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FEDERAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS STANDARDS
COMMITTEE

Chair Agency: National Communications
System, Department of Defense

Participating agencies:

Central Intelligence Agency*

Department of Commerce

Department of Defense

Energy Research and Development

Administration

Federal Communications Commission

General Services Administration

National Aeronautics and Space

Administration

National Security Agency*

Department of State

Department of Transportation

*Inclusion of these two agencies represents a departure from the current practice of listing only those agencies whose standards activities are described in Part One and whose names appear in the Table of Contents.

PREFACE

Standards are becoming increasingly important to the domestic and international commerce of the United States. The objective of the Guide to Standards Activities of Federal Agencies is to strengthen U.S. commercial interests by providing detailed information on Federal Government involvement in U.S. standards activities. This Guide was compiled in accordance with the responsibilities of the Office of Product Standards (which is a constituent unit within the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology, U.S. Department of Commerce) and in furtherance of the functions of the Interagency Committee on Standards Policy, which is chaired by the Department of Commerce.

The Guide provides an excellent ready reference to major areas of Federal Agency involvement in domestic and international standardization. When used in conjunction with the Department of Commerce publication, Directory of U.S. Standardization Activities, it provides the reader with an overview of the standardization activities of both the private and public sectors. Present plans call for the Guide to be revised periodically in order to assure its continued usefulness.

Standards activities of twenty-three (23) Federal Agencies and their subunits are listed in Part One of this Guide. Part Two contains lists of the major U.S. and international standards committees and organizations in which these Federal Agencies participate. The Subject Index provides a quick method of locating the specific Agency unit concerned with a particular standards activity.

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FOURTEENTH STREET AND INDEPENDENCE AVENUE, S.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20250

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Agricultural Marketing Service
Department of Agriculture
Washington, D.C. 20250
(202) 447-6766 IDS:151-76766
Title of Head of Unit: Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Codex Alimentarius standards for foods.
Inspection of egg products.
Inspection procedures for processing plants using grading services.
Plant variety inspection standards.
Seed certification standards.

Voluntary standards

Grades of agricultural products.

Procurement standards

Food purchases for school lunches, needy families, and other programs.

°Animal Care Staff
Veterinary Services Program
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Room 771, Federal Center Building
Hyattsville, Maryland 20782
(301) 436-8271
Title of Head of Unit: Senior Staff Veterinarian

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Humane care and treatment standards of warm blooded animals bought, sold, or transported for purposes of research, exhibition, or for use as pets.

°Biologics Licensing and Standards Staff
Veterinary Services Program
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Room 827, Federal Center Building
Hyattsville, Maryland 20782
(301) 436-8245
Title of Head of Unit: Senior Staff Veterinarian

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Animal biologics products.

°Foreign Programs Staff
Meat and Poultry Inspection Programs
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Room 4346, South Building
Department of Agriculture
Washington, D.C. 20250
(202) 447-7610 IDS:151-77610
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Export certification of U.S. meat and poultry products.
Foreign meat and poultry plants certification.

°Methods Development Staff
Plant Protection and Quarantine Program
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Room 642A, Federal Center Building
Hyattsville, Maryland 20782
(301) 436-8896
Title of Head of Unit: Chief Staff Officer

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Cold treatment methods for ships carrying fruit to U.S.
Fumigation of imported materials.
Insecticide treatment.
Soil sterilization and treatment methods.

°Scientific and Technical Services
Meat and Poultry Inspection Programs
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Room 324-A, Administration Building
Department of Agriculture
Washington, D.C. 20250
(202) 447-3473 IDS:151-73473
Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Administrator

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
(continued)

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Analytical test methods.
Facilities equipment and sanitation.
Inspection procedures.
Labeling.
Livestock and poultry slaughtering.
Meat and poultry products processing.
Meat and poultry products standards.

°International Organization Affairs

Foreign Agricultural Service
Room 1661, South Building
Department of Agriculture
Washington, D.C. 20250
(202) 447-6345 IDS:151-76345
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Coordinates U.S. standards activities in the Codex Alimentarius (FAO/WHO), Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), Economic Commission for Europe (ECE), and international standards organizations.

°International Trade Policy

Foreign Agricultural Service
Room 5057, South Building
Department of Agriculture
Washington, D.C. 20250
(202) 447-6687 IDS:151-76687
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant Administrator

Activity:

General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) efforts to develop a standards code of conduct.
Product standards as issues of the trade policy of the U.S.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

Cattle Industry Advisory Committee
Expert Panel on Nitrites and Nitrosamines
National Meat and Poultry Inspection Advisory Committee
Perishable Agricultural Commodity Act Advisory Committee
Trade Policy Committee for Multilateral Trade Negotiations

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Matters
Interagency Committee on Standards Policy
Memorandum of Understanding between Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA)
Trade Policy Staff Committee

Intra-agency Committees:

Ad Hoc Group on Multilateral Trade Negotiations
Standardization Functional Committee

Committees with State and Local Governments:

Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations
Interagency Net Weight Committee
Market News Association
National Association of State Departments of Agriculture
National Livestock Grading and Marketing Committee

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Society for Testing and Materials
American Society of Mechanical Engineers

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
(continued)

Association of Official Analytical Chemists
Baking Industry Sanitation Standards Committee
National Sanitation Foundation
Steering Committee for Poultry Processing Equipment Standards
U.S. Animal Health Association

Participation in planning activities:
Association of Official Analytical Chemists -- *collaborative studies on methods.*

Overseas Testing:
None

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

All meat and poultry plants which are in countries certified to export to the U.S. are visited by U.S. veterinarians to determine compliance with U.S. standards. All U.S. meat and poultry products shipped overseas must have APHIS export certificates.

International Organizations:

Codex Alimentarius Commission (World Health Organization/Food and Agriculture Organization) -- *international food standards.*
Customs Cooperation Council -- *Harmonized Systems Committee.*
Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) -- *Fruit and vegetable standards (fresh).*
Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) -- *import-export matters; proposed standards on post-mortem judgment of meat.*
General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT)
International Association of Microbiological Societies -- *animal biologics.*
International Plant Protection Convention -- *Phyto-sanitary import regulations.*
Office of International Epizootics (OIE) -- *Animal disease reporting.*
Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) -- *Fruit and vegetable standards (fresh); Sector Group on Unintended Occurrence of Chemicals in the Environment.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

National inspection systems of countries wishing to export meats and/or poultry to U.S. must be approved by Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS).

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AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR DOMESTIC AND
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS

°Office of Business Research and
Analysis
Bureau of Domestic Commerce
Domestic and International Business
Administration
Department of Commerce
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-2786 IDS:189-2786
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

General interest in standards as they
affect domestic business interests
in specific fields -- consumer goods
and services, materials, construction
and capital equipment, science, and
electronics.

°Foreign Business Practices Division
Office of International Finance and
Investment
International Economic Policy and
Research
Domestic and International Business
Administration
Department of Commerce
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-4471 IDS:189-4471
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Provides support for U.S. partici-
pation in Economic Commission for
Europe (ECE) standards activities.

°Office of International Trade Policy
International Economic Policy and
Research
Domestic and International Business
Administration
Department of Commerce
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-3723 IDS:189-3723
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Bilateral and multilateral nontariff
trade barrier aspects of standards.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR MARITIME AFFAIRS

°Office of Advanced Ship Development
Maritime Administration, Code M-920
Department of Commerce
14th and 'E' Streets, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-3870 IDS:189-3870
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Nuclear powered merchant ship standards
for design, construction, and opera-
tion (in cooperation with the Nuclear
Regulatory Commission).

Other shipbuilding (in cooperation with
the U.S. Coast Guard).

Procurement standards

Nuclear powered ship systems.
Ships.
Ship's machinery.

°Office of Advanced Ship Operations
Maritime Administration, Code M-920
Department of Commerce
14th and 'E' Streets, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-4847 IDS:189-4847
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Computer-based management information
and control systems for ocean
shipping operations.

°Office of Maritime Technology
Maritime Administration, Code M-920
Department of Commerce
14th and 'E' Streets, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-5448 IDS:189-5448
Title of Head of Unit: Director

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Activity:

Voluntary standards

Energy conservation equipment and procedures.

Procurement standards

Marine environment equipment to meet international discharge standards.
Merchant ship specifications.

°Office of Ports and Intermodal Development

Maritime Administration, Code M-920
Department of Commerce
14th and 'E' Streets, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-2275 IDS:189-2275
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Freight containers, including shipboard environment, handling, markings, and identification.

Pallets.

Shipborne barges, including shipboard environment and handling.

Transport packaging.

°Office of Ship Construction

Maritime Administration, Code M-920
Department of Commerce
14th and 'E' Streets, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-4373 IDS:189-4373
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Merchant ship construction, equipment, and materials.

Procurement standards

Merchant-type ships.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

°Office of Environmental Affairs
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology
Department of Commerce, Room 3425
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-4335 IDS:189-4335
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Reviews and comments on proposed Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations concerning their scientific validity, technical feasibility, and economic achievability.

°Office of Product Standards

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology
Department of Commerce, Room 3876
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 967-3221 IDS:189-3221
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Contributes to the development of a national policy on standards, in the following areas:
industrial and consumer product standards;
participation of the U.S. in international standards activities;
responsibility of Federal agencies in developing standards;
legal and economic aspects of adherence to standards.

Coordinates the Department of Commerce standards programs and policies with other agencies and the private sector, including international standardization forums; chairs the Interagency Committee on Standards Policy.

Provides assistance to the Department of Commerce on standardization issues.

°Office of Telecommunications

1325 'G' Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005
(202) 967-3908 IDS:189-3908
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Telecommunications standards for the Federal system.

Voluntary standards

Federal telecommunication standards mentioned above may be used by industry as voluntary standards.

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°Document Standards Branch
Input Division
Office of Production
National Technical Information Service
5285 Port Royal Road
Springfield, Virginia 22151
(703) 321-8537
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Corporate author headings.
Series designation and technical
report numbers in accordance with
American National Standards Insti-
tute (ANSI) Technical Report
Number Z39.23-1974.

°Office of the Director
National Technical Information Service
5285 Port Royal Road
Springfield, Virginia 22151
(703) 321-7704
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Bibliographic data.
Information processing.
Software documentation.

°NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS
Washington, D.C. 20234
(301) 921-1000

Activity:

Assists industry, business, and con-
sumers in the development and
acceptance of commercial standards
and simplified trade practice
recommendations; conducts programs
in cooperation with U.S. business
groups and standards organizations
for the development of international
standards; and provides assistance
to standards organizations and
standards programs of other govern-
ment agencies, local and national.

°Office of International Standards
Office of the Associate Director for
Information Programs
National Bureau of Standards
Washington, D.C. 20234
(301) 921-3662
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Serves as focal point for partic-
ipation by NBS staff in inter-
national standards writing
organizations.

°Law Enforcement Standards Laboratory
Center for Consumer Product Technology
Institute for Applied Technology
Room B150, Physics Building
National Bureau of Standards
Washington, D.C. 20234
(301) 921-3167
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Voluntary standards

(In cooperation with the Law Enforce-
ment Assistance Administration, Depart-
ment of Justice)

Law enforcement equipment, including:
emergency warning sirens and flash-
ing lights
equipment to detect and identify
concealed objects
fixed surveillance cameras
forensic science
law enforcement communications
equipment
protective equipment and clothing
security systems
video and audio tape recording
equipment

°Standards Application and Analysis
Division
Institute of Applied Technology
National Bureau of Standards
Washington, D.C. 20234
(301) 921-3731
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

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Activity:

Regulatory standards (issued by other Federal agencies)

Conducts research towards developing regulatory standards in the same standards activities as those listed below under "Voluntary standards."

Voluntary standards

Coordinates NBS standards development activities and liaison with domestic organizations which write and apply standards.

Coordinates participation of staff from all NBS Institutes in the following standards activities:

- acoustics, vibration, and shock
- automotive and aircraft
- chemicals
- chemistry
- civil engineering and construction
- computer and data processing
- electrical and electronics engineering
- ferrous materials and metallurgy
- fire
- information and dissemination
- instrumentation
- materials handling
- mathematics and statistics
- measuring instruments
- mechanical engineering
- metrology
- nonferrous materials and metallurgy
- nuclear
- paper
- photography and motion pictures
- physical metallurgy
- physics
- rubber
- safety
- telecommunications
- testing methods
- textiles

°Office of ADP (Automatic Data Processing) Standards Management
Institute for Computer Sciences and Technology
Room B226, Technology Building
National Bureau of Standards
Washington, D.C. 20234
(301) 921-3157
Title of Head of Unit: Associate Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards (for Federal agencies)

Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) Program which establishes standards for use and acquisition of ADP systems (in conjunction with the General Services Administration).

Voluntary standards

Federal ADP standards mentioned above may be used by industry as voluntary standards.

ADMINISTRATOR, NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION

°Fishery Products Inspection and Safety Division

National Marine Fisheries Service
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

3300 Whitehaven Street, N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20235

(202) 634-7458

Title of Head of Unit: National Program Manager

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Fishery product standards including identity, minimum quality, and fill-of-container for submission to Codex Alimentarius.

Hygienic and technological practice for handling and processing fish and fishery products.

Multi-quality (grade) standards for fishery products.

Retail market names of fish and fishery products.

Sanitation in fish processing plants.

Procurement standards

State and Federal procurement specifications for fishery products.

°Resource Assessment Division
National Marine Fisheries Service
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
3300 Whitehaven Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20235
(202) 934-7449
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

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Activity:

Voluntary standards

Biological sampling apparatus and methodology.

°National Geodetic Survey
National Ocean Survey
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
6001 Executive Boulevard
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 496-8600
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Surveying standards.

°Metrology Division
National Oceanographic Instrumentation Center
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
ATTN: C632
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(202) 426-9087
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Test standards and calibration procedures for marine environmental instruments.

°National Weather Service
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
8060 Thirteenth Street
Silver Spring, Maryland 20910
(301) 427-7689
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Assists in the development and promulgation of international standards for meteorological and hydrological observations, forecasts, and communications.

ADMINISTRATOR, NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ADMINISTRATION

°Research and Development Office
National Fire Prevention and Control Administration
2400 'M' Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20230
(202) 964-7722
Title of Head of Unit: Associate Administrator

Activity:

Voluntary standards

(In conjunction with the Consumer Product Safety Commission)

Codes for consumer products.

Fire safety standards.

(In conjunction with the Fire Research Center, National Bureau of Standards)

Firefighters' equipment.

Fire safety of products, buildings, and services.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

Center for Building Technology Advisory Committee

Federal Information Processing Standards Coordinating and Advisory Committee

Advisory Committee for International Legal Metrology

Interagency Committees:

Atomic Energy Commission/Maritime Administration Liaison Committee

Committee on Nuclear Instrumentation Modules

Federal Advisory Committee to the Office of Water Data Coordination

Federal Computer Performance Evaluation and Simulation Center

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Federal Fire Council
Federal Geodetic Control Committee
Federal Information Processing Standards
Federal Metrification Working Group for Meterological Services
Federal Safety Council
Federal Telecommunications Standards Committee
Interagency Advisory Committee on Customs Cooperation Council Matters
Interagency Committee for Marine Environmental Prediction
Interagency Committee for Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Matters
Interagency Committee on Standards Policy
Interagency Committee on Transportation Security
Interagency Group on International Aviation
Interdepartment Radio Advisory Committee
Interdepartmental Screw Thread Committee
National Committee for Prevention of Pollution of the Seas by Oil
National Committee for the Prevention of Marine Pollution
National Communications System
National Environmental Communications Committee
National Industrial Energy Coordinating Committee
Ship Structure Committee
Technical Electronic Product Radiation Safety Standards Committee
Transportation Data Coordinating Committee
U.S. Coast Guards Advisory Committee on the International Convention on Safe Containers
U.S. National Committee of the International Radio Consultative Committee of the International Telecommunications Union

Intra-agency Committees:

Crew Committee
Energy Policy Panel and Working Group
Engineering Product Standards Council
Environmental Working Group

Committees with State and Local Governments:

Associated Public Safety Communications Officers -- *develop communications equipment standards for law enforcement officials.*
Conference of State Directors of Telecommunications
Consumer Sounding Board -- *interacts with state and local officials on energy labeling standards.*
Government Management Information Systems
National Association of State Information Systems
National Association of State Purchasing Officials
National Conference of States on Building Codes and Standards -- *develops standards for building industry, includes NBS efforts on fire research and safety.*
National Conference on Weights and Measures -- *develops performance standards and test methods for commercial weighing and measuring instruments.*
National Safety Council Committee on Alcohol and Drugs -- *development of breath analyzer test methods and standards.*

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:
Acoustical Society of America
Advisory Group on National Bibliographic Control
Aerospace Industries Association of America
Aluminum Association
American Association of Clinical Chemists
American Association of Physicists in Medicine
American Association of Textile Chemists and Colorists
American Bureau of Shipping
American Ceramic Society
American Chemical Society
American Concrete Institute
American Conference on Government Industrial Hygienists

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American Congress on Surveying and Mapping	Atomic Industrial Forum
American Crystallographic Association	Audio Engineering Society
American Gas Association	Battelle Memorial Institute
American Home Economics Association	Bendix Research Laboratory
American Industrial Hygiene Association	Building Research Advisory Board
American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics	Business Equipment Manufacturers Association
American Institute of Architects	Cambridge Research Laboratory
American Institute of Chemical Engineers	Column Research Council
American Institute of Physics	Compressed Gas Association
American Iron and Steel Institute	Computers and Business Equipment Manufacturers Association
American Nuclear Society	Conference on Data Systems Languages
American Ordinance Association	Coordinating Research Council
American Paper Institute	Council of National Library Associations
American Petroleum Institute	Edison Electric Institute
American Physical Society	Electronic Industries Association
American Public Health Association	Engineers Joint Council
American Railway Engineering Association	Grinding Wheel Institute
American Road Builders Association	Group on Electron Devices
American Society for Information Sciences	Highway Research Board
American Society for Engineering Education	Illuminating Engineering Society
American Society for Metals	Incinerator Institute of America
American Society for Quality Control	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
American Society for Testing and Materials	Institute of Environmental Sciences
American Society of Civil Engineers	Institute of Mathematical Statistics
American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air Conditioning Engineers	Institute of Nuclear Materials Management
American Society of Mechanical Engineers	Instrument Society of America
American Society of Sanitary Engineering	Intersociety Color Council
American Statistical Association	Intersociety Committee on Methods for Air Sampling and Analysis
American Vacuum Society	Joint Committee on Powder Diffraction Standards
Architectural Aluminum Manufacturers Association	Joint Industry Research Committee for Standardization of Miniature Precision Coaxial Connectors
Aspen Center for Physics	Marine Technology Society
Asphalt Institute	Metal Properties Council
Association for Computing Machinery	Mobile Home Manufacturers Association
Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation	National Academy of Engineering
Association of Official Analytical Chemists	National Academy of Sciences
Association of Scientific Information Dissemination Centers	National Association of Corrosion Engineers
	National Association of Photographic Manufacturers
	National Cable Television Association
	National Committee for Clinical Laboratory Standards
	National Conference of Standards

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National Council of Radiation Protection and Measurement
National Electrical Manufacturers Association
National Federation of Abstracting and Indexing Services
National Fire Protection Association
National Microfilm Association
National Oil Fuel Institute
National Paint and Coatings Association
National Safety Council
Optical Society of America
Outdoor Power Equipment Institute
Pressure Vessel Research Committee
Prestressed Concrete Institute
Radio Technical Commission for Marine Services
Recreational Vehicle Institute
Reinforced Concrete Research Council
Scientific Apparatus Manufacturers Association
Society for Analytical Chemistry
Society of Allied Weight Engineers
Society of Automotive Engineers
Society of Experimental Stress Analysis
Society of Manufacturing Engineers
Society of Motion Picture and Television Engineers
Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers
Steel Structure Painting Council
Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry
Tile Council of America
Toy Manufacturers of America
Trailer Coach Association
Underwriters' Laboratories
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Participation in planning activities:
American National Standards Institute -- *Board of Directors; International Standards Council; Standards Management Boards for: Acoustics; Construction; Electrical Electronics; Fuel and Gas; Graphics; Heating, Air Conditioning and Refrigerating; Information Processing Systems; Material Testing; Measurement and Automatic Control; Medical Devices; Nuclear; Physical Distribution; and Safety Standards.*

American Society for Testing and Materials -- *Board of Directors; Committees on: Publications; Standards; and Technical Committee Operations.*
American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air Conditioning Engineers
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers
U.S. National Committee for the International Electrotechnical Commission
U.S. National Committee for the International Commission on Illumination
U.S. National Committee for the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry
Underwriters' Laboratories -- *Board of Directors.*

International Organizations:
Codex Alimentarius Commission (FAO/WHO) -- *international food standards and codes of practice.*
Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) -- *Governmental Officials Responsible for Standardization Policies; Group of Rapporteurs on Container Transport; Working Party on Inland Water Transport.*
General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) -- *proposed international standards code.*
Intergovernmental Maritime Consultative Organization (IMCO) -- *Marine Environmental Protection Committee; Safety of Life at Sea Convention (SOLAS); and standards for new ships and containers.*
International Astronomical Union (IAU)
International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) -- *weather observing, forecasting, services, and communications.*
International Commission for Northwest Atlantic Fisheries (ICNAF)
International Commission on Glass (ICG)
International Commission on Illumination (ICI)

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International Commission on Radiation Units and Measurements (ICRU)	International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics (IUGG)
International Committee of Weights and Measures of the General Conference on Weights and Measures	International Union of Pure and Applied Physics (IUPAP)
International Confederation on Thermal Analysis (ICTA)	North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) -- <i>Planning Board for Ocean Shipping.</i>
International Conference of Building Officials	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) -- <i>Ad Hoc Group on Nuclear Merchant Ship Safety.</i>
International Council for Building Research, Studies, and Documentation (CIB)	United Nations Commission on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) -- <i>container standards.</i>
International Council of Scientific Unions (ICSU)	United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)
International Council for the Exploration of the Seas	World Meteorological Organization (WHO) -- <i>weather observing, forecasting, and communications.</i>
International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) -- <i>Technical Committee 3 on Graphical Symbols; Technical Committee 25 on Quantities and Units and their Letter Symbols; Technical Committee 46 on Cables, Wires, and Wave Guides for Telecommunications Equipment; and conservation standards for marine industry.</i>	Overseas Quality Control Inspection: NONE
International Federation of Clinical Chemistry (IFCC)	Overseas Testing: NONE
International Health Evaluation Association	Overseas Certification Arrangements: NONE
International Institute of Refrigeration (IIR)	
International Labor Organization (ILO)	
International Organization for Legal Metrology (OIML) -- <i>NBS manages U.S. participation.</i>	
International Organization for Standardization (ISO) - <i>Technical Committees on: Lighters; Shipborne Barges; Freight Containers; Coding and Marking on Containers; General Purpose Containers; Special Purpose Containers; Pallets; and Packaging and Unit Loads.</i>	
International Radio Scientific Union	
International Telecommunications Union (ITU) -- <i>International Radio Consultative Committee (CCIR)</i>	
International Union of Crystallography (IUC)	

CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION
1750 'K' STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20207

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) develops mandatory consumer product safety standards except for those consumer products that are regulated by other agencies, i.e. tobacco products, motor vehicles, aircraft, boats, food, drugs, medical devices, cosmetics, economic poisons, and firearms.

°Bureau of Biomedical Sciences
5401 Westbard Avenue
Bethesda, Maryland 20207
(301) 496-7766
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Chemical and toxicological
consumer product hazards.
Child resistant closures.

°Bureau of Engineering Sciences
5401 Westbard Avenue
Bethesda, Maryland 20207
(301) 496-7051
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Mechanical, electrical, and
thermal consumer product hazards.
Product safety tests and test
methods.

°Office of Standards Coordination and
Appraisal
5401 Westbard Avenue
Bethesda, Maryland 20207
(301) 496-7606
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Coordinates development of all CPSC
standards.
Reviews all standards for technologi-
cal, economic, social, and legal
considerations.

Voluntary standards

Coordinates all CPSC participation,
both domestic and international.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

National Advisory Committee for
the Flammable Fabrics Act
Product Safety Advisory Council
Technical Advisory Committee for
the Poison Prevention Packaging
Act

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American National Standards
Institute
American Society for Testing and
Materials
National School Supply and Equipment
Association
National Swimming Pool Institute
Power Saw Manufacturers Association
Society of Automotive Engineers

Participation in planning activities:

American National Standards Institute
-- *Advisory Committee for Consumer
Product Safety
Consumer Council Committee on
Product Safety*

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*Technical Advisory Group for ISO
TC-149 on Bicycles
Technical Advisory Groups for ISO
TC-23 & SC-13 on Power Lawn
Mowers*

American Society for Testing and
Materials -- *Committee F-15 on
Consumer Product Safety*
Building Officials and Code Adminis-
trators International -- *Advisory
Council*
National Swimming Pool Institute --
Inter-Industry Conference
Power Tool Institute -- *Safety
Advisory Committee*
U.S. National Committee for the Inter-
national Electrotechnical Commission
(IEC) -- *Technical Committee 72 on
Automatic Controls for Electrical
Household Appliances*

International Organizations:

Economic Commission for Europe (ECE)
International Atomic Energy Agency
(IAEA)
International Electrotechnical
Commission (IEC)
International Organization for
Standardization (ISO) -- *standards
for bicycles, power lawn mowers,
and hazard symbols.*
Organization for Economic Cooperation
and Development (OECD) -- *Committee
on Consumer Policy.*
World Health Organization (WHO)

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
THE PENTAGON
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20301

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

Standards activities for the products listed involve both development of voluntary standards for design control and manufacturing processes as well as specifications for product procurement.

°Defense Material Specifications and Standards Office

Cameron Station
Alexandria, Virginia 22314
(202) 274-6337 Autovon: 284-6337
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

General information on all standards activities not specifically covered under other Agency units.

°Aeronautical Systems Division
Engineering Standards Division
ASD/EN YES

Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
Ohio 45433
(513) 255-6281 Autovon: 785-6281
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Voluntary & Procurement standards
Aircraft and airframe structures, except rotary wings.

°Defense Construction Supply Center

Attn: DCSC-SS
Columbus, Ohio 43215
(614) 236-3965 Autovon: 850-3965
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:

Voluntary & Procurement standards
Engine accessories (non-aircraft).
Lumber and millwork.
Pipe and flexible tubing.
Plumbing, heating, and sanitation equipment.

°Defense Electronics Supply Center
1507 Wilmington Pike
Dayton, Ohio 45444
(513) 296-5111 Autovon: 850-5111
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:

Voluntary & Procurement standards
Electrical and electronic equipment components.

°Defense General Supply Center
Richmond, Virginia 23297
(804) 275-3330 Autovon: 695-3330
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:

Voluntary & Procurement standards
Lighting fixtures and lamps.
Chemicals and chemical products.
Books, maps, and other publications.
Fuels, lubricants, oil, and waxes.

°Defense Industrial Plant Equipment Center

Attn: DIPEC-TA
Memphis, Tennessee 38114
(901) 744-5011 Autovon: 966-9501
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:

Voluntary & Procurement standards
Metal working machinery.

°Defense Industrial Supply Center
700 Robbins Avenue

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19111
(215) 697-2370 Autovon: 442-2370
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:

Voluntary & Procurement standards
Bearings.
Hardware and abrasives.
Metal bars, sheets, and shapes.
Rope, cable, chain, and fittings

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°Defense Nuclear Agency
Attn: FCSM-F3
Kirtland Air Force Base
New Mexico 87115
(505) 264-0256 Autovon: 964-0256
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Nuclear ordinance.

°Defense Personnel Support Center
Attn: DPSC-E
2800 South 20th Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19101
(215) 271-4101 Autovon: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Medical, dental, and veterinary
equipment.

°Edgewood Arsenal
Attn: SAREA-DE-ES
Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland 21010
(301) 671-3230/3259
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Safety equipment & rescue equipment.
Decontaminating & impregnating
equipment.

°Frankford Arsenal
Attn: SARFA-MDM
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19137
(215) 831-6400/6163
Autovon: 348-6400/6163
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Measuring tools.

°Naval Air Systems Command
Engineering Division
Standardization Section Code: AIR-52051
Department of the Navy
Washington, D.C. 20361
(202) 692-7643 Autovon: 22-27643
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Adhesives.
Aircraft components and accessories.
Aircraft launching, landing, and
ground handling equipment.

°Naval Facilities Engineering Command
Code 0432
200 Stovall Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22332
(202) 325-0450 Autovon: 221-0450
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Prefabricated structures and
scaffolding.
Woodworking machinery and equipment.

°Naval Ship Engineering Center
Code 6124, Center Building
Prince George's Center
Hyattsville, Maryland 20782
(202) 436-1518 Autovon: 296-1518
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Diesel and steam engines.
Furnaces.
Marine lifesaving and diving equipment.
Nuclear reactors.
Ship and marine equipment.
Shipboard alarm and signal systems.
Ships, small craft, pontoons, and
floating docks.
Steam plants.
Valves (powered).
Water distillation equipment, marine
and industrial.

°Ogden ALC (MMSA)
Hill Air Force Base
Utah 84406
(801) 777-1336 Autovon: 458-1336
Title of Head of Unit: Commanding
Officer

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Guided missiles.
Training aids and devices.

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°SAMSO (DRUC)
P.O. Box 92960
Worldway Postal Center
Los Angeles, California 90009
(213) 643-1966 Autovon: 833-1966
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Space vehicles.

°San Antonio Air Logistics Center
Standardization Branch
Material Services Division
Directorate of Material Management
San Antonio ALC (MMSS)
Kelly Air Force Base
Texas 78241
(512) 925-5563 Autovon: 945-5563
Title of Head of Unit: Commanding
Officer

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Aircraft engines.

°U.S. Army Armament Command
Attn: AMSAR-RDS
Rock Island, Illinois 61201
(309) 794-6532 Autovon: 793-6532
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Ammunitions and explosives.
Fire control equipment.
Maintenance and repair shop
equipment.
Weapons.

°U.S. Army Tank Automotive Command
Attn: AMSTA-RSE
Warren, Michigan 48090
(313) 573-1500 Autovon: 273-1500
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Automotive engines.
Motor vehicles, trailers, and cycles.
Tires and tubes.
Vehicular equipment & components.

°U.S. Army Aviation Systems Command
Attn: AMSAV-ES
P.O. Box 209, Main Office
St. Louis, Missouri 63166
(314) 268-5791 Autovon: 698-5791
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Aircraft, rotary wing.

°U.S. Army Electronics Command
Attn: AMSEL-RD-TS-S
Fort Monmouth, New Jersey 07703
(201) 532-9000 Autovon: 995-3243
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Communication equipment.
Phonograph records.
Photographic equipment.
Phonographs, radios, & TV sets.

°U.S. Army Materials and Mechanics
Research Center
Attn: AMXMR-MS
Watertown, Massachusetts 02172
(617) 926-1900
Autovon: 955-3465/3286
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Brushes, paints, and sealers.
Nonmetallic fabricated materials.

°U.S. Army Mobility Equipment Research
and Development Center
Attn: STAFB-DS
Fort Belvoir, Virginia 22060
(703) 664-5306/5728
Autovon: 354-5306/5728
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:
Voluntary & Procurement standards
Agricultural machinery, equipment,
and supplies.
Construction and building materials.
Construction, mining, excavating,
and highway maintenance equipment.
Electric wire, power, and distribution
equipment.

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Firefighting equipment.
Generators.
Materials handling equipment.
Mechanical power transmission equipment.
Pumps and compressors.
Railroad and miscellaneous signal and warning devices.
Railway equipment.
Refrigeration, air conditioning, and air circulation equipment.
Tractors.
Traffic and transit signal systems.
Water purification and sewage treatment equipment.

°U.S. Army Natick Development Center
Attn: STSNL-TD
Natick, Massachusetts 01760
(617) 653-1000 Ext. 2532
Autovon: 955-2532
Title of Head of Unit: Commander

Activity:

Voluntary & Procurement standards
Apparel and shoes.
Cleaning and polishing equipment and supplies.
Clothing.
Containers and packaging.
Farm trailers & animal drawn vehicles.
Food preparation & serving equipment.
Food products.
Hand tools.
Household and commercial furnishings and appliances.
Musical instruments.
Nonmetallic crude materials.
Office machines.
Office supplies.
Poultry and livestock equipment.
Recreational equipment.
Saddlery, harness, etc.
Service and trade equipment.
Subsistence.
Tents, flags and insignia.
Textiles, leathers and furs.
Toiletries.

°Warner Robins Air Logistics Center (MMSS)
Robins Air Force Base
Georgia 31098
(912) 926-3463 Autovon: 468-3463
Title of Head of Unit: Commanding General

Activity:

Voluntary & Procurement standards
Ores, minerals, and their primary products.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

Defense Science Board (Task Force on Specifications and Standards Improvement)

Interagency Committees:

Federal Telecommunications Standards Committee
Interagency Committee on Standards Policy

Intra-agency Committees:

Defense Material Specifications and Standards Board

Committees with State and Local Governments:

NONE

Non-government Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

Aerospace Industry Association
American National Standards Institute
American Society for Testing and Materials
American Society of Mechanical Engineers
Electronics Industry Association
National Security Industry Association
Society of Automotive Engineers

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

International Organizations:

American, British, Canadian, Australian, and New Zealand Organization
Council of Armament Directors, STANAGS (Standardization Agreements)
International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC)
International Organization for Standardization (ISO)

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North Atlantic Treaty Organization
(NATO) -- *Assemblies, Components,
Spare parts, and Materials Agree-
ment (ACSAM).*

Southeast Asia Treaty Organization
(SEATO) -- *activities similar to
those in NATO.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

STANAG (Standardization Agreements)

#4093 -- *Exchange qualification
approval (QPL).*

ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20545

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Division of Operation Safety
Office of Environment and Safety
U.S. Energy Research and Development
Administration
Washington, D.C. 20545
(301) 973-3157 IDS:119-3157
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

(Only for ERDA headquarters, field offices, research centers, and contractors).

- Component standards.
- Environmental.
- Fire protection.
- Industrial medicine.
- Industrial safety and hygiene.
- Process system.
- Radiation protection.

Voluntary standards

- Basic materials and materials testing for nuclear application.
- Control instrumentation for nuclear power stations.
- Equipment for medical radiation application.
- Equipment for non-medical radiation application.
- Methods of nuclear material control.
- Non-radiological environmental protection.
- Nuclear criticality safety.
- Nuclear design.
- Nuclear reactor fuel cycle.
- Nuclear terminology, units, symbols, and signals.
- Radiation protection.
- Reactor plants and maintenance.
- Research reactors, reactor physics, and radiation shielding.
- Transportation.
- Waste management.

°Division of Reactor Research and Development
Office of Nuclear Energy
U.S. Energy Research and Development Administration
Washington, D.C. 20545
(301) 973-3773 IDS:119-3773
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory (only for ERDA use), Voluntary, and Procurement standards

- Reactor standards (e.g., process systems and components for liquid metal fast breeder reactor systems specific to program requirements).

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

- Interagency Committee on Standards Policy
- Committee on Nuclear Instrumentation Modules

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

- American Chemical Society
- American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

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American Industrial Hygiene
Association
American National Standards Institute
American Nuclear Society
American Public Health Association
American Society for Testing and
Materials
American Society of Mechanical
Engineers
Health Physics Society
Industrial Medical Association
Institute of Electrical and Elec-
tronics Engineers
National Council on Radiation Pro-
tection and Measurements
National Safety Council
Participation in planning activities:
American National Standards Institute
-- *Nuclear Technical Advisory Board*

International Organizations:

International Atomic Energy Agency
(IAEA) -- *Radiation protection
standards.*
International Commission on Radiation
Protection
International Organization for
Standardization (ISO) -- *radiation
protection standards.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
401 'M' STREET, S.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards

Research Triangle Park
North Carolina 27711
(919) 688-8146 Ext. 576

Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Air monitoring and reference methods.
National emission standards for hazardous air pollutants, e.g. mercury, lead, and asbestos.

New source performance standards for:

concrete plants
fossil fuel-fired steam generators
incinerators
iron and steel plants
petroleum refineries
phosphate fertilizers
portland cement plants
secondary lead smelters and brass ingot production plants
sewage treatment plants
sulfuric and nitric acid plants
vessels for petroleum liquids

Requirements for state implementation plans.

°Office of General Enforcement
Room 1111, West Tower (EN-339)
Environmental Protection Agency
401 'M' Street, S.W.

Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 755-2530

Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Importation of catalyst-equipped vehicles.

Significant harm level for pollutants, e.g. photochemical oxidants.

Unleaded gasoline, availability and contamination of, reporting and record keeping for.

Worker protection standards.

°Office of Mobile Source Air Pollution Control

Room 741, West Tower (AW-455)
Environmental Protection Agency
401 'M' Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 426-2464

Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Control of air pollution from aircraft engines.

Control of air pollution from new motor vehicle engines.

°Office of Noise Abatement and Control
Room 1115 (AW-571)

Crystal Mall Building 2
Arlington, Virginia 20460
(703) 557-7777

Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Low noise emission product standards.
Noise emission standards for interstate motor carriers.

Other standards

Develops noise emission standards for aviation for proposal by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), Department of Transportation.

°Office of Pesticide Programs
Room 537A, East Tower (WH-566)
Environmental Protection Agency
401 'M' Street, S.W.

Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 755-8033

Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Pesticide tolerances.

Regulations for approval of state plans for certification of applicators.

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- Regulations for registration of pesticide producing establishments.
Regulations for registration, re-registration, and classification of pesticides.
Requirements for experimental use permits.
Worker protection standards.
Voluntary standards
Procedures for disposal and storage.
- °Office of Research and Development
Room 911W (RD-672)
Environmental Protection Agency
401 'M' Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 755-2600
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant Administrator
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Air and water monitoring and reference methods.
Analytical procedures for the measurement of pollutants.
Requirements for fuel and fuel additive registration.
Specifications for protocols detecting presence and effects of pollutants in fuels.
- °Office of Solid Waste Management Programs
Room 801 (AW-562)
Environmental Protection Agency
1835 'K' Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 254-7820
Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant Administrator
- Activity:
Regulatory standards (for Federal agencies only)
Land disposal of solid wastes.
Storage and collection of solid wastes.
Thermal processing.
- °Office of Water Enforcement
Room 1111, West Tower
Environmental Protection Agency
401 'M' Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 755-0440
Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant Administrator
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
National pollution discharge elimination systems.
- °Office of Water Planning and Standards
Room 737, East Tower (WH-451)
401 'M' Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 755-0402
Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant Administrator
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Areawide waste treatment management plans.
Criteria for water quality standards.
Effluent limitation guidelines for the following point source categories:
asbestos manufacturing
builders paper and roofing felt segment of builders paper and board mills
canned and preserved fruits and vegetables processing
canned and preserved seafood processing
cement manufacturing
dairy products processors industry
electroplating
feedlots
ferroalloy manufacturing
fertilizer manufacturing
flat glass
grain mills
inorganic chemicals manufacturing
iron and steel manufacturing
meat products
nonferrous metals manufacturing

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organic chemicals manufacturing
petroleum refining
phosphate manufacturing
plastics and synthetics
pulp paper and paperboard
rubber manufacturing
soap and detergent manufacturing
steam electric industry
sugar processing
textiles
Marine sanitation service standards.
Preparation of water quality basin
plans.
Pretreatment standards.

°Office of Water Program Operations
Room 1208, East Tower (WH-446)
Environmental Protection Agency
401 'M' Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 426-8856
Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant
Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Criteria for state, local, and
regional oil removal contingency
plans and discharge of oil.
Municipal sewage treatment operations.
Ocean dumping regulations.
Oil pollution prevention.

°Office of Water Supply
Room 1011, East Tower
Environmental Protection Agency
401 'M' Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 426-8847
Title of Head of Unit: Deputy Assistant
Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Interim primary drinking water.
Regulations.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

Air Pollution Chemistry and Physics
Advisory Committee
Effluent Standards and Water Quality
Information Advisory Committee
Environmental Radiation Exposure
Advisory Committee
Hazardous Materials Advisory Committee
National Air Pollution Control Tech-
niques Advisory Committee
National Air Quality Criteria Advisory
Committee
National Drinking Water Advisory
Committee
Science Advisory Board's Executive
Committee
State-Federal FIFRA Implementation
Advisory Committee
Technical Advisory Group for Municipal
Waste Water Systems

Interagency Committees:

Committee on Standards for Cats
Federal Working Group on Pest
Management
Interagency Carcinogenesis Collabora-
tive Group
Interagency Clean Car Advisory
Committee
Interagency Committee on Federal
Guidance for Occupational Exposure
to Ionizing Radiation
Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy
Interagency Panel on Environmental
Mutagenesis
Interagency Work Group on Contaminants
in Aquatic Environments
National Bureau of Standards Advisory
Panel for Measures of Air Quality
U.S. Department of Agriculture
Committee on Food Safety

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Intra-agency Committees:

Intra-agency Quality Assurance
Advisory Committee
Steering Committee for Laboratory
Automation
Steering Committee on Standards
and Regulations

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

The following organizations are con-
sulted through the Advisory Committee
on Intergovernmental Relations:
Council of State Governments
International City Managers
Association
National Association of Counties
National Governors' Conference
National League of Cities/U.S.
Conference of Mayors
National Legislative Conference

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Health Physicists Association
American Industrial Hygiene Association
American National Standards Institute
American Public Health Association
American Society for Testing and
Materials
American Society of Mechanical
Engineers
Water Pollution Control Federation

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

International Organizations:

Codex Alimentarius Commission (FAO/WHO)
-- *pesticide residue tolerances.*
Collaborative International Pesticides
Analytical Council -- *methods for
analysis of pesticides formulations
and products.*
Economic Commission for Europe (ECE)
-- *Group of Rapporteurs on Air
Pollution.*
Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)
-- *pesticide standards and registra-
tion requirements; pesticide safety;
biological test methods; application
and labeling.*

Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative
Organization (IMCO) -- *Marine Envi-
ronment Protection Committee.*

International Atomic Energy Agency
(IAEA) -- *environmental aspects
of planned releases, accidental
problems, and waste disposal;
evaluation of deep water radio-
active waste disposal sites; methods
for evaluating public exposure to
radiation from nuclear installations
and radioactive materials.*

International Civil Aviation Organiza-
tion (ICAO) -- *aircraft exhaust
emission and noise standards; control
of emissions under high altitude
cruising conditions.*

International Organization for Legal
Metrology -- *Secretariat for Pol-
lution; measurement and reference
methods.*

International Organization for
Standardization (ISO) -- *Technical
Committee 146 on Air; Technical
Committee 147 on Water; standard-
izing of pesticide names.*

World Health Organization (WHO) --
*Environmental Health Criteria
Program; Collaborative Center
for Air Pollution Control.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:
Foreign motor vehicle manufacturer
inspection.

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Office of Chief Engineer
2025 'M' Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554
(202) 632-7060
Title of Head of Unit: Chief Engineer

Activity:

Procurement standards

Radio equipment for government agencies.

Regulatory standards

Communications equipment performance.
Communications systems specifications and performance.

Voluntary standards

Radio equipment specifications and performance.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards Policy
Interdepartment Radio Advisory Committee

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local Governments:

Federal-State Joint Board -- *telephone interconnection devices.*
Law Enforcement Assistance Administration -- *communications equipment and systems.*

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American National Standards Institute

Participation in planning activities:

American National Standards Institute

-- *Electrical and Electronics Standards Management Board.*

International Organizations:

International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) -- *Technical Committee 12 on Radiocommunications.*

International Telecommunications Union (ITU), International Radio Consultative Committee -- *radio-communication.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

Communications equipment.

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
SIXTH STREET AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

° Bureau of Consumer Protection
Room 468
Federal Trade Commission
Washington, D.C. 20580
(202) 962-8451
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

In preventing unfair or deceptive acts or practices in commerce, may develop and promulgate or reference existing standards in the form of trade regulation rules or guides.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards Policy

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

NONE

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

International Organizations:

Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) -- *standardization of units of measure in consumer products.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
EIGHTEENTH AND 'F' STREETS, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20406

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Office of Standards and Quality Control
Federal Supply Service
Crystal Mall, Building 4
Washington, D.C. 20406
(703) 557-8660
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant
Commissioner

Activity:

Procurement standards

Automotive accessories and parts.
Automotive equipment and automobiles
(trucks, cars, and buses).
Building materials.
Chemicals and paints.
Electronics, e.g. electronic equip-
ment, magnetic surfaced materials.
Fibers, e.g. textiles and paper.
Furniture.
Mechanical and electrical equipment
and supplies, e.g. powered and non-
powered handtools, hardware,
electrical equipment, machinery,
and instruments.
Packaging materials.

°Standardization Branch
Automatic Data and Telecommunications
Service
18th and 'F' Streets, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20405
(202) 343-7377
Title of Head of Unit: Branch Chief

Activity:

Procurement standards

Automatic data processing equipment,
services, and facilities.
Communications services.
Telecommunications equipment,
technical terminology.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

National Academy of Sciences --
*Committee on Materials Specifi-
cations, Testing Methods, and
Standards.*

Interagency Committees:

Federal Information Processing
Standards Coordination and
Advisory Committee
Federal Telecommunications Standards
Committee
Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy
Interagency Quality Control and
Reliability Committee
Range Commanders Council, Telemetry
Group

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American National Standards Institute
American Society for Testing and
Materials

Participation in planning activities:

American National Standards Institute
-- *Board of Directors; Standards
Management Boards for: Construction;
Electrical Electronics; Heating, Air
Conditioning, and Refrigerating; In-
formation Processing Systems; and
Miscellaneous.*

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
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International Organizations:

International Electrotechnical
Commission (IEC)

International Organization for
Standardization (ISO) -- *interface
compatibility for data processing
equipment; telecommunications.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE
300 INDEPENDENCE AVENUE, S.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20201

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL
°Bureau of Laboratories
Center for Disease Control
Room 1007, Building 1
Atlanta, Georgia 30333
(404) 633-3311 Ext. 3262
FTS: 8 404-633-3263
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:
Regulatory standards
Clinical laboratories engaged in interstate commerce.
Clinical laboratory methods.
Voluntary standards
Diagnostic products.
Other standards
Microbiological and working reagents not commercially available or of unreliable supply.

°National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
Center for Disease Control
Room 3-30, Park Building
12420 Parklawn Drive
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-1530
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:
Regulatory standards
Occupational safety and health.

°Office of Biosafety
Center for Disease Control
Room 234, Building 4
Atlanta, Georgia 30333
(404) 633-3311 Ext. 3883
FTS: 8 404-633-3883
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:
Regulatory standards
Importation and distribution of etiologic agents and vectors.
Packaging of etiologic agents in interstate commerce.

°Public Health Service
Center for Disease Control
Room 2104, Building 1
Atlanta, Georgia 30333
(404) 633-3311 Ext. 3291
FTS: 8 404-633-3291
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:
Regulatory standards
Diagnostic, treatment, prevention, and control standards for communicable and vector-borne diseases and other preventable conditions.
Occupational safety and health.

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION
°Bureau of Biologics
Food and Drug Administration
Room 129, Building 29
National Institutes of Health
9000 Rockville Pike
Bethesda, Maryland 20014
(301) 496-3556
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:
Regulatory standards
Good manufacturing practices.
Safety, purity, potency, and efficacy of biological products.
Shipment of biological products in interstate and foreign commerce.

°Bureau of Drugs
Food and Drug Administration
Room 13-B-45, Parklawn Building
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-2894
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:
Regulatory standards
Certification of insulin and antibiotics.
Product and manufacturing standards for safety, effectiveness, composition, quality, and labeling of human drugs.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE
(continued)

°Bureau of Foods
Food and Drug Administration
Room 6815, FB-8
200 'C' Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20204
(202) 245-1057
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Composition and safety of food
additives and color additives.

Good manufacturing practices for
foods and cosmetics.

Safety, quality, labeling, and
composition of processed foods
and cosmetics.

Shellfish.

Vessel, air, and surface interstate
carriers used for food transport.

Voluntary standards

Certification of imported foods.

Production and storage of foods.

Transportation (rail cars) sanitation.

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Performance of electronic products.

Radiation exposure.

Safe and effective use of products
which emit potentially hazardous
ionizing and nonionizing radiation.

Other standards

Model codes for state and local
radiation control and standards
setting agencies.

°Bureau of Veterinary Medicine
Food and Drug Administration
Room 11-47, Parklawn Building
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-3450
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Safety and efficacy of veterinary
drugs and animal feeds.

°Bureau of Medical Devices and Diagnostic
Products
Food and Drug Administration
Room 212, Chapman Building
1901 Chapman Avenue
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-1743
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Good manufacturing practices.

In Vitro diagnostic products.

Safety, efficacy, and labeling of
medical devices and diagnostic
products.

HEALTH RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION
°Bureau of Health Manpower
Health Resources Administration
Room 5-C-02, Building 31
National Institutes of Health
9000 Rockville Pike
Bethesda, Maryland 20014
(301) 496-4068
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Health manpower planning, develop-
ment, and utilization.

°Bureau of Radiological Health
Food and Drug Administration
Room 502, Twinbrook Building
12720 Twinbrook Parkway
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-4690
Title of Head of Unit: Director

°Bureau of Health Planning and Resources
Development
Health Resources Administration
Room 1111, Parklawn Building
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-1660
Title of Head of Unit: Director

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE
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- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Planning and development of health delivery systems.
Structure, operation, and performance of health delivery systems.
- Other standards*
Statistical methods, research design, population estimation, and projection methodologies.
- °National Center for Health Services Research
Health Resources Administration
Room 15-05, Parklawn Building
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-2770
Title of Head of Unit: Director
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Health care delivery systems.
- °National Center for Health Statistics
Health Resources Administration
Room 8-05, Parklawn Building
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-1326
Title of Head of Unit: Director
- Activity:
Voluntary standards
Data collection, data reduction, and tabulation, including quality control measures for a national cooperative vital statistics system at Federal, state, and local levels.
- HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
°Health Services Administration
Room 14-05, Parklawn Building
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-2778
Title of Head of Unit: Special Assistant to the Administrator
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Certification of Health Maintenance Organizations (HMO).
- °Bureau of Community Health Services
Health Services Administration
Room 7-05, Parklawn Building
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-2320
Title of Head of Unit: Director
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Data systems for peer review.
Participation of providers and suppliers of health services under Medicare and Medicaid (including health and safety).
Professional care.
Professional services, organization, and administration of health programs.
Quality assurance.
- °Bureau of Medical Services
Health Services Administration
Room 1120, Federal Center Building 3
6525 Belcrest Road
Hyattsville, Maryland 20782
(301) 436-6211
Title of Head of Unit: Director
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Emergency medical services systems.
Federal employee occupational health programs.
- °Indian Health Service
Health Services Administration
Room 5-A-55, Parklawn Building
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-1083
Title of Head of Unit: Director
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Health services, quality control; and operational planning.
- ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR HEALTH
°Office of Professional Standards Review
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health
Parklawn Building
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-3880
Title of Head of Unit: Director

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE
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Activity:

Manages Professional Standards Review Organizations (PSRO) activities. Overseas quality assurance criteria in PSRO, Renal Disease, and Health Maintenance Organizations (HMO) programs.
Reviews all institutional and professional quality standards promulgated by HEW.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

Advisory Committee on National Health Planning Information Center
Board of Tea Experts
Coal Mine Health Research Advisory Committee
Cooperative Health Statistics Advisory Committee
Diagnostic Products Advisory Committee
Electromagnetic Radiation Management Advisory Council
Immunization Practices Advisory Committee
Medical Laboratory Services Advisory Committee
Medical Radiation Advisory Committee
National Migrant Health Advisory Committee
National Professional Standards Review Council
Panels on Review of:
Anesthesiology Devices
Cardiovascular Devices
Dental Devices
Ear, Nose, and Throat Devices
Gastroenterology and Urology Devices
General and Plastic Surgery Devices
General Hospital and Personal Use Devices
Neurology Devices
Obstetrical and Gynecological Devices
Ophthalmic Devices
Orthopedic Devices
Physical Medicine (Physiatry) Devices
Radiology Devices
Safety and Occupational Health Study Section

Technical Electronic Product Radiation Safety Standards Committee
Tuberculosis Control Advisory Committee
U.S. National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics
V.D. Control Advisory Committee

Interagency Committees:

Advisory Committee on In Vitro Diagnostics Products
Construction Safety Advisory Committee
Federal Interagency Committee on Education
Interagency Committee on Standards Policy
Interagency Committee on Statistical Methodology

Intra-agency Committees:

Department of Health, Education, and Welfare Committee to Coordinate Toxicology and Related Programs
Food and Drug Administration (FDA)/Center for Disease Control (CDC)
Liaison Committee on In Vitro Diagnostic Products
Public Health Service Health Manpower Coordinating Committee

Committees with State and Local Governments:

Conference of State Sanitary Engineers
District of Columbia Advisory Committee on Radiation

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

Acoustical Society of America
Air Pollution Control Association
American Academy of Dental Radiology
American Association for Clinical Chemistry
American Association of Clinical Chemists
American Association of Immunologists
American Association of Physicists in Medicine
American Board of Clinical Chemistry
American Board of Medical Microbiology
American Chemical Society
American College of Radiology

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE
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American Conference of Governmental
Industrial Hygienists
American Dental Association
American Industrial Hygiene Association
American Institute of Ultrasound in
Medicine
American National Standards Institute
American Public Health Association
American Registry of Clinical Radio-
graphy Technologists
American Society for Testing and
Materials
American Society of Radiologic Tech-
nologists
Association for the Advancement of
Medical Instrumentation
Association of American Feed Control
Officials
Health Physics Society
Institute of Electrical and Electronics
Engineers
National Academy of Sciences
National Committee of Clinical Lab-
oratory Standards
National Council on Radiation Pro-
tection and Measurements
National Fire Protection Association
National Registry for Clinical
Chemists
National Safety Council
Radio Technical Commission for Marine
Sciences
Radiological Society of North America
Society of Automotive Engineers
Washington Technical Institute
Participation in planning activities:
American Association for Clinical
Chemistry
American Association of Immunologists
-- Standards Committee.
American Board of Clinical Chemistry
-- Board of Directors.
American Board of Medical Microbiology
American Society for Microbiology --
Committee on Laboratory Standards.
National Committee on Clinical
Laboratory Standards
National Registry for Clinical
Chemists -- *Board of Directors.*

International Organizations:

International Electrotechnical
Commission (IEC) -- *Technical
Committee 61 on Household Electrical
Appliances.*
International Federation of Clinical
Chemistry (IFCC)
International Federation of Clinical
Chemists -- *Standards Committee.*
International Society for Stand-
ardization in Hematology
International Union of Immunological
Societies -- *Standards Committee.*
International Union of Pure and
Applied Chemistry (IUPAC)
Permanent Commission and International
Association on Occupation Health
World Health Organization (WHO) --
*Expert groups on standards for
diagnostic materials and methods.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

Antibiotic drug manufacturers.
Environmental sampling equipment.
Respirators.

Overseas Testing:

Environmental sampling equipment.
Personal protective equipment.
Respirators.

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

Antibiotic drug certificates.
Environmental sampling equipment.
Respirators.

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT
451 SEVENTH STREET, S.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20410

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Standards Branch
Architecture and Engineering Division
Office of Underwriter Standards
451 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20410
(202) 755-6590 IDS:138-56590
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Construction and safety standards
for mobile homes.

Voluntary standards

Minimum property standards required
for F.H.A. mortgage insurance for
residential, elderly, seasonal, and
rehabilitation housing and nursing
homes (e.g., architectural design;
mechanical, electrical, and plumbing
specifications; construction methods;
and fire safety).

Minimum standards required for Federal
mortgage insurance for community
sewage treatment plants and for
community water supply plants.

°Products Acceptance Branch
Architecture and Engineering Division
Office of Underwriter Standards
451 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20410
(202) 755-5924 IDS:138-55924
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Determination of technical suit-
ability of construction methods
and materials for use under HUD
programs, excluding minimum pro-
perty standards (MPS) and off-
site manufactured products meeting
MPS but not completely subject to
onsite inspection.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

National Mobile Home Advisory Council

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Concrete Institute
American Lumber Standards Committee
American National Standards Institute
American Society for Testing and
Materials
National Fire Protection Association

Participation in planning activities:

American National Standards Institute
-- *Technical Advisory Committee to
the Construction Standards Manage-
ment Board and Correlating Committee
(NFPA 501).*

International Organizations:

Economic Commission for Europe (ECE)
-- *Working Party on the Building
Industry of the Committee on
Housing, Building, and Planning.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
EIGHTEENTH AND 'C' STREETS, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20240

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Bonneville Power Administration
1002 N.E. Holladay Street
Portland, Oregon 97208
(503) 234-3361
Title of Head of Unit: Administrator

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Design standards for power transmission equipment.

Procurement standards

Electrical power systems.

°Bureau of Land Management
Department of the Interior
Washington, D.C. 20240
(202) 343-3801 IDS:183-33801
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Boundaries of the federally owned outer continental shelf.

Cadastral surveys and resurveys of the public lands.

Methods of recording and measuring motor vehicle fleet accident experience.

Methods of recording and measuring work injury experience.

Wildfire protection.

Voluntary standards

Construction.

Health and safety.

Real estate appraisal.

Procurement standards

General industry standards

°Bureau of Mines
Department of the Interior
Columbia Plaza
2401 'E' Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20241
(202) 634-1300 IDS:140-41300
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Tests on coal, coke, ferrous, and non-ferrous metals.

Tests on industrial water.

°Bureau of Reclamation
Department of the Interior
Washington, D.C. 20240
(202) 343-4157 IDS:183-34157
Title of Head of Unit: Commissioner

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Earth foundations.

Materials testing e.g. concrete.

Resource test methodology, e.g.

water and soil.

Procurement standards

Building construction.

Electrical power and pumping systems.

Hydraulic structure and components, e.g. dams and gates.

°Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration
4015 Wilson Boulevard
Ballston Tower #3
Arlington, Virginia 22203
(703) 235-1372 IDS:156-51372
Title of Head of Unit: Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Coal, metal, and nonmetallic mine health and safety standards.

°Division of Contracting and Property Management
National Park Service
Department of the Interior
Washington, D.C. 20240
(202) 343-4621 IDS:183-34621
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Construction of park facilities, roads, and trails.

Visitor use facilities.

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Voluntary standards

Publications.

Procurement standards

Film production.

Heavy construction equipment.

Computer equipment.

Reconstruction of historic structures.

°National Center

U.S. Geological Survey

12201 Sunrise Valley Drive

Reston, Virginia 22092

(703) 860-7411

Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Safety standards for offshore oil
and gas development.

Voluntary standards

Aerial photography.

Basic topographic maps.

Information processing standards
for printing and publications.

Powder X-ray diffraction.

Rock and soil engineering.

Standards for geodetic controls.

Water data acquisition.

Procurement standards

Remote sensing technology.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

Advisory Committee on Water Data
for Public Use

Colorado River Salinity Standards
Task Force

Electric Power Research Institute --
*Underground Transmission Research
Program Working Group.*

Federal Metal and Nonmetal Safety
Advisory Committee

Marine Board, National Academy of
Engineering Committee on Safety
and Engineering Standards for
Outer Continental Shelf Operations

Interagency Committees:

Annual Federal Maps and Chart
Printing Symposium

Federal Committee on Information
Processing Standardization

Federal Committee on Paper Standards
and Specifications

Federal Geodetic Control Committee

Federal Pesticide Committee

Interagency Advisory Committee on
Water Data

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy

Quinquennial Revision of Government-
wide Standards Industrial Class-
ification

U.S. Geological Survey/National
Oceanic and Atmospheric Adminis-
tration/Bureau of Land Management
Interagency Coordinating Committee

Water Resources Committee on
Sedimentation

Water Resources Council Committee
on Hydrology

Working Group on Federal Specifica-
tions for Hydraulic Cements and
Pozzolans

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Intra-agency Committees:

Bureau of Land Management/
National Wildfire Coordinating
Group
Interbureau Committee on Metric
Use and Planning
Interior Interbureau Coordinating
Committee on Base Maps and
Geodetic Controls
Interior Interbureau Safety Council
Interior Task Force on Automatic
Data Processing Site Security
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service/
Bureau of Land Management
Coordinating Committee
U.S. Forest Service/Bureau of Land
Management Executive Planning
Coordinating Committee
U.S. Geological Survey/Bureau of
Land Management Planning and
Coordinating Committee

Committee with State and Local
Governments:

Ad Hoc State Electrical Code
Committee
National Wildlife Coordinating
Group
State Program on Cooperative
Topographic and Geologic Mapping,
Water Collection, and Mine Safety
Technical Advisory Committee on
Flammable Liquids and Solids

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Concrete Institute
American Congress on Surveying and
Mapping
American Geologic Institute
American Iron and Steel Institute
American National Metric Council
American National Standards
Institute
American Nuclear Society
American Public Health Association
American Society for Testing and
Materials
American Society for Quality Control

American Society of Civil Engineers
American Society of Mechanical
Engineers
American Society of Photogrammetry
American Water Works Association
Construction Specifications Institute
Graphic Arts Technical Foundation
Institute of Electrical and Electronic
Engineers
Joint Committee on Powder Diffraction
Standards
National Association of Corrosion
Engineers
National Association of Litho Clubs
National Fire Protection Association
Oceanic Society
Utilities Appearance Committee
Water Pollution Control Federation
Participation in planning activities:
American Congress of Surveying and
Mapping
American National Standards Institute
-- *Board of Directors.*
American Society for Quality Control
-- *Graphic Arts Committee.*
American Society for Testing and
Materials -- *Board of Directors.*
American Society of Photogrammetry
Graphic Arts Technical Foundation.
-- *Research Committee.*
Joint Committee on Powder Diffraction
Standards
National Association of Litho Clubs
-- *Standards Committee.*

International Organizations:

Economic Commission for Europe (ECE)
-- *World standards nomenclature of
secondary materials, starting with
scrap iron and steel.*
Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)
-- *North American Forestry Commission,
Fire Study Group.*
International Association of Hydro-
logical Sciences -- *Committee on
Ground Water Methodology.*
International Association of Printing
House Craftsmen.
International Atomic Energy Agency
(IAEA)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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International Commission on Irrigation and Drainage -- <i>irrigation, drainage, and flood control.</i>	Overseas Quality Control Inspection: Exported electrical power systems apparatus. Overseas map products.
International Commission on Large Dams -- <i>concrete construction, environmental effects, and materials measurement.</i>	
International Conference on Large High Tension Electric Systems	Overseas Testing: NONE
International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) -- <i>electrical power systems and equipment; Technical Committee on Flow Measurement; Working Group on Hydraulic Turbine Vibration.</i>	Overseas Certification Arrangements: NONE
International Federation of Surveyors	
International Labor Organization (ILO) -- <i>occupational safety.</i>	
International Organization for Standardization (ISO) -- <i>Technical Committee 97 on Computers and Information Processing; Technical Committee 27 on Solid Fuel; Technical Committee 147 on Water Quality.</i>	
International Society for Rock Mechanics -- <i>tunnels and other permanent openings.</i>	
International Society for Soil Mechanics and Foundation Engineering -- <i>Subcommittee on Symbols, Units, Definitions, and Standards.</i>	
International Society of Photogrammetry	
Organization of American States (OAS) -- <i>Pan American Institute of Geography and History.</i>	
United Nations Economic and Social Council (UNESCO) -- <i>methods for water quantity and quality measurement.</i>	
Urban and Large Scale Surveys and Maps	
World Health Organization (WHO) -- <i>methods for water quantity and quality measurement.</i>	
World Meteorological Organization -- <i>methods for water quantity and quality measurement.</i>	

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
TENTH STREET AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20530

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

° Land and Natural Resources Division
Department of Justice
10th Street and Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20530
(202) 739-2721 IDS:187-2721
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Regulatory standards (Federal Agencies only)

Preparation of evidence of title for all land acquisitions by the U.S. government, by direct purchase from the owner, condemnation, donation, or exchange, where the title is approved by the Attorney General or delegate or condemnation proceedings are to be instituted.

° Standards and Guidelines Group
Law Enforcement Standards Laboratory
National Institute of Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice
Law Enforcement Assistance Administration
633 Indiana Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20531
(202) 376-3824 IDS:196-63824
Title of Head of Unit: Program Manager

Activity:

Voluntary and Procurement standards
Law enforcement equipment.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards Policy

Interagency Land Acquisition Conference

Interagency Quality Control and Reliability Committee

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local Governments:

NONE

Non-Governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American National Standards Institute
American Society for Testing and Materials

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

International Organizations:

National Research Council of Canada

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
200 CONSTITUTION AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20210

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

° Division of Safety Standards
Office of Standards Development
Occupational Safety and Health
Administration
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20210
(202) 523-7234 IDS:139-37234
Title of Head of Unit: Division Chief

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Occupational safety standards
and regulations.

° Division of Health Standards
Office of Standards Development
Occupational Safety and Health
Administration
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20210
(202) 523-7174 IDS:139-37174
Title of Head of Unit: Division Chief

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Occupational health standards
and regulations.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

National Advisory Committee on
Occupational Safety and Health
Standards Advisory Committee on
Agriculture
Standards Advisory Committee on
Construction Safety and Health

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy
National Institute for Occupational
Safety and Health/Occupational
Safety and Health Administration
(NIOSH-OSHA) Executive Committee

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Conference of Governmental
Industrial Hygienists
American Industrial Hygiene Association
American National Standards Institute
American Society for Testing and
Materials
National Fire Protection Association

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

International Organizations:

International Labor Organization (ILO)

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION
600 INDEPENDENCE AVENUE, S.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20546

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Office of Program Assurance
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Code Z
Washington, D.C. 20546
(202) 755-2284 IDS:138-52284
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Procurement standards
Electronic parts.

ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR FOR INDUSTRY
AFFAIRS AND TECHNOLOGY UTILIZATION

°Scientific and Technical Information
Office
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Code KS
Washington, D.C. 20546
(202) 755-3548 IDS:138-53548
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards
Bibliographic information exchange.
Data-element definition.
Microfilm imaging.

ASSISTANT ASSOCIATE ADMINISTRATOR
FOR CENTER OPERATIONS (SYSTEMS
MANAGEMENT)

°Aircraft Office
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Code YP
Washington, D.C. 20546
(202) 755-3775 IDS:138-53775
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards (for NASA only)
Safe operating procedures for
flight operations.

°Automatic Data Processing (ADP)
Management Office
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Code YD
Washington, D.C. 20546
(202) 755-2333 IDS:138-52333
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory and Voluntary standards
Automatic data processing.

°Office of Safety and Environmental
Health
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Code YZ
Washington, D.C. 20546
(202) 755-8302 IDS:138-58302
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards (for NASA only)
Supplemental safety and health stan-
dards for NASA units; i.e., aero-
space pressure vessels, seat belts,
and breathing apparatus.

°Operating Systems Office
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Code YS
Washington, D.C. 20546
(202) 755-8380 IDS:138-58380
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards
Operational and maintenance procedures
for NASA units.

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION
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AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

International Organizations:
International Telecommunications
Union (ITU)

Public Advisory Committees:

Federal Information Processing Stan-
dards and Advisory Committee

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:
NONE

Interagency Committees:

Data Element Directories, Task
Group Seventeen
Federal Fire Council
Federal Government Micrographics
Council
Federal Information Processing Stan-
dards for Bibliographic Information
Interchange on Magnetic Tape
Frequency and Time Committee
Hazardous Materials Transportation
Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy
Interdepartment Radio Advisory
Committee
Solar Heating and Cooling Committee
Subcommittee on Occupational Safety
and Health Administration (OSHA)
Program Evaluation Criteria

Overseas Testing:
NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:
NONE

Intra-agency Committees:

Intercenter Committee for Automatic
Data Processing (ADP)
Intercenter Aircraft Operations Panel
NASA Parts Steering Committee

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

Satellite Telecommunications Conference

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Institute of Aeronautics
and Astronautics
American Institute of Electrical
Engineers
Society of Automotive Engineers

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

Office of Standards Development
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555
(301) 443-6914 IDS:179-36914
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory and Voluntary standards
(regulations, regulatory guides, and
voluntary standards are developed for
all activities listed below)
Electrical and electronic systems
and components.
Environmental protection.
General design criteria and systems
performance requirements.
Nuclear fuel cycle facilities and
materials.
Products and applications.
Quality assurance.
Radiation protection.
Reactor sabotage protection.
Research reactors.
Safeguards for fuel cycle facilities.
Safety in transportation.
Siting.
Structural and mechanical components
and materials.
Testing, operations, and maintenance.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy
Interagency Liaison Committee on
Plutonium Standards

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Board of Health Physics
American Concrete Institute
American Industrial Hygiene Association
American Institute of Chemical
Engineers
American National Standards Institute
American Nuclear Society
American Public Health Association
American Society for Nondestructive
Testing
American Society for Testing and
Materials
American Society of Mechanical
Engineers
American Society of Quality Control
Association of Neutron Radiographers
Conference of Radiation Control
Program Directors
Health Physics Society
Institute of Electrical and Electronics
Engineers
Institute of Nuclear Materials Man-
agement

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
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Instrument Society of America
National Academy of Sciences,
National Research Council
National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurement
National Fire Protection Association
National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
Nuclear Energy Liability Insurance Association
Society for Nuclear Medicine
Participation in planning activities:
American National Standards Institute
-- *Nuclear Standards Management Board.*
American Society for Testing and Materials -- *Board of Directors.*

International Organizations:

International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) -- *Senior Advisory Group for Technical Review Committees on: Government Organization, Siting, Design, Operations, and Quality Assurance.*
International Committee on Radiation Protection
International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC)
International Organization for Standardization (ISO) -- *Technical Committee 85 on Nuclear Energy.*
Nuclear Energy Agency (NEA)

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

POSTAL SERVICE
475 L'ENFANT PLAZA WEST, S.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20260

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

Office of Laboratory Services
Research and Development Department
11711 Parklawn Drive
Rockville, Maryland 20852
(301) 443-6010
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Mail processing equipment, components,
and supplies.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies:

Participation of technical experts:

NONE

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

International Organizations:

International Postal Union (IPU)

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
1441 'L' STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20416

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

NONE

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

NONE

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

International Organizations:

NONE

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE FOR TRADE NEGOTIATIONS
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
1800 'G' STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Multilateral Trade Negotiations
Policy Development
Executive Office of the President
1800 'G' Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20506
(202) 395-3321
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Office coordinates the United States participation in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade's (GATT) efforts to develop a standards code of conduct for preventing technical barriers to trade.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy
Nontariff Barrier Task Force

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

NONE

Participation in planning activities:

American National Standards Institute
-- *International Standards Council*

International Organizations:

General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) -- *drafting an International Product Standards Code*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
2201 'C' STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20520

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

°Office of International Trade
Special Trade Activities and Commercial
Treaties Division
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs
Room 3531-A
2201 'C' Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20520
(202) 632-0786 IDS:101-20786
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Product and process standards as they
relate to the foreign relations and
international trade policy of the
United States.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Advisory Committee for International
Legal Metrology
International Committee on Standards
Policy
Interagency Group on Wine Regulation
Interagency Group on Standardization
in the North Atlantic Treaty
Organization (NATO)

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

NONE

Participation in planning activities:

NONE

International Organizations:

Codex Alimentarius Commission (WHO/FAO)
Customs Cooperation Council
Economic Commission for Europe (ECE)
General Agreement on Tariffs and
Trade (GATT)
International Atomic Energy Agency
(IAEA)
International Civil Aviation Organ-
ization (ICAO)
International Labor Organization (ILO)
International Organization for
Standardization (ISO)
International Telecommunications
Union (ITU)
North Atlantic Treaty Organization
(NATO)
Nuclear Energy Agency (NEA)
Organization for Economic Cooperation
and Development (OECD)
Organization of American States (OAS)
United Nations Conference on Trade
and Development (UNCTAD)

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
400 SEVENTH STREET, S.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20590

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

°Airports Service
Federal Aviation Administration
800 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20591
(202) 426-3050 IDS:118-63050
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Airport development and construction standards associated with the Airport Development Aid Program.
Airport safety certification.

°Airway Facilities Service
Federal Aviation Administration
800 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20591
(202) 426-3555 IDS:118-63555
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Airport maintenance technician certification.
National Air Space System, standards for: construction of facilities, including air traffic control towers, and communication, navigational, and radar facilities; and maintenance of facilities, including schedules, techniques, and standards and tolerances for maintenance equipment.
Non-Federal public-use navigational facilities -- standards for installation, operation and maintenance.

°Civil Aviation Security Service
Federal Aviation Administration
800 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20591
(202) 426-9863 IDS:118-69863
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Airport security programs.
Security equipment standards for: metal detectors
x-ray equipment (in cooperation with the Bureau of Radiological Health, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare).

Voluntary standards

Aviation explosives security.
National Cargo Security Program (air transport section).

°Flight Standards Service
Federal Aviation Administration
800 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20591
(202) 426-8237 IDS:118-68237
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Air borne equipment.
Air navigational facilities-- standards for inspection.
Air worthiness and aircraft operation--safety standards.
Safety rules and standards for certification and surveillance of: air agencies
air carriers
aircraft engineering and manufacturing
airpersonnel
flying schools
mechanics schools

°Office of Aviation Medicine
Federal Aviation Administration
800 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20591
(202) 426-3535 IDS:118-63535
Title of Head of Unit: Federal Air Surgeon

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Medical standards for civil pilots.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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°Office of Environmental Quality
Federal Aviation Administration
800 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20591
(202) 426-8406 IDS:118-68406
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Aircraft emission standards
(in cooperation with the
Environmental Protection Agency).
Aircraft noise levels, including
certification procedures.

°Office of International Aviation Affairs
Federal Aviation Administration
800 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20591
(202) 426-3213 IDS:118-63213
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant
Administrator

Activity:

Responsible for the overall supervision
of the liaison between the FAA and
foreign governments and international
organizations (especially the Inter-
national Civil Aviation Organization)
concerning civil aviation matters,
such as air worthiness of aircraft,
certification of aircraft and air-
personnel, and provision of air
traffic services.

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

°Engineering and Traffic Operations
Federal Highway Administration
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-0370 IDS:118-60370
Title of Head of Unit: Associate
Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Federal-aid Highway Program, standards
for: design, construction, maintenance,
National Bridge Inspections and
traffic control devices.

Voluntary standards

Procedures for collection and
analysis by States of traffic and
accident data.
Reviews State plans and construction
specifications for Federal-aid
highway construction projects.

°Noise and Air Quality Branch
Environmental Quality Division
Federal Highway Administration
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-4836 IDS:118-64836
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Noise standards for the planning
and design of Federal-aid highways.

°Office of Highway Safety
Federal Highway Administration
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-1153 IDS:118-61153
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Standards for State and community
highway safety programs, including:
identification and surveillance of
accident locations;
highway design, construction, and
maintenance (including provisions
for pedestrian safety);
traffic control devices (in coopera-
tion with the National Highway
Traffic Safety Administration).

°Regulations Division
Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety
Federal Highway Administration
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-1700 IDS:118-61700
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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Activity:

Regulatory standards

Interstate truck and bus operational safety.
Noise levels of commercial motor vehicles.
Safety of movement of hazardous materials by highway.

Voluntary standards

National Cargo Security Program (truck transport section).

FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION

°Office of Safety

Federal Railroad Administration
Room 4100-C, Trans Point Building
2100 Second Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-0895 IDS:118-60895

Title of Head of Unit: Associate Administrator for Safety

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Railroad safety rules, regulations, and standards.

MATERIALS TRANSPORTATION BUREAU

°Office of Hazardous Materials Operation

Materials Transportation Bureau
2100 Second Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-0656 IDS:118-60656

Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Safe transportation of hazardous materials, including packaging, marketing, and labeling.

°Office of Pipeline Safety Operations

Materials Transportation Bureau
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-2392 IDS:118-62392

Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Pipeline safety.

NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION

°Office of Motor Vehicle Programs
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-1810 IDS:118-61810

Title of Head of Unit: Associate Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Federal motor vehicle safety standards and regulations for new motor vehicles and equipment -- crash avoidance characteristics, crash worthiness, and post-crash worthiness.

°Office of Traffic Safety Programs
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-0837 IDS:118-60837

Title of Head of Unit: Associate Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards (in cooperation with State governments)

Highway Safety Program standards for:
accident investigation and reporting
alcohol in relation to highway safety
debris hazard control clean-up
driver education
emergency medical services
motorcycle safety
motor vehicle inspection
motor vehicle registration
pedestrian safety (in cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration)
police traffic services
traffic courts
traffic records.

Vehicle in Use (used car) standards.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
°Office of Noise Abatement
Office of the Secretary
Department of Transportation
2100 Second Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590
(202) 426-4553 IDS:118-64553
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Atmospheric attenuation of noise
and vibration.

Noise, noise measurement, and
noise abatement.

Truck and bus fuel economy
measurement.

°Office of Transportation Security
Office of the Secretary
Department of Transportation
800 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20591
(202) 426-1362 IDS:118-61362
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Coordinates the National Cargo Security
Program -- advisory standards con-
sisting of systems, procedures, and
practices to prevent loss or theft
of cargo in transportation.

SAINT LAWRENCE SEAWAY DEVELOPMENT
CORPORATION

°Operations
Saint Lawrence Seaway Development
Corporation
P.O. Box 520
Massena, New York 13662
(315) 764-0271 Ext. 223
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Seaway regulations.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

Flight Information Advisory Committee
Microwave Landing System Advisory
Committee

National Advisory Committee on Uni-
form Traffic Control Devices

National Highway Safety Advisory
Committee

National Motor Vehicle Safety
Advisory Council

Radio Technical Commission for
Aeronautics

Railroad Operating Rules Advisory
Committee

Technical Pipeline Safety Standards
Committee

U.S. Advisory Committee on Obstacle
Clearance Requirements

U.S. Advisory Committee on Visual
Aids to Approach and Landing

U.S. Terminal Instrument Procedures
Advisory Committee

Interagency Committees:

Federal Information Processing Stan-
dards Coordinating and Advisory
Committee

Federal Telecommunications Standards
Committee

Interagency Committee for Auto Theft
Prevention

Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy

Interagency Committee on Transporta-
tion Security

Interagency Group on International
Aviation

Interdepartment Radio Advisory
Committee

Memorandum of Understanding between
Department of Transportation, Envir-
onmental Protection Agency, and
Federal Energy Administration

National Academy of Sciences - National
Research Council Committee on Hearing,
Bioacoustics and Biomechanics.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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Intra-agency Committees:

Ad Hoc Committee for Consolidation of Standards -- *operational standards for data processing.*
Data Standardization Group
Department of Transportation Noise Abatement Committee
Hazardous Materials Advisory Council

Committees with State and Local Governments:

American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials -- *highway design, construction, maintenance, inspection, and materials.*
National Conference of Governors' Highway Safety Representatives
National Conference of State Transportation Specialists -- *operational safety regulations and hazardous materials matters.*
State Agency Liaison Committee on Gas Pipeline Safety Programs

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

Acoustical Society of America
American Concrete Paving Association
American National Standards Institute
American Society for Testing and Materials
Compressed Gas Association
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
Labor-Management Committee (of the railroad industry)
Manufacturers Chemists Association
National Asphalt Paving Association
National Committee on Uniform Traffic Laws and Ordinances
Radio Technical Commission for Aeronautics
Society of Automotive Engineers

Participation in planning activities:

American National Standards Institute -- *Acoustical Technical Advisory Board*
Radio Technical Commission for Aeronautics
Society of Automotive Engineers

International Organizations:

Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) -- *Group of Experts on Construction of Vehicles; Groups of Rapporteurs on: Braking Problems; General Safety Provisions; Pneumatic Tires; Safety Belts; Safety Provisions on Motor Coaches and Buses; Standards Enforcement; and standards for highway traffic control devices.*
Intergovernmental Maritime Consultative Organization (IMCO)
International Air Transport Association (IATA)
International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) -- *Air Navigation Commission; Work Study Group on Aviation Security; Automatic Data Interchange System Panel; and standards for: aircraft noise and emissions; airborne equipment; air worthiness of aircraft; certification of airpersonnel.*
International Organization for Standardization (ISO) -- *Technical Committee 22 on Road Vehicles; Technical Committee 97 on Computers and Information Processing.*
North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) -- *Committee for the Challenges of a Modern Society.*
Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) -- *highway traffic control devices.*
Organization of American States (OAS) -- *standards for the Inter-American Highway.*
Saint Lawrence Seaway Authority of Canada -- *seaway regulations.*
United Nations (UN) -- *Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; Group of Experts on Explosives.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

Annual inspection of last-point-of-departure airports of incoming international flights.

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

Reciprocal air worthiness agreements for foreign manufactured aircraft.

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
FIFTEENTH STREET AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20220

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

- °Office of Regulatory Enforcement
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20226
(202) 961-7513 IDS:177-7513
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant Director
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Labeling alcoholic beverages.
- °Office of Technical and Scientific Services
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20226
(202) 961-7436 IDS:177-7436
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant Director
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Control of manufacture and ownership of "gangster type" firearms.
Criteria for imported sporting gun type weapons.
Specifications for alcohol (ethanol), denatured alcohols, proprietary solvents, and special industrial solvents.
Specifications for denaturants for denatured alcohol formulas.
Storage of explosives and explosive materials.
- °Office of Technology
Bureau of the Mint
15th Street and Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20220
(202) 964-2100 IDS:184-2100
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant Director
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
United States coins, standards and tolerances.
- °Office of Administration
U.S. Customs Service
1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20229
(202) 964-2414 IDS:184-2414
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant Commissioner
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
Federal inspection facilities for international airports.
- °Office of Enforcement Support
U.S. Customs Service
1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20229
(202) 964-8717 IDS:184-8717
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant Commissioner
- Activity:
Procurement standards
(used to support enforcement operations)
Night vision systems.
Photographic systems.
X-ray systems.
- °Office of Operations
U.S. Customs Service
1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20229
(202) 964-2416 IDS:184-2416
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant Commissioner
- Activity:
Regulatory standards
International approval procedures and construction specifications for road vehicles and cargo containers for transport under customs seal.
International standardization of customs documentation and procedures, and customs seals.
Sampling and analytical methods.

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
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Voluntary standards

Cargo security.
International standardization of
cargo description and coding.

°Office of Regulations and Rulings
U.S. Customs Service
1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20229
(202) 964-2507 IDS:184-2507
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant
Commissioner

Activity:

International standardization of
commodity codes for tariff assess-
ment in conjunction with the
Brussels Tariff Nomenclature.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:

NONE

Interagency Committees:

Interagency Advisory Committee on
Customs Cooperation Council Matters
Interagency Committee on Standards
Policy
Interagency Group on Wine Regulations
Shipping Coordinating Committee

Intra-agency Committees:

NONE

**Committees with State and Local
Governments:**

NONE

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Petroleum Institute
American Society for Testing and
Materials
Association of Official Analytical
Chemists
Institute of Makers of Explosives
National Committee on International
Trade Documentation
U.S. National Committee on Sugar
Analysis

Participation in planning activities:

Distilled Spirits Council of the
United States -- *standardization
of unimeric world products and
universal product codes.*

International Organizations:

Customs Cooperation Council --
*cargo description and coding;
construction specifications for
road vehicles and cargo containers
for transport under customs seal;
customs documentation and procedures;
instruments of international trade;
product nomenclature.*

Economic Commission for Europe (ECE)
-- *Group of Experts on Customs
Questions Affecting Transportation;
Group of Rapporteurs on Customs
Questions Concerning Containers.*

Intergovernmental Maritime Consultative
Organization (IMCO) -- *Facilitation
Committee.*

International Civil Aviation Organiza-
tion (ICAO) -- *Facilitation Committee.*

International Commission for Uniform
Methods of Sugar Analysis

International Organization for
Standardization (ISO)

Organization of American States (OAS)
-- *Inter-American Congress of Travel
and Tourism; Permanent Technical
Committee on Ports.*

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

Certification of quality control through
intergovernmental agreements concerning:
requirements to indicate origin of
certain imported wines and distilled
spirits;
requirements for foreign manufacturers
of firearms to meet certain criteria
in the manufacture of weapons prior
to importation into the United States.

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

See Overseas Quality Control Inspection.

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION
810 VERMONT AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20420

AGENCY UNITS AND STANDARDS ACTIVITIES

^pEngineering Service
Veterans Administration
810 Vermont Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20420
(202) 389-2893
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Safety, occupational health, and
fire protection.

Procurement standards

Biomedical instrumentation.

^pHealth Services Research and
Development Service
Veterans Administration
810 Vermont Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20420
(202) 389-2666
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Voluntary standards

Health services quality evaluation.
Productivity measurement.
Staffing criteria.

^pOffice of Construction
Veterans Administration
810 Vermont Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20420
(202) 389-2009
Title of Head of Unit: Assistant
Administrator

Activity:

Regulatory standards

Construction of Veterans Adminis-
tration hospitals and domiciliaries.

^pSupply Service
Veterans Administration
810 Vermont Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20420
(202) 389-3306
Title of Head of Unit: Director

Activity:

Procurement standards

Drugs and chemicals.
Food.
Hospital supplies and equipment.
Packaging.

^oVeterans Administration Prosthetics
Center
252 Seventh Avenue
New York, New York 10001
(212) 620-6502
Title of Head of Unit: Chief

Activity:

Procurement standards

Adaptive automotive equipment.
Environmental controls.
Prostheses, Orthoses, Orthopedic
appliances.
Sensory aids.
Wheelchairs and accessories.

AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Public Advisory Committees:
NONE

Interagency Committees:

Adaptive Equipment Committee for
Automobiles
Committee on Automotive Systems
Federal Fire Council
Federal Safety Advisory Council
Interagency Committee on Government
Quality Assurance
Manpower Productivity Standards for
the Bureau of Medical Services'
and the Indian Health Service's
Hospitals and Clinics

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION
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Intra-agency Committees:

Ad Hoc committees for: ambulances
and equipment; adaptive equipment
for paralyzed veterans; seismic
study; and geriatric furniture.
Experimental Technology Incentives
Program (ETIP)
Safety and Occupational Health

Overseas Quality Control Inspection:

NONE

Overseas Testing:

NONE

Overseas Certification Arrangements:

NONE

Committees with State and Local
Governments:

Ad Hoc meetings with State Licensing
and Inspection Agencies on adaptive
equipment for automobiles.

Non-governmental Standards Bodies.

Participation of technical experts:

American Association of Medical
Instrumentation
American National Standards
Institute
American Orthotics and Prosthetics
Association
American Society for Testing and
Materials
National Fire Protection Association
National Science Foundation
Underwriters' Laboratories

Participation in planning activities:

American National Standards Institute
-- *Executive Standards Council.*
American Society for Testing and
Materials -- *Technical Committee on
Orthotics and External Prosthetics*
National Fire Protection Association
Underwriters' Laboratories

International Organizations:

International Electrotechnical
Commission (IEC) -- *electrical
safety.*
International Organization for
Standardization (ISO) -- *Technical
Committee 150 on Implants for Surgery.*
International Society for Prosthetics
and Orthotics -- *Standing Committee
on Research.*

PART TWO:

FEDERAL AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN STANDARDS
COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

NOTE: Only those agencies named in the Table of Contents are listed below as "Participating Agencies."

MAJOR INTERAGENCY COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE ON NUCLEAR INSTRUMENTATION
MODULES

Chair Agency: National Bureau of
Standards, Department of Commerce
and Energy Research and Development
Administration

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Energy Research and Development
Administration

FEDERAL FIRE COUNCIL

Chair Agency: Department of Commerce

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Veterans Administration

FEDERAL GEODETIC CONTROL COMMITTEE

Chair Agency: National Oceanic and
Atmospheric Administration, Depart-
ment of Commerce

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce
Department of the Interior

FEDERAL INFORMATION PROCESSING
STANDARDS COORDINATION AND ADVISORY
COMMITTEE

Chair Agency: National Bureau of
Standards, Department of Commerce

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce
General Services Administration
Department of the Interior
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Department of Transportation

FEDERAL SAFETY ADVISORY COUNCIL

Chair Agency: Department of Labor

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce
Department of Labor
Veterans Administration

FEDERAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS STANDARDS
COMMITTEE (*see addendum sheet*)

Chair Agency: National Communications
System, Department of Defense

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce
Department of Defense
General Services Administration
Department of Transportation

INTERAGENCY ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON
CUSTOMS COOPERATION COUNCIL MATTERS

Chair Agency: U.S. Customs Service,
Department of the Treasury

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce
Department of the Treasury

INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE ON FOOD AND
AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATIONS MATTERS

Chair Agency: Department of Agriculture

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture
Department of Commerce

INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS
POLICY

Chair Agency: Office of Product
Standards, Department of Commerce

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture
Department of Commerce
Consumer Product Safety Commission
Department of Defense
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Environmental Protection Agency
Federal Communications Commission
Federal Trade Commission
General Services Administration
Department of Housing and Urban
Development
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of the Interior
Department of Justice
Department of Labor
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Postal Service
Small Business Administration
Special Representative for Trade
Negotiations
Department of State
Department of Transportation
Department of the Treasury

INTERAGENCY GROUP ON WINE REGULATIONS
Chair Agency: Department of the Treasury
Participating agencies:
Department of State
Department of the Treasury

INTERDEPARTMENT RADIO ADVISORY
COMMITTEE
Chair Agency: Office of Telecommunica-
tions Policy, Executive Office of the
President
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce
Federal Communications Commission
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Department of Transportation

TECHNICAL ELECTRONIC PRODUCT RADIA-
TION SAFETY STANDARDS COMMITTEE
Chair Agency: Food and Drug Admin-
istration, Department of Health,
Education, and Welfare
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

MAJOR NON-GOVERNMENTAL STANDARDS BODIES

ACOUSTICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Health, Education and
Welfare
Department of Transportation

AEROSPACE INDUSTRIES ASSOCIATION
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Defense

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF CLINICAL CHEMISTS
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSICISTS
IN MEDICINE

Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

AMERICAN CONCRETE INSTITUTE
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Housing and Urban
Development
Department of the Interior
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

American Conference of Governmental
Industrial Hygienists
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of Labor

AMERICAN CONGRESS ON SURVEYING AND
MAPPING
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce
Department of the Interior

AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE ASSOCIATION
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Environmental Protection Agency
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of Labor
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICS
AND ASTRONAUTICS
Participating agencies:
Department of Commerce (NBS)
National Aeronautics and Space
Administration

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

AMERICAN IRON AND STEEL INSTITUTE
Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of the Interior

AMERICAN NATIONAL STANDARDS INSTITUTE
(ANSI)

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Consumer Product Safety Commission
Department of Defense
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Environmental Protection Agency
Federal Communications Commission
General Services Administration
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of Housing and Urban
Development
Department of the Interior
Department of Justice
Department of Labor
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Department of Transportation
Veterans Administration

AMERICAN NUCLEAR SOCIETY

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Department of the Interior
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of the Treasury

AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Environmental Protection Agency
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of the Interior
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR QUALITY CONTROL
Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of the Interior
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TESTING AND
MATERIALS (ASTM)

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Consumer Product Safety Commission
Department of Defense
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Environmental Protection Agency
General Services Administration
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of Housing and Urban
Development
Department of the Interior
Department of Justice
Department of Labor
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Department of Transportation
Department of the Treasury
Veterans Administration

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Defense
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Environmental Protection Agency
Department of the Interior
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF
MEDICAL INSTRUMENTATION

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

ASSOCIATION OF OFFICIAL ANALYTICAL
CHEMISTS

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture
Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of the Treasury

ELECTRONIC INDUSTRIES ASSOCIATION

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Defense

HEALTH PHYSICS SOCIETY

Participating agencies:

Energy Research and Development
Administration
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

INSTITUTE OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS
ENGINEERS

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of the Interior
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Department of Transportation

INSTRUMENT SOCIETY OF AMERICA

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

JOINT COMMITTEE ON POWDER DIFFRACTION
STANDARDS

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of the Interior

NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CORROSION
ENGINEERS

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of the Interior

NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR CLINICAL
LABORATORY STANDARDS

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

NATIONAL COUNCIL ON RADIATION PROTECTION
AND MEASUREMENT

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Nuclear Regulatory Commission

NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of Housing and Urban
Development
Department of the Interior
Department of Labor
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Veterans Administration

NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Energy Research and Development
Administration
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

RADIO TECHNICAL COMMISSION FOR MARINE
SCIENCES

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

SOCIETY OF AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERS

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Consumer Product Safety Commission
Department of Defense
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Department of Transportation

UNDERWRITERS' LABORATORIES

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Veterans Administration

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FEDERATION

Participating agencies:

Environmental Protection Agency
Department of the Interior

MAJOR INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

CODEX ALIMENTARIUS COMMISSION (WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION & FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION)

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture -- standards for: food hygiene; meat hygiene; processed meat products.
Department of Commerce -- international food standards and codes of practice.
Environmental Protection Agency -- standards for pesticide residue tolerances.
Department of State

CUSTOMS COOPERATION COUNCIL

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture -- Harmonized Systems Committee.
Department of State
Department of the Treasury -- standards for: cargo description and coding; construction specifications for road vehicles and cargo containers for transport under customs seal; documentation and procedures; instruments of international trade; product nomenclature.

ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE (ECE)

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture -- standards for fruits and vegetables (fresh).
Department of Commerce -- Government Officials Responsible for Standardization Policies; Group of Rapporteurs on Container Transport; Working Party on Inland Water Transport.
Consumer Product Safety Commission
Environmental Protection Agency -- Group of Rapporteurs on Air Pollution.
Department of Housing and Urban Development -- Working Party on the Building Industry of the Committee on Housing, Building, and Planning.
Department of the Interior -- standards for nomenclature of secondary materials.
Department of State
Department of Transportation -- Group of Experts on Construction of Vehicles; Groups of Rapporteurs on: Braking Problems; General Safety Provisions;

Pneumatic Tires; Safety Belts; Safety Provisions on Motor Coaches and Buses; Standards Enforcement; and standards for highway traffic control devices.

Department of the Treasury -- Group of Experts on Customs Questions Affecting Transportation; Group of Rapporteurs on Customs Questions Concerning Containers.

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION (FAO)

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture -- standards for: import-export matters; proposed standards on post-mortem judgement of meat.
Environmental Protection Agency -- methods for biological tests; standards for pesticides application, labeling, registration and safety.

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE (GATT)

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture -- proposed international standards code.
Department of Commerce -- proposed international standards code.
Special Representative for Trade Negotiations -- proposed international standards code.
Department of State -- proposed international standards code.

INTER-GOVERNMENTAL MARITIME CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION (IMCO)

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce -- Safety of Life at Sea Convention (SOLAS); Marine Environmental Protection Committee; and standards for containers and new ships.
Environmental Protection Agency -- Marine Environmental Protection Committee.
Department of Transportation
Department of the Treasury -- Facilitation Committee.

INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

Participating agencies:

Consumer Product Safety Commission
Energy Research and Development
Administration

Environmental Protection Agency --
standards for: environmental aspects
of planned releases, accidents, and
waste disposal; evaluation of deep
water radioactive waste disposal
sites; methods for evaluating public
exposure to radiation from nuclear
installations and radioactive
materials.

Department of the Interior

Nuclear Regulatory Commission --
Senior Advisory Group for Technical
Review Committees on: Government
Organization; Siting; Design;
Operations; Quality Assurance.

Department of State

INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION (ICAO)

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS) -- stan-
dards for weather communications,
forecasting, services and observation.

Environmental Protection Agency --
standards for aircraft noise and
emissions, and control of emissions
under high altitude cruising condi-
tions.

Department of State

Department of Transportation -- Air
Navigation Commission; Work Study
Group on Aviation Security; Automatic
Data Interchange System Panel; stan-
dards for: airborne equipment; air-
craft noise and emission; air worthi-
ness of aircraft; and certification
of airpersonnel.

Department of the Treasury -- Facili-
tation Committee.

INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE ON RADIATION PROTECTION

Participating agencies:

Energy Research and Development
Administration

Nuclear Regulatory Commission

INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION (IEC)

Participating agencies (through USNC/IEC):

Department of Commerce (NBS)

Consumer Product Safety Commission

Department of Defense

Federal Communications Commission --
Technical Committee 12 on Radio-
communications.

General Services Administration

Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare -- Technical Committee
61 on Household Electrical Appliances.

Department of the Interior -- Technical
Committee on Flow Measurement; Work-
ing Group on Hydraulic Turbine Vibra-
tion; standards for electrical power
systems and equipment.

Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Veterans Administration -- standards
for electrical safety.

INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF CLINICAL CHEMISTRY (IFCC)

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)

Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare

INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION (ILO)

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce

Department of the Interior

Department of State

Department of Labor

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR LEGAL METROLOGY (OIML)

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce -- NBS
manages U.S. participation.

Environmental Protection Agency --
Secretariat for Pollution; and
standards for pollution measure-
ment and reference methods.

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR STANDARDIZATION (ISO)

Participating agencies (through ANSI):

Department of Commerce (NBS)

Consumer Product Safety Commission --
standards for bicycles, power lawn
mowers, and hazard symbols.

Department of Defense
Energy Research and Development
Administration -- standards for
radiation protection.
Environmental Protection Agency --
Technical Committee 146 on Air;
Technical Committee 147 on Water;
nomenclature of pesticides.
General Services Administration --
standards for data processing and
telecommunications equipment.
Department of the Interior -- Tech-
nical Committee 97 on Computers and
Information Processing; Technical
Committee 27 on Solid Fuels; Tech-
nical Committee 147 on Water Quality.
Nuclear Regulatory Commission -- Tech-
nical Committee 85 on Nuclear Energy.
Department of State
Department of Transportation -- Tech-
nical Committee 22 on Road Vehicles;
Technical Committee 97 on Computers
and Information Processing.
Department of the Treasury
Veterans Administration -- Technical
Committee 150 on Implants for Surgery.

INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION (ITU)

Participating agencies:

National Aeronautics and Space
Administration
Department of State

INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION, INTERNATIONAL RADIO CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Federal Communications Commission

NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO)

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce -- Planning
Board of Ocean Shipping.
Department of Defense
Department of State
Department of Transportation -- Committee
for the Challenges of a Modern Society.

NUCLEAR ENERGY AGENCY

Participating agencies:

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Department of State

ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT (OECD)

Participating agencies:

Department of Agriculture -- Sector
Group on Unintended Occurrence of
Chemicals in the Environment; stan-
dards for fruits and vegetables
(fresh).
Department of Commerce -- Ad Hoc
Group on Nuclear Merchant Ship
Safety.
Consumer Product Safety Commission --
Committee on Consumer Policy.
Federal Trade Commission -- standards
for units of measure in consumer
products.
Department of State
Department of Transportation --
standards for highway traffic
control devices.

ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES (OAS)

Participating agencies:

Department of the Interior -- Pan
American Institute of Geography
and History.
Department of State
Department of the Treasury -- Inter-
American Congress of Travel and
Tourism; Permanent Technical
Committee on Ports.

UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL (UNESCO)

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce (NBS)
Department of the Interior --
methods for water quantity and
quality measurement.
Department of State

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO)

Participating agencies:

Consumer Product Safety Commission
Environmental Protection Agency --
Environmental Health Criteria
Program; Collaborative Center
for Air Pollution Control.
Department of Health, Education,
and Welfare -- standards for
diagnostic materials and methods.
Department of the Interior --
methods for water quantity and
quality measurement.

WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION

Participating agencies:

Department of Commerce -- methods for weather communications, forecasting, and observation.

OVERSEAS ACTIVITIES

Quality Control Inspection

Department of Agriculture -- approves inspection systems of foreign countries exporting meats to the United States.

Environmental Protection Agency -- inspects foreign motor vehicle manufacturers.

Department of Health, Education, and Welfare -- inspects manufacturers of antibiotic drugs, environmental sampling equipment, and respirators.

Department of the Interior -- inspects exported electrical power systems apparatus and map products.

Department of Transportation -- inspects foreign airports regarding flights to the United States.

Testing

Department of Health, Education, and Welfare -- tests environmental sampling equipment, personal protective equipment, and respirators.

Certification Arrangements

Department of Agriculture -- certifies foreign meat and poultry plants exporting to the United States; grants export certificates to U.S. meat and poultry plants.

Department of Defense -- certifies products and processes covered under STANAG (Standardization Agreements).

Department of Health, Education, and Welfare -- certifies manufacturers of antibiotic drugs, environmental sampling equipment, and respirators.

Department of Transportation -- administers reciprocal air worthiness agreements for foreign manufactured aircraft.

Department of the Treasury -- certifies quality control systems through inter-governmental agreements concerning origin of wines and distilled spirits, and issues criteria for foreign firearms manufacturers exporting to the United States.

Veterans Administration -- certifies foreign drug manufacturers.

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