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U.S. TAG for JOINT ISO/CIE STANDARDS COMMITTEE REPORT

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The U.S. TAG for Joint ISO/CIE Standards Committee has completed a number of tasks since the annual TAG meeting held on December 20, 2012. A summary of the committees' activities is as follows:

1. In November and December of 2012 ANSI published in the ANSI Standards Action the following announcement:

"ISO/TC 274 Light and Lighting – The ISO Technical Management Board has created a new ISO Technical Committee on Light and Lighting (ISO/TC 274). The secretariat has been assigned to DIN (Germany). The new technical committee has the following scope: Standardization in the field of application of lighting in specific cases complementary to the work items of the International Commission on Illumination (CIE) and the coordination of drafts from the CIE, in accordance with the Council Resolution 19/1984 and Council Resolution 10/1989 concerning vision, photometry and colorimetry, involving natural and man-made radiation over the UV, the visible and the IR regions of the spectrum, and application subjects covering all usage of light, indoors and outdoors, energy efficiency, including environmental, non-visual biological and health effects. Organizations interested in serving as the US/TAG administrator or participating on the US/TAG should contact the ANSI ISO Team at isot@ansi.org".

In January 2013 contact with ANSI revealed that NEMA was possibly interested in becoming the U.S. TAG Administrator for ISO TC 274. An attempt was made to set up a meeting with ANSI staff, the CIE/USA President and a representative from NEMA to discuss a possible TAG. After several attempts ANSI was not able to set up a meeting due to no response from NEMA.

The CIE/USA Executive Committee has determined that it does not have the funding, at this time, to submit an application to ANSI to be the Administrator of the U.S. TAG to ISO TC 274.

2. On January 6, 2013 the TAG Administrator distributed the final draft of CIE FDIS 014-6/E: 2012 "Colorimetry Part 6: CIEDE 2000 Colour-Difference Formula" for voting.

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- 3. On January 16, 2013 the TAG Administrator sent to ANSI the U.S. TAG for Joint ISO/CIE Standards "2012 Annual Report", "List of TAG Members", "List of TAG Interest Categories" and the "2012 TAG Compliance Report".
- 4. On February 13, 2013 the TAG Administrator compiled the ballot for CIE FDIS 014-6/E:2012. A recommendation was made to the CIE/USA President that the CIE/USA vote on or before February 18, 2013 to "approve" the document.
- 5. On August 25, 2013 the TAG Administrator notified the ANSI ISO Team that the TAG votes to "abstain" on ISO FDIS 11664-6 "Colorimetry Part 6: CIEDE 2000 Colour-Difference Formula".
- 6. The 2013 annual TAG meeting is tentatively scheduled for December 2013 and will be conducted via audio teleconference.
- 7. On November 6, 2013 the ANSI ISO Team sent a copy of ISO/FDIS 19476:2013(E) Characterization of the Performance of Illuminance Meters and Luminance Meters for voting. This document along with the appropriate TAG ballot forms will be sent to all U.S. TAG members on or before December 1, 2013. Returned TAG ballots will be due in March 2014.

End of Report