The following changes in requirements are being proposed:

- (1) Clarification of marked temperature rating; and
- (2) Miscellaneous revisions including:
  - Deletion of Scope paragraph addressing new or unusual constructions;
  - Undated references;
  - Replacement of references to several ASTM standards;
  - Correction of reference to ASTM A90; and
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ANSI/ASTM A128/A128M-93 (R98), Specification for Steel Castings, Austenitic Manganese

ANSI/ASTM A229/A229M-1999, Specification for Steel Wire, Oil-Tempered for Mechanical Springs

ANSI/ASTM A230/A230M-1999, Specification for Steel Wire, Oil-Tempered Carbon Valve Spring Quality

ANSI/ASTM A288-91 (R1998), Specification for Carbon and Alloy Steel Forgings for Magnetic Retaining Rings for Turbine Generators

ANSI/ASTM A313/A313M-1998, Specification for Stainless Steel Spring Wire

ANSI/ASTM A345-1998, Specification for Flat-Rolled Electrical Steels for Magnetic Applications

ANSI/ASTM A387/A387M-1998, Specification for Pressure Vessel Plates, Alloy Steel, Chromium-Molybdenum

ANSI/ASTM A401/A401M-1998, Specification for Steel Wire, Chromium-Silicon Alloy

ANSI/ASTM A447/A447M-93 (R1998), Specification for Steel Castings, Chromium-Nickel-Iron Alloy (25-12 Class), for High-Temperature Service

ANSI/ASTM A624-1998, Specification for Tin Mill Products, Electrolytic Tinplate, Single Reduced

ANSI/ASTM A630-1998, Test Methods for Determination of Tin Coating Weights for Hot-Dip and Electrolytic Tin Plate

ANSI/ASTM A650/A650M-1998, Specification for Tin Mill Products, Black Plate, Double Reduced

- ANSI/ASTM A657/A657M-1998, Specification for Tin Mill Products, Black Plate, Electrolytic Chromium-Coated, Single and Double Reduced
- ANSI/ASTM A684/A684M-84 (R1998), Specification for Steel, Strip, High Carbon, Cold Rolled
- ANSI/ASTM A734/A734M, Specification for Pressure Vessel Plates, Alloy Steel and High-Strength Low-Alloy Steel, Quenched and Tempered
- ANSI/ASTM A737/A737M-87(R1998) , Specification for Pressure Vessel Plates, High-Strength, Low-Alloy Steel
- ANSI/ASTM A877/A877M-1999, Specification for Steel Wire, Chromium-Silicon Alloy Valve Spring Quality
- ANSI/ASTM A878/A878M-1999, Specification for Steel Wire, Modified Chromium Vanadium Valve Spring Quality
- ANSI/ASTM A889-1997, Test Method for Alternating-Current Magnetic Properties of Materials at Low Inductions Using the Wattmeter-Varmeter-Ammeter-Voltmeter Method and 25-cm (250-mm) Epstein Frame
- ANSI/ASTM A889-93 (R1998), Specification for Steel Wire, Epoxy-Coated
- ANSI/ASTM A903-1999, Specification for Steel Castings, Surface Acceptance Standards, Magnetic Particle and Liquid Penetrant Inspection
- ANSI/ASTM A908-91 (R1998), Specification for Stainless Steel Needle Tubing
- ANSI/ASTM A938-1997, Test Method for Torsion Testing of Wire
- ANSI/ASTM B6-1997, Specification for Zinc
- ANSI/ASTM B6-2001, Specification for Zinc
- ANSI/ASTM B86-1997, Specification for Zinc-Alloy Die Castings
- ANSI/ASTM B333-1997, Specification for Nickel-Molybdenum Alloy Plate, Sheet, and Strip
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- ANSI/ASTM B335-1997, Specification for Nickel-Molybdenum Alloy Rod
- ANSI/ASTM B335-1998, Specification for Nickel-Molybdenum Alloy Rod
- ANSI/ASTM B389-81 (R1998), Test Methods for Thermal Deflection Rate of Spiral and Helical Coils of Thermostat Metal
- ANSI/ASTM B440-1998, Specification for Cadmium
- ANSI/ASTM B463-1999, Specification for UNS N08020, UNS N08026, and UNS N08024 Alloy Plate, Sheet, and Strip
- ANSI/ASTM B511-1998, Specification for Nickel-Iron-Chromium-Silicon Alloy Bars and Shapes
- ANSI/ASTM B617-1998, Specification for Coin Silver Electrical Contact Alloy
- ANSI/ASTM B620-1998, Specification for Nickel-Iron-Chromium-Molybdenum Alloy (UNS N08320) Plate, Sheet, and Strip
- ANSI/ASTM B620-1998a, Specification for Nickel-Iron-Chromium-Molybdenum Alloy (UNS N08320) Plate, Sheet, and Strip
- ANSI/ASTM B628-1998, Specification for Silver-Copper Eutectic Electrical Contact Alloy
- ANSI/ASTM B631-1993 (R98), Specification for Silver-Tungsten Electric Contact Materials
- ANSI/ASTM B702-93 (R98), Specification for Copper-Tungsten Electrical Contact Material
- ANSI/ASTM B712-1999, Guide for Determination of Sodium and Potassium Content for Silver-Cadmium Oxide Contact Materials
- ANSI/ASTM B780-1998, Specification for 75% Silver-24.5% Copper-0.5% Nickel Electrical Contact Alloy
- ANSI/ASTM B781-1999, Guide for Silver-Cadium Oxide Contact Materials
- ANSI/ASTM B844-1998, Guide for Silver-Tin Oxide Contact Material
- ANSI/ASTM B854-1998, Guide for Measuring Electrical Contact Intermittences
- ANSI/ASTM B878-1997, Test Method for Nanosecond Event Detection for Electrical Contacts and Connectors
- ANSI/ASTM B885-1997, Test Method for Presence of Foreign Matter on Printed Wiring Board
- ANSI/ASTM C384-1997, Test Method for Impedance and Absorption of Acoustical Materials by the Impedance Tube Method
- ANSI/ASTM C522-1997, Test Method for Airflow Resistance of Acoustical Materials
- ANSI/ASTM C636-1997, Practice for Installation of Metal Ceiling Suspension Systems for Acoustical Tile and Lay-in Panels
- ANSI/ASTM D347-1997, Tables for Volume and Specific Gravity Correction for Creosote and Coal Tar
- ANSI/ASTM D876-2000, Test Methods for Nonrigid Vinyl Chloride Polymer Tubing Used for Electrical Insulation
- ANSI/ASTM D1413-1999, Test Method for Wood Preservatives by Laboratory Soil-Block Cultures
- ANSI/ASTM D1704-1995, Test Method for Determining the Amount of Particulate Matter in the Atmosphere by Measurement of the Light Absorbance of a Filtered Sample
- ANSI/ASTM D1704M-1995, Test Method for Determining the Amount of Particulate Matter in the Atmosphere by Measurement of the Light Absorbance of a Filtered Sample (Metric)
- ANSI/ASTM D2075-2000, Practice for Verifying the Consistency of AE Sensor Response Using an Acrylic Rod

- ANSI/ASTM D2913-1996, Test Method for Mercaptan Content of the Atmosphere
- ANSI/ASTM D2914-1995, Test Methods for Sulfur Dioxide Content of the Atmosphere (West-Gaeke Method)
- ANSI/ASTM D2967-1996, Test Method for Edge Coverage of Coating Powders
- ANSI/ASTM D3269-1996, Test Methods for Analysis for Fluoride Content of the Atmosphere and Plant Tissues (Manual Procedures)
- ANSI/ASTM D3442-1995, Test Method for Gaseous Tritium Content of the Atmosphere
- ANSI/ASTM D3464-1996, Test Method for Average Velocity in a Duct Using a Thermal Anemometer
- ANSI/ASTM D3914-1996, Test Method for In-Plane Shear Strength of Pultruded Glass-Reinforced Plastic Rod
- ANSI/ASTM D3917-1996, Specification for Dimensional Tolerance of Thermosetting Glass-Reinforced Plastic Pultruded Shapes (08.02)
- ANSI/ASTM D3918-1996, Definitions of Terms Relating to Reinforced Plastic Pultruded Products
- ANSI/ASTM D4096-1991 (R1997), Test Method for Determination of Total Suspended Particulate Matter in the Atmosphere (High Volume Sampler Method)
- ANSI/ASTM D4230-1996, Test Method of Measuring Humidity with Cooled-Surface Condensation (Dew-Point) Hygrometer
- ANSI/ASTM D4323-84 (R1997), Test Method for Hydrogen Sulfide in the Atmosphere by Rate of Change of Reflectance
- ANSI/ASTM D4349-1996, Specification for Polyphenylene Ether (PPE) Materials (08.03)
- ANSI/ASTM D4357-1996, Plastic Laminates Made from Woven Roving and Woven Yarn Glass Fabrics, Specification for (08.03)
- ANSI/ASTM D4475-1996, Test Method for Apparent Horizontal Shear Strength of Pultruded Reinforced Plastic Rods by the Short-Beam Method
- ANSI/ASTM D4480-1993, Test Method for Measuring Surface Wind by Means of Wind Vanes and Rotating Anemometers
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ANSI/ASTM B223-1996, Test Method for Modulus of Elasticity of Thermostat Metals - Cantilever Beam Method

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- ANSI/ASTM D5562-1995, Test Method for Determining Automotive Gear Oil Compatibility with Typical Oil Seal Elastomers (15.04)
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- ANSI/AWS A5.5-1996, Specification for Low-Alloy Steel Electrodes for Shielded Metal Arc Welding

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# Final actions on American National Standards

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## AHAM (Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers)

### New Standards

- ★ ANSI/AHAM HU-1-2006, Portable Household Humidifiers (new standard): 2/28/2006

## AISI (American Iron and Steel Institute)

### New Standards

- ★ ANSI/AISI/COS/TS 9-2005, Standard Test Method for Determining the Web Crippling Strength of Cold-Formed Steel Beams (new standard): 2/28/2006
- ★ ANSI/AISI/COS/TS 10-2005, Test Method for Distortional Buckling of Cold-Formed Steel-Hat-Shaped Columns (new standard): 2/28/2006
- ★ ANSI/AISI/COS/TS 11-2005, Method for Flexural Testing Cold-Formed Steel-Hat-Shaped Beams (new standard): 2/28/2006
- ★ ANSI/AISI/COS/TS 12-2005, Test Procedure for Determining a Strength Value for a Roof Panel-to-Purlin-to-Anchorage Device Connection (new standard): 2/28/2006

## ANS (American Nuclear Society)

### Reaffirmations

ANSI/ANS 57.5-1996 (R2006), Light Water Reactors Fuel Assembly Mechanical Design and Evaluation (reaffirmation of ANSI/ANS 57.5-1996): 2/28/2006

## API (American Petroleum Institute)

### New National Adoptions

ANSI/API RP 17G-2006, Design and Operation of Completion/Workover Riser Systems (2nd Edition) (identical national adoption): 2/28/2006

### Revisions

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## ASA (ASC S12) (Acoustical Society of America)

### Revisions

ANSI S12.65-2006, Rating Noise with Respect to Speech Interference (revision and redesignation of ANSI S3.14-1977 (R1997)): 2/28/2006

## ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

### Reaffirmations

- ANSI/ASME B18.18.1M-1987 (R2006), Inspection and Quality Assurance for General Purpose Fasteners (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME B18.18.1M-1987 (R1999)): 3/3/2006
- ANSI/ASME B18.1.1-1972 (R2006), Small Solid Rivets (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME B18.1.1-1972 (R2001)): 3/2/2006
- ANSI/ASME B18.1.2-1972 (R2006), Large Rivets (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME B18.1.2-1972 (R2001)): 3/2/2006
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ANSI/ASME B18.12-2001 (R2006), Glossary of Terms for Mechanical Fasteners (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME B18.12-2001): 3/2/2006

### Withdrawals

ANSI/ASME Y14.7.1-1971, Gear Drawing Standards - Part 1: for Spur, Helical, Double Helical and Rack (withdrawal of ANSI/ASME Y14.7.1-1971 (R2003)): 3/3/2006

ANSI/ASME Y14.7.2-1978, Gear and Spline Drawing Standards - Part 2: Bevel and Hypoid Gears (withdrawal of ANSI/ASME Y14.7.2-1978 (R2004)): 3/3/2006

## AWS (American Welding Society)

### New Standards

ANSI/AWS B2.1-1-234-2006, SWPS for Argon plus 25% Carbon Dioxide Shielded Flux Cored Arc Welding of Carbon Steel (M-1/P-1/S-1) Groups 1 and 2, 1/8 through 1-1/2 inch thick, E7XT-X, As-Welded or PWHT Condition, Primarily Pipe Applications (new standard): 2/28/2006

ANSI/AWS B2.1-1-235-2006, SWPS for Argon plus 2% Oxygen Shielded Gas Metal Arc Welding (Spray Transfer Mode) of Carbon Steel (M-1/P-1/S-1) Groups 1 and 2, 1/8 through 1-1/2 inch thick, ER70S-3, Flat Position Only, As-Welded or PWHT Condition, Primarily Pipe Applications (new standard): 2/28/2006

## CLSI (Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute (formerly NCCLS))

### Revisions

ANSI/CLSI LIS2-A2-2004, LIS2-A2, Specification for Transferring Information Between Clinical Laboratory Instruments and Information Systems; Approved Standard - Second Edition (revision and redesignation of ANSI/ASTM E1394-1997): 2/28/2006

## CSA (3) (CSA America, Inc.)

### Reaffirmations

ANSI/IAS LC-2-1996 (R2006), Direct Gas-Fired Circulating Heaters for Agricultural Animal Confinement Buildings (reaffirmation and redesignation of ANSI/IAS U.S. LC-2-1996): 2/28/2006

## CSA (CSA America, Inc.)

### New Standards

ANSI/IAS/AGA NGV1-2005, Natural Gas Vehicle (NGV) Fueling Connection Devices (new standard): 3/2/2006

### Reaffirmations

- ANSI/CSA NGV2-2000 (R2005), Basic Requirements for Compressed Natural Gas Vehicle (NGV) Fuel Containers (reaffirmation of ANSI/CSA NGV2-2000): 2/28/2006
- ANSI/CSA NGV2a-2001 (R2005), Basic Requirements for Compressed Natural Gas Vehicle (NGV) Fuel Containers (reaffirmation of ANSI/CSA NGV2a-2001): 2/28/2006
- ANSI/IAS LC-2a-1998 (R2006), Direct Gas-Fired Circulating Heaters for Agricultural Animal Confinement Buildings (reaffirmation of ANSI/IAS LC-2a-1998): 2/28/2006

ANSI/IAS NGV1b-1998 (R2005), Natural Gas Vehicle (NGV) Fueling Connection Devices (reaffirmation of ANSI/IAS NGV1b-1998): 2/28/2006

ANSI/IAS/AGA NGV1a-1997 (R2005), Natural Gas Vehicle (NGV) Fueling Connection Devices (reaffirmation and redesignation of ANSI/AGA/CGA NGV1a-1997): 2/28/2006

## **EIA (Electronic Industries Alliance)**

### **Reaffirmations**

ANSI/EIA 364-75-1997 (R2006), Lightning Strike Test Procedure for Electrical Connectors (reaffirmation of ANSI/EIA 364-75-1997): 2/28/2006

### **Revisions**

ANSI/EIA/ECA 364-10D-2006, Fluid Immersion Test Procedure for Electrical Connectors (revision of ANSI/EIA 364-10D-2004): 3/2/2006

## **I3A (International Imaging Industry Association)**

### **Reaffirmations**

ANSI/I3A IT4.43-1998 (R2006), Photography (Processing) - Effluents - Determination of Total Cyanide (reaffirmation and redesignation of ANSI/PIMA IT4.43-1998): 2/28/2006

## **IEST (Institute of Environmental Sciences and Technology)**

### **New National Adoptions**

ANSI/IEST/ISO 14644-5-2004, Cleanrooms and associated controlled environments - Part 5: Operations (identical national adoption): 2/28/2006

ANSI/IEST/ISO 14644-7-2004, Cleanrooms and associated controlled environments - Part 7: Separative devices (clean air hoods, gloveboxes, isolators and minienvironments (identical national adoption): 2/28/2006

## **KCMA (Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturers Association)**

### **Reaffirmations**

- ★ ANSI/KCMA A161.1-2000 (R2005), Performance and Construction Standard for Kitchen and Vanity Cabinets (reaffirmation of ANSI/KCMA A161.1-2000): 2/28/2006

## **NEMA (ASC C119) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)**

### **New Standards**

ANSI C119.6-2006, Standard for Non-Sealed, Multipoint Connector Systems Rated 600 Volts or Less for Aluminum and Copper Conductors (new standard): 2/28/2006

## **NEMA (ASC C78) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)**

### **Revisions**

ANSI C78.379-2006, Electric Lamps - Classification of the Beam Patterns of Reflector Lamps (revision, redesignation and consolidation of ANSI C78.379-1994 (R2003) and ANSI C78.379a-1997 (R2004)): 2/28/2006

## **UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)**

### **New Standards**

ANSI/UL 224-2006, Standard for Extruded Insulating Tubing (new standard): 2/27/2006

### **Revisions**

- ★ ANSI/UL 430-2006, Standard for Safety for Waste Disposers (revision of ANSI/UL 430-2004): 2/27/2006

## **VITA (VMEbus International Trade Association (VITA))**

### **New Standards**

- ★ ANSI/VITA 42.1-2006, XMC Switched Mezzanine Card: Parallel RapidIO 8/16 LP-LVDS Protocol Layer Standard (new standard): 2/28/2006
- ★ ANSI/VITA 42.2-2006, XMC Serial RapidIO Protocol Layer Standard (new standard): 2/28/2006

# Project Initiation Notification System (PINS)

ANSI Procedures require notification of ANSI by ANSI-accredited standards developers (ASD) of the initiation and scope of activities expected to result in new or revised American National Standards (ANS). Early notification of activity intended to reaffirm or withdraw an ANS and in some instances a PINS related to a national adoption is optional. The mechanism by which such notification is given is referred to as the PINS process. For additional information, see clause 2.4 of the ANSI Essential Requirements: Due Process Requirements for American National Standards.

Following is a list of proposed actions and new ANS that have been received recently from ASDs. Please also review the section in Standards Action entitled "American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance" for additional or comparable information with regard to standards maintained under the continuous maintenance option. To view information about additional standards for which a PINS has been submitted and to search approved ANS, please visit [www.NSSN.org](http://www.NSSN.org), which is a database of standards information. Note that this database is not exhaustive.

Directly and materially affected interests wishing to receive more information or to submit comments are requested to contact the standards developer directly within 30 days of the publication of this announcement.

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BSR/AAMI/ISO 14161-200x, Sterilization of health care products - Biological indicators - Guidance for the selection, use, and interpretation of results (identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/AAMI/ISO 14161-2000)

Stakeholders: Medical; Users and manufacturers of biological

Project Need: To conform to the new requirements in the ISO 11138 series standards on biological indicators (also proposed for US adoption).

Provides guidance for the selection, use, and interpretation of results from the application of biological indicators in the development, validation, and routine monitoring of sterilization processes.

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BSR/AAMI/IEC 60601-2-21-200x, Medical electrical equipment - Part 2:

Particular requirements for the safety and essential performance of infant radiant warmers (identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/AAMI/IEC 60601-2-21 and 60601-2-21 Amd 1-2000)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers and users of infant radiant warmers.

Project Need: Proposed parallel adoption of an IEC revision as a revised national standard.

This is a revision project in IEC to harmonize IEC 60601-2-21 and 60601-2-21: 2000 with the third edition. This standard specifies safety and performance requirements for infant radiant warmers.

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BSR/AGMA 9103-B-200x, Flexible Couplings - Keyless Fits (Metric Edition) (new standard)

Stakeholders: Designers and users of flexible couplings.

Project Need: To provide design guidance on flexible couplings that employ keyless fits.

Presents information on design, dimensions, inspection, mounting, removal, and equipment that is in common use with keyless tapered and keyless straight (cylindrical) bore hubs for flexible couplings.

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BSR/ASABE/ISO 8759-1-200x, Agricultural wheeled tractors -

Front-mounted equipment - Part 1: Power take-off and three point linkage (identical national adoption)

Stakeholders: OEMs using this information for new product design.

Project Need: To develop international harmonization between national and international standards.

ISO 8759-1 specifies dimensions and requirements for power take-off and for front three-point linkages in association with a power lift for the attachment of implements or equipment to the front of agricultural wheeled tractors. It is not applicable to tractors that are designed to run in two directions, where either end can be considered to be the front or rear; in this case ISO 500 and ISO 730-1 apply.

BSR/ASABE/ISO 8759-2-200x, Agricultural wheeled tractors -

Front-mounted equipment - Part 2: Stationary equipment connection (identical national adoption)

Stakeholders: OEMs using this information for new product design.

Project Need: To develop international harmonization between national and international standards.

ISO 8759-2 specifies dimensions and requirements of the stationary equipment connection for agricultural wheeled tractors that are equipped with front-mounted power take-off but do not have front three-point linkage. It is applicable to the tractor categories defined in ISO 730-1.

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BSR X9.7-1999 (R200x), Bank Check Background and Convenience Amount Field Specification (reaffirmation of ANSI X9.7-1999)  
Stakeholders: Financial Services Industry.

Project Need: To provide necessary specifications and requirements for designing and printing "image-friendly" checks.

This standard specifies the location and background design of essential check data fields and is intended for all business-size and personal-size checks.

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BSR/AWS A5.9/A5.9M-200x, Specification for Bare Stainless Steel Welding Electrodes and Rods (revision of ANSI/AWS A5.9-93 (R1999))

Stakeholders: Welding Industry.

Project Need: To add new filler metals in this document, and metricating it at the same time.

This specification prescribes the requirements for classification of solid and composite stainless steel electrodes (both as wire and strip) for gas metal arc welding, submerged arc welding, and other fusion welding processes. It also includes wire and rods for use in gas tungsten arc welding. Classification is based on chemical composition of the filler metal.

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BSR/ISA 102.00.01-200x, High-Power Research and Electrical Systems Standard (new standard)

Stakeholders: Consumers, manufacturers, laboratories, educational institutions, and regulatory bodies.

Project Need: Existing standards do not address practical application of these systems or the safety issues associated with these systems.

This standard will cover high-power electrical systems including power supplies, radio frequency power systems, energy storage, and pulse forming networks, and their associated control, monitoring, data acquisition, safety, and protection systems.

BSR/ISA 103.00.01-200x, Field Device Tool Interface Specification (identical national adoption)

Stakeholders: Consumers, manufacturers, regulatory bodies.

Project Need: To fully integrate fieldbuses, devices and subsystems as seamless part of a wide range of automation tasks covering the whole automation life-cycle.

Defines the interfaces for both the vertical and the horizontal data flow, called Function Control and Data Access, in the framework of a Client-Server architecture. This standard allows application software and configuration tools to interact with field devices in a unified way, while hiding the manufacturer-specific interaction with devices or subsystems in a software module. This standard allows any field bus, device or subsystem-specific software tool to be integrated as part of a universal life-cycle management tool of a plant automation system.

BSR/ISA 104.00.01-200x, Function Blocks (FB) for Process Control - Electronic Device Description Language (EDDL) (identical national adoption)

Stakeholders: Consumers, manufacturers, regulatory bodies.

Project Need: To provide a standardized descriptive language intended for use in industrial automation applications.

To create a standard that specifies a generic language to describe the properties of automation system components. The specified language shall be capable of describing: device parameters and their dependencies; device functions; graphical representations, for example charts; interactions with control devices. The language is called the "Electronic Device Description Language (EDDL)" and is used to create an "Electronic Device Descriptions (EDD)" file. These files may be used with appropriate tools to generate interpretative code to support parameter handling, operation, and monitoring of automation system components. Tool implementation is outside the scope of this specification.

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BSR/NECA 121-200x, Standard for Installing Nonmetallic-Sheathed Cable Types NM, NMC, NMS and Underground Feeder and Branch-Circuit Cable Type UF (new standard)

Stakeholders: Electrical contractors and their customers.

Project Need: To clearly define what is meant by installing products and systems in a "neat and workmanlike" manner.

This standard describes the recommended procedures for the installation of Type NM Nonmetallic-sheathed Cable and Type UP Underground Feeder and Branch-Circuit Cable.

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BSR C84.1-200x, Standard for Electric Power Systems and Equipment - Voltage Ratings (60 Hertz) (revision of ANSI C84.1-1995 (R2005))

Stakeholders: Electric utilities and electrical product manufacturers.

Project Need: To integrate the requirements of IEEE 1312, Standard Preferred Voltage Ratings for Alternating-Current Electrical Systems and Equipment Operating at Voltages Above 230 kV Nominal. This will allow a single standard to cover the entire range of voltages from 100 V to 1200 kV in the U.S.

This standard establishes nominal voltage ratings and operating tolerances for 60-hertz electric power systems above 100 volts. It also makes recommendations to other standardizing groups with respect to voltage ratings for equipment used on power systems and for utilization devices connected to such systems. This standard includes preferred voltage ratings up to and including 1200 kV maximum system voltage, as defined in the standard.

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BSR/NEMA MW 1000-200x, Magnet Wire (revision of ANSI/NEMA MW 1000-2005)

Stakeholders: Producers of magnet wire, end users of magnet wire.

Project Need: To introduce new magnet wire specifications, and to approve performance requirements for half-AWG size magnet wire.

This publication is designed to present, in concise and convenient form, all of the existing NEMA Standards for magnet wire. This publication is classified as a NEMA Standard unless otherwise indicated. It contains standards for round, rectangular, and square film insulated and/or fibrous covered copper and aluminum magnet wire for use in electrical apparatus. Included are the definitions, type designations, dimensions, constructions, performance, and test methods for magnet wire generally used in the winding of coils for electrical apparatus.

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BSR/NFPA 1-200x, Uniform Fire Code™ (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1-2006)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

The scope includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- (1) Inspection of permanent and temporary buildings, processes, equipment, systems, and other fire and related life safety situations;
- (2) Investigation of fires, explosions, hazardous materials incidents, and other related emergency incidents;
- (3) Review of design and construction plans, drawings, and specifications for life safety systems, fire protection systems, access, water supplies, processes, and hazardous materials and other fire and life safety issues;
- (4) Fire and life safety education of fire brigades, employees, responsible parties, and the general public;
- (5) Existing occupancies and conditions, the design and construction of new buildings, remodeling of existing buildings, and additions to existing buildings;
- (6) Design, alteration, modification, construction, maintenance, and testing of fire protection systems and equipment;
- (7) Access requirements for fire department operations; and
- (8) Hazards from outside fires in vegetation, trash, building debris, and other materials.

BSR/NFPA 22-200x, Standard for Water Tanks for Private Fire Protection (revision of ANSI/NFPA 22-2003)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard provides the minimum requirements for the design, construction, installation, and maintenance of tanks and accessory equipment that supply water for private fire protection, including the following:

- (1) Gravity tanks, suction tanks, pressure tanks, and embankment-supported coated fabric suction tanks;
- (2) Towers;
- (3) Foundations;
- (4) Pipe connections and fittings;
- (5) Valve enclosures;
- (6) Tank filling; and
- (7) Protection against freezing.

BSR/NFPA 36-200x, Standard for Solvent Extraction Plants (revision of ANSI/NFPA 36-2004)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall apply to the following:

- (1) Commercial scale extraction processing of animal and vegetable oils and fats by the use of Class I flammable hydrocarbon liquids, hereinafter referred to as "solvents";
- (2) Any equipment and buildings that are located within 30 m (100 ft) of the extraction process;
- (3) The unloading, storage, and handling of solvents, regardless of distance from the extraction process;
- (4) The means by which material to be extracted is conveyed from the preparation process to the extraction process;
- (5) The means by which extracted desolventized solids and oils are conveyed from the extraction process; and
- (6) The preparation and meal finishing processes that are connected by conveyor to the extraction process, regardless of intervening distance.

BSR/NFPA 55-200x, Standard for the Storage, Use, and Handling of Compressed Gases and Cryogenic Fluids in Portable and Stationary Containers, Cylinders, and Tanks (revision of ANSI/NFPA 55-2005)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall apply to the installation, storage, use, and handling of compressed gases and cryogenic fluids in portable and stationary containers, cylinders, and tanks in all occupancies.

BSR/NFPA 75-200x, Standard for the Protection of Information Technology Equipment (revision of ANSI/NFPA 75-2003)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard covers the requirements for the protection of information technology equipment and information technology equipment areas.

BSR/NFPA 76-200x, Standard for the Fire Protection of Telecommunications Facilities (revision of ANSI/NFPA 76-2005)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard provides requirements for fire protection of telecommunications facilities where telecommunication services such as telephone, data, cellular, internet, voice over internet protocol (VoIP), and video are rendered to the public.

BSR/NFPA 92A-200x, Standard for Smoke-Control Systems Utilizing Barriers and Pressure Differences (revision of ANSI/NFPA 92A-2006)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

All fires produce smoke that, if not controlled, will spread throughout the building or portions of the building, thereby damaging property and potentially endangering life. A smoke-control system should be designed to inhibit the flow of smoke into means of egress, exit passageways, areas of refuge, or other similar areas of a building. Limiting fire size by providing automatic sprinklers or other means of automatic suppression is generally necessary for effective and economical control of smoke in most occupancies.

BSR/NFPA 92B-200x, Standard for Smoke Management Systems in Malls, Atria, and Large Spaces (revision of ANSI/NFPA 92B-2005)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

Provides owners, designers, code authorities, and fire departments with a method for managing smoke in large-volume, noncompartmented spaces. This guide documents the following:

- (1) The problem of smoke movement in indoor spaces;
- (2) Basic physics of smoke movement in indoor spaces;
- (3) Methods of smoke management;
- (4) Data and technology;
- (5) Building equipment and controls; and
- (6) Test and maintenance methods.

BSR/NFPA 101-200x, Life Safety Code® (revision of ANSI/NFPA 101-2006)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

Addresses those construction, protection, and occupancy features necessary to minimize danger to life from fire, including smoke, fumes, or panic. Also establishes minimum criteria for the design of egress facilities so as to allow prompt escape of occupants from buildings or, where desirable, into safe areas within buildings.

BSR/NFPA 140-200x, Standard on Motion Picture and Television Production Studio Soundstages and Approved Production Facilities (revision of ANSI/NFPA 140-2004)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall address fire protection, property protection, and life safety in motion picture and television industry soundstages and approved production facilities. Practices, processes, materials, and facilities that are addressed by other NFPA standards shall be governed by those standards unless modified in this standard.

BSR/NFPA 306-200x, Standard for the Control of Gas Hazards on Vessels (revision of ANSI/NFPA 306-2003)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard applies to vessels that carry or burn as fuel, flammable or combustible liquids. It also applies to vessels that carry or have carried flammable compressed gases, chemicals in bulk, or other products capable of creating a hazardous condition.

BSR/NFPA 450-200x, Guide for Emergency Medical Services and Systems (revision of ANSI/NFPA 450-2004)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This document is designed to assist individuals, agencies, organizations, or systems as well as those interested or involved in emergency medical services (EMS) system design.

BSR/NFPA 909-200x, Code for the Protection of Cultural Resources Properties - Museums, Libraries, and Places of Worship (revision of ANSI/NFPA 909-2005)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This code shall apply to culturally significant structures and to their contents. Such structures include, but are not limited to, buildings that store or display museum or library collections, historic buildings, and places of worship. These structures also include spaces within other buildings used for such culturally significant purposes.

BSR/NFPA 1006-200x, Standard for Rescue Technician Professional Qualifications (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1006-2003)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard establishes the minimum job performance requirements necessary for fire service and other emergency response personnel who perform technical rescue operations.

BSR/NFPA 1122-200x, Code for Model Rocketry (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1122-2002)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This code shall apply to the design, construction, limitation of propellant mass and power, and reliability of model rocket motors and model rocket motor reloading kits and their components, produced commercially for sale to or for use by the public for purposes of education, recreation, and sporting competition. This code also shall apply to the design and construction of model rockets propelled by such model rocket motors. This code also shall apply to the conduct of launch operations of these model rockets.

BSR/NFPA 1192-200x, Standard on Recreational Vehicles (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1192-2005)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall cover fire and life safety criteria for recreational vehicles.

BSR/NFPA 1194-200x, Standard for Recreational Vehicle Parks and Campgrounds (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1194-2005)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall provide minimum construction requirements to ensure a reasonable degree of safety and health for occupants using facilities supplied by recreational vehicle parks and campgrounds offering temporary living sites for use by recreational vehicles, recreational park trailers, and other camping units.

BSR/NFPA 1561-200x, Standard on Emergency Services Incident Management System (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1561-2005)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall contain the minimum requirements for an incident management system to be used by emergency services to manage all emergency incidents.

BSR/NFPA 1584-200x, Recommended Practice on the Rehabilitation of Members Operating at Incident Scene Operations and Training Exercises (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1584-2003)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This recommended practice establishes the minimum level of criteria for developing and implementing a rehabilitation process for fire department members at incident scene operations and training exercises.

BSR/NFPA 1670-200x, Standard on Operations and Training for Technical Search and Rescue Incidents (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1670-2004)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall identify and establish levels of functional capability for conducting operations at technical search and rescue incidents while minimizing threats to rescuers. The requirements of this standard shall apply to organizations that provide response to technical search and rescue incidents including those not regulated by governmental mandates.

BSR/NFPA 1925-200x, Standard on Marine Fire-Fighting Vessels  
(revision of ANSI/NFPA 1925-2004)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall provide minimum requirements for marine fire-fighting vessels. This standard shall also provide minimum maintenance and testing requirements.

BSR/NFPA 1963-200x, Standard for Fire Hose Connections (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1963-2003)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard gives the performance requirements for new fire hose couplings and adapters with nominal sizes from 1 in. (19 mm) through 8 in. (200 mm) and the specifications for the mating surfaces.

BSR/NFPA 1965-200x, Standard for Fire Hose Appliances (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1965-2003)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

This standard shall cover the requirements for fire hose appliances up to and including 150 mm (6 in.) nominal dimension designed for connection to fire hose, fire apparatus, and fire hydrants and intended for general fire service use in controlling or conveying water.

BSR/NFPA 5000-200x, Building Construction and Safety Code™  
(revision of ANSI/NFPA 5000-2006)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, Users, Installers/Maintainers, Labor, Enforcing Authority, Insurance, Special Experts.

Project Need: Public Interest and need.

The Code addresses those construction, protection, and occupancy features necessary to minimize danger to life and property.

## American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance

The ANSI Essential Requirements: Due Process Requirements for American National Standards provide two options for the maintenance of American National Standards (ANS): periodic maintenance (see 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 as contact information at the ANSI accredited standards developer, please visit ANSI Online at [www.ansi.org](http://www.ansi.org), select Internet Resources, click on "Standards Information," and see "American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance". This information is also available directly at <http://public.ansi.org/ansionline/Documents/Standards%20Activities/American%20National%20Standards/Procedures,%20Guides,%20and%20Forms/>.

Alternatively, you may contact the Procedures & Standards Administration Department (PSA) at [psa@ansi.org](mailto:psa@ansi.org) or via fax at 212-840-2298. If you request that information be provided via E-mail, please include your E-mail address; if you request that information be provided via fax, please include your fax number. Thank you.



# ISO and IEC Draft International Standards



This section lists proposed standards that the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) and the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) are 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 and IEC 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, those regarding IEC documents to Charles T. Zegers, also at ANSI New York offices. The final date for offering comments is listed after each draft.

## Ordering Instructions

**ISO and IEC Drafts can be made available via ANSI's ESS "on-demand" service. Please e-mail your request for an ISO or IEC Draft to Customer Service at sales@ansi.org. The document will be posted to the ESS within 3 working days of the request. When making your request, please provide the date of the Standards Action issue in which the draft document you are requesting appears.**

## ISO Standards

### CINEMATOGRAPHY (TC 36)

ISO/DIS 2910, Cinematography - Screen luminance and chrominance for the projection of motion pictures - 6/10/2006, \$40.00

### FLUID POWER SYSTEMS (TC 131)

ISO/DIS 13726, Hydraulic fluid power - Single rod cylinders, 16 MPa (160 bar) compact series with bores from 250 mm to 500 mm - Accessory mounting dimensions - 6/10/2006, \$53.00

### IMPLANTS FOR SURGERY (TC 150)

ISO/DIS 13779-3, Implants for surgery - Hydroxyapatite - Part 3: Chemical analysis and characterization of crystallinity and phase purity - 6/2/2006, \$82.00

### REFRACTORIES (TC 33)

ISO/DIS 16282, Test methods for dense shaped refractory products - Determination of resistance to abrasion at ambient temperature - 6/10/2006, \$46.00

### ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)

ISO/DIS 7634, Road vehicles - Compressed air braking systems for towed vehicles including those with electronic braking control functions - Test procedures - 6/10/2006, \$125.00

ISO/DIS 8820-6, Road vehicles - Fuse-links - Part 6: Single-bolt fuse-links - 6/10/2006, \$53.00

ISO/DIS 8820-7, Road vehicles - Fuse-links - Part 7: Fuse-links with tabs (Type G) with rated voltage of 450 V - 6/10/2006, \$58.00

### SAFETY OF TOYS (TC 181)

ISO 8124-1/DAMd2, Safety of toys - Part 1: Safety aspects related to mechanical and physical properties - Amendment 2 - 6/10/2006, \$46.00

### THERMAL INSULATION (TC 163)

ISO/DIS 12241, Thermal insulation for building equipment and industrial installations - Calculation rules - 6/10/2006, \$119.00

## TRACTORS AND MACHINERY FOR AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY (TC 23)

ISO/DIS 17532, Stationary equipment for agriculture and forestry - Data communications network for livestock farming - 6/11/2006, \$146.00

ISO/IEC DIS 26702, IEEE Standard for Application and Management of the Systems Engineering Process - 6/10/2006, \$155.00

## IEC Standards

17A/753/FDIS, IEC 62271-101, Ed. 1: High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 101: Synthetic testing, 04/28/2006

17C/371/FDIS, IEC 62271-202, Ed. 1: High-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 202: High voltage/low voltage prefabricated substation, 04/28/2006

20/810/FDIS, IEC 62230 Ed. 1.0: Electric cables - Spark-test method (origin CENELEC), 04/28/2006

23B/816/FDIS, Amendment 1 to IEC 60884-1: Plugs and socket-outlets for household and similar purposes - Part 1: General requirements, 04/28/2006

34D/855/FDIS, IEC 62034, Ed. 1: Automatic test systems for battery powered emergency escape lighting, 04/28/2006

48B/1652/FDIS, IEC 61076-7-100 Ed.1: Connectors for Electronic Equipment - Part 7-100: Cable outlet accessories - Detail specification for a metric cable sealing consisting of an integrated part of heavy-duty rectangular or circular connector hoods and a sealing system, 04/28/2006

57/812/FDIS, IEC 60870-5-104 Ed.2: Telecontrol Equipment and Systems - Part 5-104: Transmission protocols - Network access for IEC 60870-5-101 using standard transport profiles, 04/28/2006

86B/2283/FDIS, IEC 61756-1 Ed. 1.0: Fibre optic interconnecting devices and passive components - Interface Standard for Fibre management systems - Part 1: General and Guidance, 04/28/2006

112/28/FDIS, IEC 60216-6 Ed. 2.0: Electrical insulating materials - Thermal endurance properties - Part 6: Determination of thermal endurance indices (TI and RTE) of an insulating material using the fixed time frame method, 04/28/2006

1/1980/FDIS, IEC 60050-394 Ed.2: International Electrotechnical Vocabulary - Part 394: Nuclear Instrumentation - Instruments, Control Systems and Equipment, 05/05/2006

- 34C/735/FDIS, Amendment 2 to IEC 61347-2-9, Ed. 1: Lamp Controlgear - Part 2-9: Particular requirements for ballasts for discharge lamps (excluding fluorescent lamps), 05/05/2006
- 34D/856/FDIS, IEC 60598-2-13 Luminaires - Part 2-13: Particular requirements - Ground recessed luminaires, 05/05/2006
- 45B/495/FDIS, IEC 61066 Ed.2: Thermoluminescence Dosimetry Systems for Personal and Environmental Monitoring, 05/05/2006
- 64/1527/FDIS, IEC 60364-7-705 Ed.2: Low-voltage electrical installations - Part 7-705: Requirements for special installations or locations - Agricultural and horticultural premises, 05/05/2006
- 66/367/FDIS, IEC 61010-2-020: Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use - Part 2-020: Particular requirements for laboratory centrifuges, 05/05/2006
- 86C/697/FDIS, IEC 61290-5-1 Ed. 2.0: Optical amplifiers - Test methods - Part 5-1: Reflectance parameters - Optical spectrum analyzer method, 05/05/2006
- 87/336/FDIS, IEC 61391-1: Ultrasonics - Pulse echo scanners - Part 1: Techniques for calibrating spatial measurement systems and measurement of system point spread function response, 05/05/2006



# Newly Published ISO Standards

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

## AIR QUALITY (TC 146)

[ISO 17734-1:2006](#), Determination of organonitrogen compounds in air using liquid chromatography and mass spectrometry - Part 1: Isocyanates using dibutylamine derivatives, \$93.00

[ISO 17734-2:2006](#), Determination of organonitrogen compounds in air using liquid chromatography and mass spectrometry - Part 2: Amines and aminoisocyanates using dibutylamine and ethyl chloroformate derivatives, \$93.00

## BUILDING CONSTRUCTION (TC 59)

[ISO 15686-7:2006](#), Buildings and constructed assets - Service life planning - Part 7: Performance evaluation for feedback of service life data from practice, \$93.00

## DENTISTRY (TC 106)

[ISO 3107/Cor1:2006](#), Dental zinc oxide/eugenol cementing materials - Corrigendum, FREE

[ISO 10139-1/Cor1:2006](#), Dentistry - Resilient lining materials for removable dentures - Part 1: Short-term materials - Corrigendum, FREE

## DIMENSIONAL AND GEOMETRICAL PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS AND VERIFICATION (TC 213)

[ISO 463:2006](#), Geometrical Product Specifications (GPS) - Dimensional measuring equipment - Design and metrological characteristics of mechanical dial gauges, \$62.00

## EARTH-MOVING MACHINERY (TC 127)

[ISO 6015:2006](#), Earth-moving machinery - Hydraulic excavators and backhoe loaders - Methods of determining tool forces, \$67.00

## FLOOR COVERINGS (TC 219)

[ISO 24335:2006](#), Laminate floor coverings - Determination of impact resistance, \$58.00

## FREIGHT CONTAINERS (TC 104)

[ISO 10368:2006](#), Freight thermal containers - Remote condition monitoring, \$134.00

## INDUSTRIAL FANS (TC 117)

[ISO 13348:2006](#), Industrial fans - Tolerances, methods of conversion and technical data presentation, \$125.00

## OPTICS AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS (TC 172)

[ISO 16284:2006](#), Ophthalmic optics - Information interchange for ophthalmic optical equipment, \$134.00

## PACKAGING (TC 122)

[ISO 16106:2006](#), Packaging - Transport packages for dangerous goods - Dangerous goods packagings, intermediate bulk containers (IBCs) and large packagings - Guidelines for the application of ISO 9001, \$93.00

## PAINTS AND VARNISHES (TC 35)

[ISO 8501-3:2006](#), Preparation of steel substrates before application of paints and related products - Visual assessment of surface cleanliness - Part 3: Preparation grades of welds, edges and other areas with surface imperfections, \$40.00

## PLASTICS (TC 61)

[ISO 7391-1:2006](#), Plastics - Polycarbonate (PC) moulding and extrusion materials - Part 1: Designation system and basis for specifications, \$46.00

[ISO 7391-2:2006](#), Plastics - Polycarbonate (PC) moulding and extrusion materials - Part 2: Preparation of test specimens and determination of properties, \$40.00

## ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)

[ISO 16844-3/Cor1:2006](#), Road vehicles - Tachograph systems - Part 3: Motion sensor interface - Corrigendum, FREE

## SAFETY DEVICES FOR PROTECTION AGAINST EXCESSIVE PRESSURE (TC 185)

[ISO 4126-3:2006](#), Safety devices for protection against excessive pressure - Part 3: Safety valves and bursting disc safety devices in combination, \$58.00

## SOIL QUALITY (TC 190)

[ISO 15952:2006](#), Soil quality - Effects of pollutants on juvenile land snails (Helicidae) - Determination of the effects on growth by soil contamination, \$102.00

## TEXTILES (TC 38)

[ISO 4167:2006](#), Polyolefin agricultural twines, \$58.00

## TRANSFUSION, INFUSION AND INJECTION EQUIPMENT FOR MEDICAL USE (TC 76)

[ISO 15378:2006](#), Primary packaging materials for medicinal products - Particular requirements for the application of ISO 9001:2000, with reference to Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP), \$125.00

## TRANSPORT INFORMATION AND CONTROL SYSTEMS (TC 204)

[ISO 14814:2006](#), Road transport and traffic telematics - Automatic vehicle and equipment identification - Reference architecture and terminology, \$58.00

## **TYRES, RIMS AND VALVES (TC 31)**

[ISO 23671:2006](#), Passenger car tyres - Method for measuring relative wet grip performance - Loaded new tyres, \$67.00

## **ISO Technical Reports**

### **APPLICATIONS OF STATISTICAL METHODS (TC 69)**

[ISO/TR 13425:2006](#), Guidelines for the selection of statistical methods in standardization and specification, \$107.00

## **ISO/IEC JTC 1, Information Technology**

[ISO/IEC 14165-115:2006](#), Information technology - Fibre Channel - Part 115: Physical Interfaces (FC-PI), \$155.00

# 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 Member countries 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. In turn, the Secretariat disseminates the information to all WTO Members. The purpose of this requirement is to provide global trading partners with an opportunity to review and comment on the regulations before they become final.

The National Center for Standards and Certification Information (NCSCI) at the National Institute of Standards and Technology

(NIST), distributes these proposed foreign technical regulations to U.S. stakeholders via an online service, Notify U.S. Notify U.S. is an e-mail and Web service that allows interested U.S. parties to register, obtain notifications, and read full texts of regulations from countries and for industry sectors of interest to them. To register for Notify U.S., please go to Internet URL: <http://www.nist.gov/notifyus/> and click on "Subscribe".

NCSCI is the WTO TBT Inquiry Point for the U.S. and receives all notifications and full texts of regulations to disseminate to U.S. Industry. For further information, please contact: NCSCI, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive, Gaithersburg, MD 20899-2160; Telephone: (301) 975-4040; Fax: (301) 926-1559; E-mail: [ncsci@nist.gov](mailto:ncsci@nist.gov) or [notifyus@nist.gov](mailto:notifyus@nist.gov).

# Information Concerning

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## ANSI Accredited Standards Developers

### Approval of Reccreditation

#### American Society for Nondestructive Testing (ASNT)

ANSI's Executive Standards Council has approved the reaccreditation of the American Society for Nondestructive Testing (ASNT) under revised operating procedures for documenting consensus on proposed American National Standards, effective March 3, 2006. For additional information, please contact: Mr. Brian O'Connell, Certification Coordinator, American Society for Nondestructive Testing, 1711 Arlingate Lane, Columbus, OH 43228-0518; PHONE: (800) 222-2768, ext. 219; FAX: (614) 274-6003; E-mail: boconnell@asnt.org.

## International Organization for Standardization (ISO)

### Assignment of International Technical Committee Secretariat

#### ISO/TC 122 – Packaging

#### Comment Deadline: April 10, 2006

At a recent ISO Technical Management Board (TMB) meeting concern was expressed relative to the inactivity of the ISO/TC 122 Secretariat and the TMB felt that there is no evidence of any substantive actions to correct the current situation

Therefore, the TMB decided to invite offers from ISO/TC 122 P-members to assume the secretariat while confirming that TSE may also re-apply.

The scope of ISO/TC 1122 is as follows:

Standardization in the field of packaging with regard to terminology and definitions, packaging dimensions, performance requirements and tests.

Excluded : Matters falling within the scopes of particular committees (e.g., TC 6, 52 and 104).

Anyone having an interest in the U.S. applying for this Secretariat, please contact 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 by April 10, 2006.

## U.S. Technical Advisory Groups

### New TAG Administrator

#### U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 173 – Assistive Products for Persons with Disability

The Rehabilitation Engineering and Assistive Technology Society of North America (RESNA), which currently serves as the TAG Administrator to the U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 173/SC 1, Wheelchairs, has agreed to expand its role and assume TAG Administrator responsibilities for the main U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 173, Assistive products for persons with disability, using the existing U.S. TAG for both activities under its currently accredited operating procedures, effective immediately. For additional information, please contact: Mr. Peter Axelson, MSME ATP RET, Director of Research and Development, Beneficial Designs, Inc., 2240 Meridian Blvd., Suite C, Minden, NV 89423; PHONE: (775) 783-8822, ext. 121; FAX: (775) 783-8823; E-mail: pax@beneficialdesigns.com.

### Transfer of TAG Administrator

#### US TAG to ISO/TC 23 – Tractors and Machinery for Agriculture and Forestry, and Subcommittees 2, 3, 4, 14, and 19

#### Comment Deadline: April 10, 2006

The following U.S. Technical Advisory Groups (TAGs) to ISO have voted to transfer TAG Administrator responsibilities from the Association of Equipment Manufacturers (AEM) to the American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE):

- U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 23: Tractors and machinery for agriculture and forestry
- U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 23/SC 2: Common tests
- U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 23/SC 3: Safety and comfort of the operator
- U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 23/SC 4: Tractors
- U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 23/SC 14: Operator controls, operator symbols and other displays, operator manuals
- U.S. TAG to ISO/TC 23/SC 19: Agricultural electronics

Please forward any comments on these actions to Mr. Scott Cedarquist, Director of Standards and Technical Activities, ASABE – American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers, 2950 Niles Road, St. Joseph, MI 49085-9659; PHONE: (269) 428-6331; FAX: (269) 429-3852; E-mail: cedarq@asabe.org by April 10, 2006 with a copy to the Recording Secretary, ExSC in ANSI's New York Office (E-mail: jthompso@ansi.org; FAX: (212) 840-2298).

## BSR B11.21-200x

### 4.3 Personnel's Responsibility

Personnel shall be responsible for following the training and safety procedures provided by the user or supplier in the operation and maintenance of the machine tool using a laser for processing materials, and its associated equipment, in accordance with clause 9.

#### 6.2.2.7 Provisions for isolation of the laser beam

Beam isolation shall be accomplished using control reliable components which operate the laser beam stop (shutter) located inside or immediately outside the laser.

A position indicator shall show when the beam stop is in the 'closed' position. If a light is used for this indicator, it must be in the "ON" condition when the shutter is open. Suitable means shall be provided for locking the laser beam stop in the closed position. A key-control shall be permitted for this purpose.

All indicators shall be visible through any protective eyewear used

In the following types of situations, additional ~~lockable~~ isolation beam stops shall be provided by the supplier, at positions other than immediately at the laser:

- a) when locking of the primary laser beam stop cannot be achieved;
- b) when one laser device supplies more than one beam path, and there is a need for human intervention in one path while the other paths are still operational. A key-control shall be permitted for this purpose.

### E4.3

The Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 – Public Law 91-596, states in section 5(b), "Each employee shall comply with occupational safety and health standards and all rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant to this Act which are applicable to his own actions and conduct."

#### E6.2.2.7

If mounted outside the protective housing of the laser device, beam stop shutters should be located as close as practical to the output of the laser device, such that control of the hazard occurs at the source of that hazard.

One means of meeting these requirements is to provide a red light to indicate when the shutter is open and the laser beam hazard is present. A yellow light to indicate when the potential for a hazard exists but the shutter is closed (e.g. the emission indicator). Under some circumstances a third colored light may be illuminated to indicate when the shutter is closed.

~~All indicators should be visible through any protective eyewear used.~~