



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://osr.ashrae.org>. To obtain a paper copy of any Public Review Draft contact ASHRAE, Inc. Attn: Standards Public Review, 180 Technology Parkway, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092, or via email at: standards.section@ashrae.org. Paper copies are \$35.00/copy if 100 pages or less and \$45.00 if over 100 pages.

**30-day Public Review from
January 29, 2021 – February 28, 2021**

- ♦ **1st Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE/IES Addendum u to ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.1-2019, *Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***

This addendum proposes changes to Section 11 to specify that an air economizer is to be used for modeling the budget HVAC system. Additional changes are proposed to expand instructions for determining equipment capacities when thermal zones are combined through the simplified modeling process.

- ♦ **1st Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE/IES Addendum v to ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.1-2019, *Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***

The proposed changes specify which documentation projects following Section 11 and Appendix G must provide to the rating authority or jurisdiction, and which should be available by request.

**45-day Public Review from
January 29, 2021 – March 15, 2021**

- ♦ **1st Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE/IES Addendum y to ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.1-2019, *Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***

This proposed addendum revises *Table 6.8.1-16: Heat Pump and Heat Recovery Chiller Packages Minimum Efficiency Requirements* to provide clarification on compliance and to reflect the latest (2020) publications of AHRI 550/590 (IP) and AHRI 551/591 (SI).

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The addenda listed below are now available for free download on the ASHRAE website at: <http://www.ashrae.org/standards-addenda>.

- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ICC/USGBC/IES Addenda ax to ANSI/ASHRAE/ICC/USGBC/IES Standard 189.1-2020, *Standard for the Design of High-Performance Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***

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 conference calls from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm on the following dates:
 - ⇒ February 19, 2021
 - ⇒ March 5, 2021
 - ⇒ March 19, 2021
 - ⇒ April 2, 2021
 - ⇒ April 16, 2021
 - ⇒ April 30, 2021
 - ⇒ May 14, 2021
 - ⇒ May 28, 2021
 - ⇒ June 11, 2021

For additional information contact Richard Vincent, Chair of GPC 37 (vincentr1777@gmail.com).



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INTERIM MEETINGS

- ♦ **SSPC 170, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, will hold webinars from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm on the following dates:
 - ⇒ March 3, 2021
 - ⇒ April 7, 2021
 - ⇒ May 5, 2021

For additional information contact Michael Sheerin, Chair of SSPC 170 (michael.sheerin@tlc-eng.com).

- ♦ **SPC 227P, *Passive Building Design Standard***, will hold webinars from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern) on the following dates:
 - ⇒ February 4, 2021
 - ⇒ March 4, 2021
 - ⇒ April 1, 2021
 - ⇒ May 6, 2021

For additional information, please contact Daniel Nall, Chair of SPC 227 (dannall@mindspring.com).

INTERPRETATIONS

New official interpretations to the following standard is now available on the ASHRAE website at: <http://www.ashrae.org/standards-interpretations>

- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2017, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, approved January 26, 2021.
 - ⇒ Interpretation 170-2017-11 – January 26, 2021 (Refers to the requirements in ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2017 and Addendum n, Tables 7.1 and 9.1, regarding nonrefrigerated body-holding rooms.)
 - ⇒ Interpretation 170-2017-12 – January 26, 2021 (Refers to the requirements in ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2017, Section 7.1a.1, Table 7.1 and Section 7.4.1, regarding pressurization scheme for operating rooms.)

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- ⇒ [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](#)