

# STANDARDS ACTIONS

### PUBLIC REVIEW—CALL FOR COMMENTS

Constructive comments are invited for the following Public Review Drafts, which can be accessed at <a href="https://osr.ashrae.org">https://osr.ashrae.org</a>. To obtain a paper copy contact ASHRAE, Inc. Attn: Standards Public Review, 180 Technology Parkway, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092, or via email at: <a href="mailto:standards.section@ashrae.org">standards.section@ashrae.org</a>. Paper copies are \$35.00/copy if 100 pages or less and \$45.00 if over 100 pages.

## 30-day Public Review from October 22, 2021 – November 21, 2021

Advisory Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE/IES Addendum bn to ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.1-2019, Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings

This advisory public review draft introduces the concept of using ASHRAE Guideline 36 where control sequences are required for new buildings equipped with DDC systems.

 3rd Public Review ISC of BSR/ASHRAE/ICC/ USGBC/IES Addendum aq to ANSI/ASHRAE/ICC/ USGBC/IES Standard 189.1-2020, Standard for the Design of High-Performance Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings

This ISC clarifies and adds flexibility to the requirements for plant selection on greenfield building projects. It also removes the limitation that had been in place for the use of vegetative roof systems, which may need to be employed to a greater extent in urban settings. Please note that this is a correction to the original 3rd Public Review ISC draft of the same name (dated 7/2/21) and fully replaces that draft and all associated comments.

 1st Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum a to Standard 217-2020, Non-Emergency Ventilation in Enclosed Road, Rail, and Mass Transit Facilities

This addendum revises and adds new definition(s) to Section 4; revises Sections 6.4, 7.3, 8.1 (adds 8.1.7, 8.1.8), 8.2 (adds 8.2.6), 11.3, 11.4, and 12; modifies Appendix A; and adds a new reference to Appendix D.

#### PUBLIC REVIEW—CALL FOR COMMENTS

45-day Public Review from October 22, 2021 – December 6, 2021

 1st Publication Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum g to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 15-2019, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems

This addendum proposes a complete rewrite of Section 7.2, "Concentration Limits," and Section 7.3, "Volume Calculations." This proposal reverses the existing sections, first addressing the volume of spaces for consideration (proposed new Section 7.2), then determines acceptable refrigerant charge quantity (proposed new Section 7.3).

 2nd ISC Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Standard 41.3-2014R, Standard Methods for Pressure Measurement

This revision of ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 41.3-2014 prescribes methods for pressure measurements under laboratory and field conditions.

### **INTERIM MEETINGS**

A complete listing of project committee interim meetings is provided on ASHRAE's website at: <a href="https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/project-committee-interim-meetings">https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/project-committee-interim-meetings</a>

- SSPC 127, Method of Testing for Rating Air Conditioning Units Serving Data Center (DC) and Other Information Technology Equipment (ITE) Spaces, will hold conference calls from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern) on the following dates:
  - ⇒ October 28, 2021
  - ⇒ November 18, 2021
  - ⇒ December 16, 2021
  - ⇒ January 20, 2022

For additional information contact John Bean, Chair of SSPC 127 (beanjohnh@icloud.com)



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#### INTERIM MEETINGS

- SPC 228P, Standard Method of Evaluating Zero Energy Building Performance, will hold conference calls Wednesdays from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm (Eastern) on the following dates:
  - ⇒ November 10, 2021
  - ⇒ December 1, 2021
  - ⇒ December 8, 2021
  - ⇒ January 12, 2022

For additional information, please contact Keith Emerson, Chair of SPC 228 (<a href="kemerson2002@yahoo.com">kemerson2002@yahoo.com</a>).

### STANDARDS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Each year the Society recognizes the outstanding efforts of a single volunteer in the area of standards development. The Standards Achievement Award recognizes excellence in volunteer service and serves to heighten general membership awareness of, and interest in, standards activities.

The award is open to ASHRAE members who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in the ASHRAE standards development process based on criteria presented in Appendix B of the Standards Committee Reference Manual, which can be found on the ASHRAE website at: <a href="https://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures">https://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures</a>.

Nominations are solicited during the first half of the Society year and then the Standards Committee will select the recipient at the 2022 ASHRAE Winter Meeting.

The Standards Achievement Award will be presented during the Honors and Awards portion of the Plenary Session at the ASHRAE Annual Meeting in Toronto. A certificate will be presented to the recipient by the ASHRAE President.

Nominations are due to the Sr. Manager of Standards, Connor Barbaree (<a href="mailto:cbarbaree@ashrae.org">cbarbaree@ashrae.org</a>), by December 31, 2021. The nomination form can be found on the ASHRAE website at: <a href="https://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures">https://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures</a>.

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- ⇒ 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