



# STANDARDS ACTIONS

## PUBLIC REVIEW—CALL FOR COMMENTS

Constructive comments are invited for the following Public Review Drafts, which can be accessed on ASHRAE’s website at <https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/public-review-drafts>. All activity for reviewing and commenting on public review drafts can be accomplished completely online. To obtain a paper copy of any Public Review Draft contact ASHRAE, Inc. Attn: Standards Public Review, 1791 Tullie Circle, NE, Atlanta, GA 30329-2398, or via email at: [standards.section@ashrae.org](mailto:standards.section@ashrae.org). **Note: Paper copies are available for \$35.00/copy if 100 pages or less and \$45.00 if over 100 pages.**

**30-day Public Review from August 14, 2020 to September 13, 2020**

- ♦ **1st Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE/ASHE Addendum c to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 189.3-2017, Design, Construction, and Operation of Sustainable High-Performance Health Care Facilities**

This addendum updates the publication years of several referenced standards to the most current editions. This date change for Standard 189.1 will not take effect until the publication of the 2021 International Green Construction Code.

**45-day Public Review from August 14, 2020 to September 28, 2020**

- ♦ **2nd ISC Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE/ASHE Addendum j to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2017, Ventilation of Health Care Facilities**

Proposed Addendum j continues the process of reorganizing the standard into three components—Hospital, Outpatient, and Residential Health Care and Support in alignment with the FGI Guidelines’. The intent is not to create additional requirements for outpatient or residential facilities but to separate these from hospital requirements and thus eliminate confusion over which requirements apply to which occupancies. This proposed addendum is the entire Chapter 8 and incorporates Addendum ‘n’. Generally, the changes are as follows: (1) Incorporate Addendum ‘a’ updated filtration requirements. (2) Revise the space name terminology, table organization, and subheadings to better correlate with the 2018 FGI Guidelines for Design and Construction of Hospitals and Outpatient Facilities, including the addition of paragraph numbers after each space name.

## INTERIM MEETINGS

A complete listing of project committee interim meetings is provided on ASHRAE’s website at: <https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/project-committee-interim-meetings>. Reminder: recording (Audio, Video, Screenshots) of ASHRAE meetings, including online meetings, is strictly prohibited.

- ♦ **GPC 37, Guidelines for the Application of Upper-Air (Upper Room) Ultraviolet Germicidal (UV-C) Devices to Control the Transmission of Airborne Pathogens**, will hold a webinar on August 21, 2020 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Richard Vincent, Chair of GPC 37 ([vincentrl777@gmail.com](mailto:vincentrl777@gmail.com)).
- ♦ **SSPC 30, Method of Testing Liquid Chillers**, SSPC 30 will hold a conference call on September 10, 2020 from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Justin Prosser, Chair of SSPC 30 ([justin.prosser@danfoss.com](mailto:justin.prosser@danfoss.com)).
- ♦ **SPC 37-2009R, Methods of Testing for Rating Electrically Driven Unitary Air-Conditioning and Heat Pump Equipment**, will hold conference calls from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm (Eastern) on the following dates:
  - ⇒ August 28, 2020
  - ⇒ September 9, 2020
  - ⇒ September 23, 2020
 For additional information contact Christopher Stone, Chair of SPC 37 ([cstone@ahrinet.org](mailto:cstone@ahrinet.org)).
- ♦ **SPC 124-2007R, Methods of Testing for Rating Combination Space-Heating and Water-Heating Appliances**, will hold a conference call on Wednesday, September 2, 2020 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Ben Schoenbauer, Chair of SPC 124 ([bschoenbauer@mncee.org](mailto:bschoenbauer@mncee.org)).
- ♦ **SPC 133-2015R, Method of Testing Direct Evaporative Air Coolers**, SPC 133 / SPC 143 will hold a conference call on Tuesday, August 25, 2020 from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Patricia Graef, Chair of SPC 133 and SPC 143 ([pat.graef@att.net](mailto:pat.graef@att.net)).



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♦ **SSPC 72, Method of Testing Open and Closed Commercial Refrigerators and Freezers**, will hold conference calls on the following dates and times:

- ⇒ September 21, 2020 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern)
- ⇒ September 30, 2020 from 9:00 am to 11:00 am (Eastern)
- ⇒ October 8, 2020 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern)

For additional information contact Stephen Schaefer, Chair of SSPC 72 [stschaef@hoshizaki.com](mailto:stschaef@hoshizaki.com).

♦ **SPC 143-2015R, Method of Test for Rating Indirect Evaporative Coolers**, SPC 133 / SPC 143 will hold a conference call on Tuesday, August 25, 2020 from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Patricia Graef, Chair of SPC 133 and SPC 143 ([pat.graef@att.net](mailto:pat.graef@att.net)).

♦ **SSPC 170, Ventilation of Health Care Facilities**, will hold a conference call on September 16, 2020 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Michael Sheerin, Chair of SSPC 170 ([michael.sheerin@tlc-eng.com](mailto:michael.sheerin@tlc-eng.com)).

♦ **SSPC 185, Methods of Test to Inactivate Microorganisms in HVAC Systems with UV-C lights**, will hold conference calls from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm (Eastern) on the following dates:

- ⇒ August 26, 2020
- ⇒ September 16, 2020
- ⇒ October 7, 2020
- ⇒ October 28, 2020
- ⇒ November 18, 2020
- ⇒ December 9, 2020

For additional information contact Stephen Martin, Chair of SSPC 185 ([smartin1@cdc.gov](mailto:smartin1@cdc.gov)).

♦ **SPC 220P, Method of Testing for Rating Small Commercial Blast Chillers, Chiller-Freezers, and Freezers**, will hold a conference call on August 27, 2020 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Oliver Ta, Chair of SPC 220 ([oliver.ta@sce.com](mailto:oliver.ta@sce.com)).

Click on the following link to learn more about ASHRAE Standards Activities <https://www.ashrae.org/listserves>.

- ⇒ [SSPC 41 — Standard Methods for Measurement](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 62.1 — Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 62.2 — Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Low-Rise Residential Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 90.1 — Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 90.2 — Energy Efficient Design of Low-Rise Residential Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [SPC 90.4 — Energy Standard for Data Centers and Telecommunications Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 161 — Air Quality within Commercial Aircraft](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 188 — Legionellosis: Risk Management for Building Water Systems](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 189.1 — Standard for the Design of High-Performance Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [Code Interaction Subcommittee \(CIS\) Listserve](#)