

NFPA No.	Title	Proposal closing date
NFPA 264–1995	Standard Method of Test for Heat and Visible Smoke Release Rates for Materials and Products Using an Oxygen Consumption Calorimeter (Will be renumbered NFPA 271).	1/17/97
NFPA 264A–1994	Standard Method of Test for Heat Release Rates for Upholstered Furniture Components or Composites and Mattresses Using an Oxygen Consumption Calorimeter (Will be renumbered NFPA 272).	1/17/97
NFPA 265–1994	Standard Methods of Fire Tests for Evaluating Room Fire Growth Contribution of Textile Wall Coverings.	7/19/96
NFPA 266–1994	Standard Method of Test for Fire Characteristics of Upholstered Furniture Exposed to Flaming Ignition Source.	7/19/96
NFPA 267–1994	Standard Method of Test for Fire Characteristics of Mattresses and Bedding Assemblies Exposed to Flaming Ignition Source.	7/19/96
NFPA 270–P*	Standard Test Method for Determination of Specific Optical Density of Smoke	7/19/96
NFPA 273–P*	Standard Method of Test on Determining Degrees of Combustibility of Building Materials	7/19/96
NFPA 297–1995	Guide on Principles and Practices for Communications Systems	1/17/97
NFPA 302–1994	Fire Protection Standard for Pleasure and Commercial Motor Craft	1/17/97
NFPA 326–1993	Standard Procedures for the Safe Entry of Underground Storage Tanks	1/17/98
NFPA 327–1993	Standard Procedures for Cleaning or Safeguarding Small Tanks and Containers Without Entry	1/17/97
NFPA 328–1992	Recommended Practice for the Control of Flammable and Combustible Liquids and Gases in Manholes, Sewers, and Similar Underground Structures.	1/17/97
NFPA 329–1992	Recommended Practice for Handling Underground Releases of Flammable and Combustible Liquids	1/17/97
NFPA 430–1995	Code for the Storage of Liquid and Solid Oxidizers	1/17/97
NFPA 480–1993	Standard for the Storage, Handling and Processing of Magnesium Solids and Powders	1/17/97
NFPA 490–1993	Code for the Storage of Ammonium Nitrate	1/17/97
NFPA 496–1993	Standard for Purged and Pressurized Enclosures for Electrical Equipment	1/17/97
NFPA 512–1994	Standard for Truck Fire Protection	1/17/97
NFPA 513–1994	Standard for Motor Freight Terminals	1/17/97
NFPA 651–1993	Standard for the Manufacture of Aluminum Powder	1/17/97
NFPA 655–1993	Standard for Prevention of Sulfur Fires and Explosions	1/17/97
NFPA 664–1993	Standard for the Prevention of Fires and Explosions in Wood Processing and Woodworking Facilities	1/17/97
NFPA 720–P*	Recommended Practice for the Installation of Household Carbon Monoxide (CO) Warning Equipment	7/19/96
NFPA 721–P*	Recommended Practice for the Installation of Fuel Gas Warning Equipment	7/19/96
NFPA 801–1995	Standard for Facilities Handling Radioactive Materials	7/19/96
NFPA 802–1993	Recommended Practice for Fire Protection for Nuclear Research and Production Reactors	7/19/96
NFPA 803–1993	Standard for Fire Protection for Light Water Nuclear Power Plants	7/19/96
NFPA 921–1995	Guide for Fire and Explosion Investigations	7/19/96
NFPA 1002–1993	Standard for Fire Department Vehicle Driver/Operator Professional Qualifications	1/17/97
NFPA 1031–1993	Standard for Professional Qualifications for Fire Inspector	1/17/97
NFPA 1033–1993	Standard for Professional Qualifications for Fire Investigator	1/17/97
NFPA 1035–1993	Standard for Professional Qualifications for Public Fire and Life Safety Educator	1/17/97
NFPA 1124–1995	Code for the Manufacture, Transportation, and Storage of Fireworks	1/17/97
NFPA 1201–1994	Standard for Developing Fire Protection Services for the Public (Will be renumbered NFPA 1200)	7/19/96
NFPA 1221–1994	Standard for the Installation, Maintenance, and Use of Public Fire Service Communication Systems	1/17/97
NFPA 1420–1993	Recommended Practice for Pre-Incident Planning for Warehouse Occupancies	1/17/97
NFPA 1452–1993	Guide for Training Fire Service Personnel to Make Dwelling Fire Safety Surveys	7/19/96
NFPA 1583–P*	Recommended Practice for Fire Fighter Physical Performance Assessment	12/2/96
NFPA 1921–1993	Standard for Fire Department Portable Pumping Units	10/1/96
NFPA 1936–P*	Standard on Hydraulic Rescue Tools	10/1/96
NFPA 1941–P*	Standard on Marine Fire Fighting Vessels	10/1/96
NFPA 1962–1993	Standard for the Care, Use and Service Testing of Fire Hose, Including Couplings and Nozzles	8/1/96
NFPA 1964–1993	Standard for Spray Nozzles (Shutoff and Tip)	8/1/96
NFPA 1976–1992	Standard on Protective Clothing for Proximity Fire Fighting	10/1/96
NFPA 1977–1993	Standard on Protective Clothing and Equipment for Wildland Fire Fighting	8/30/96
NFPA 1982–1993	Standard on Personal Alert Safety Systems (PASS) for Fire Fighters	7/5/96
NFPA 8505–1992	Recommended Practice for Stoker Operation	7/19/96
NFPA 8506–1995	Standard on Heat Recovery Steam Generators	1/17/97

*Proposed NEW drafts are available from the NFPA Standards Administration Department, 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269.

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National Fire Codes: Request for Comment on NFPA Technical Committee Reports

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of request for comments.

SUMMARY: The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) revises existing standards and adopts new standards twice a year. At its Fall Meeting in November or its Annual Meeting in May, the NFPA acts on recommendations made by its technical committees. The purpose of this notice is to request comments on the technical reports which will be presented at NFPA's 1997 Annual Meeting.

The publication of this notice by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) on behalf of NFPA is being undertaken as a public service; NIST does not necessarily endorse, approve, or recommend any of the standards referenced in the notice.

DATES: Thirty-six reports are published in the 1997 Annual Meeting Report on Proposals and will be available on August 2, 1996. Comments received on or before October 11, 1996 will be

considered by the respective NFPA Committees before final action is taken on the proposals.

ADDRESSES: The 1997 Annual Meeting Report on Proposals is available from NFPA, Publications Department, 1 Batterymarch Park, P.O. Box 9101, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101. Comments on the technical reports should be submitted to Arthur E. Cote, P.E., Secretary, Standards Council, NFPA, 1 Batterymarch Park, P.O. Box 9101, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Arthur E. Cote, P.E., Secretary, Standards Council, at above address, (617) 770-3000.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Standards developed by the technical committees of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) have been used by various Federal Agencies as the basis for Federal regulations

concerning fire safety. The NFPA standards are known collectively as the National Fire Codes. Often, the Office of the Federal Register approves the incorporation by reference of these standards under 5 U.S.C. 552(a) and 1 CFR Part 51.

Revisions of existing standards and adoption of new standards are reported by the technical committees at the NFPA's Fall Meeting in November or at the Annual Meeting in May each year. The NFPA invites public comment on its Report on Proposals.

Request for Comments

Interested persons may participate in revision of these technical reports by submitting written data, views, or arguments to Arthur E. Cote, P.E., Secretary, Standards Council, NFPA, 1 Batterymarch Park, P.O. 9101, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101. Commenters may use the forms provided for comments in the Report on Proposals. Each person submitting a comment should include his or her

name and address, identify the notice, and give reasons for any recommendations. Comments received on or before October 11, 1996 for the 1997 Annual Meeting Report on Proposals, will be considered by the NFPA before final action is taken on the proposals.

Copies of all written comments received and the disposition of those comments by the NFPA committees will be published as the 1997 Annual Meeting Report on Comments by March 28, 1997, prior to the Annual Meeting.

A copy of the Report on Comments will be sent automatically to each commenter. Action on the reports of the Technical Committees (adoption or rejection) will be taken at the Annual Meeting, May 19-22, in Los Angeles, California, by NFPA members.

Authority: 15 U.S.C. 272.

Dated: June 10, 1996.

Samuel Kramer,
Associate Director.

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[P=Partial revision; W=Withdrawal; R=Reconfirmation N=New; C=Complete revision]

Doc. No.	Title	Action
NFPA 11-1994	Standard for Low-Expansion Foam	P
NFPA 12A-1992	Standard on Halon 1301 Fire Extinguishing Systems	P
NFPA 40-1994	Standard for the Storage and Handling of Cellulose Nitrate Motion Picture Film	P
NFPA 40E-1993	Code for the Storage of Pyroxylin Plastic (Will be renumbered NFPA 42)	P
NFPA 43B-1993	Code for the Storage of Organic Peroxide Formulations	P
NFPA 79-1994	Electrical Standard for Industrial Machinery	P
NFPA 88B-1991	Standard for Repair Garages	P
NFPA 130-1995	Standard for Fixed Guideway Transit Systems	P
NFPA 204M-1991	Guide for Smoke and Heat Venting (Will be renumbered NFPA 204)	C
NFPA 221-1994	Standard for Fire Walls and Fire Barrier Walls	P
NFPA 299-1991	Standard for Protection of Life and Property from Wildfire	C
NFPA 306-1993	Standard for the Control of Gas Hazards on Vessels	P
NFPA 491M-1991	Manual of Hazardous Chemical Reactions (Will be renumbered NFPA 491)	P
NFPA 497A-1992	Recommended Practice for Classification of Class I Hazardous (Classified) Locations for Electrical Installations in Chemical Process Areas (Will be renumbered NFPA 497).	C
NFPA 497B-1991	Recommended Practice for the Classification of Class II Hazardous (Classified) Locations for Electrical Installations in Chemical Process Areas (Combine & Redesignate NFPA 497B, and Class II material of NFPA 497M into NFPA 499).	W
NFPA 497M-1991	Manual for Classification of Gases, Vapors, and Dusts for Electrical Equipment in Hazardous (Classified) Locations (Combine & Redesignate NFPA 497B, and Class II material of NFPA 497M into NFPA 499).	W
NFPA 501-P*	Manufactured Housing Standard	N
NFPA 501A-1992	Standard for Fire Safety Criteria for Manufactured Home Installations, Sites, and Communities	R
NFPA 654-1994	Standard for the Prevention of Fire and Dust Explosions in the Chemical, Dye, Pharmaceutical, and Plastics Industries.	C
NFPA 705-1993	Recommended Practice for a Field Flame Test for Textiles and Films	P
NFPA 780-1995	Standard for the Installation of Lightning Protection Systems	P
NFPA 910-1991	Recommended Practice for the Protection of Libraries and Library Collections (Combine & Redesignate NFPA 901, NFPA 911, and NFPA 912 into NFPA 909).	W
NFPA 911-1991	Recommended Practice for the Protection of Museums and Museum Collections (Combine & Redesignate NFPA 901, NFPA 911, and NFPA 912 into NFPA 909).	W
NFPA 912-1993	Recommended Practice for Fire Protection in Places of Worship (Combine & Redesignate NFPA 901, NFPA 911, and NFPA 912 into NFPA 909).	W
NFPA 1001-1992	Standard for Fire Fighter Professional Qualifications	P
NFPA 1021-1992	Standard for Fire Officer Professional Qualifications	C
NFPA 1122-1994	Code for Model Rocketry	P
NFPA 1500-1992	Standard on Fire Department Occupational Safety and Health Program	C
NFPA 1521-1992	Standard for Fire Department Safety Officer	C
NFPA 1582-1992	Standard on Medical Requirements for Fire Fighters	C
NFPA 1911-1991	Standard for Service Tests of Pumps on Fire Department Apparatus	C
NFPA 1914-1991	Standard for Testing Fire Department Aerial Device	P

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Doc. No.	Title	Action
NFPA 1981–1992	Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus for Fire Fighters	C
NFPA 1999–1992	Standard on Protective Clothing For Emergency Medical Operations	C
NFPA 8501–1992	Standard for Single Burner Boiler Operation	P
NFPA 8503–1992	Standard for Pulverized Fuel Systems	P

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COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION**Applications of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange for Designation as a Contract Market in Futures and Futures Options on Oriented Strand Board****AGENCY:** Commodity Futures Trading Commission.**ACTION:** Notice of availability of the terms and conditions of proposed commodity futures and option contracts.

SUMMARY: The Chicago Mercantile Exchange (CME or Exchange) has applied for designation as a contract market in futures and futures options on Oriented Strand Board. The Acting Director of the Division of Economic Analysis (Division) of the Commission, acting pursuant to the authority delegated by Commission Regulation 140.96, has determined that publication of the proposals for comment is in the public interest, will assist the Commission in considering the views of interested persons, and is consistent with the purposes of the Commodity Exchange Act.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before July 18, 1996.**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons should submit their views and comments to Jean A. Webb, Secretary, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Three Lafayette Centre, 21st Street NW, Washington, DC 20581. Reference should be made to the CME Oriented Strand Board futures and option applications.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Please contact John Forkkio of the Division of Economic Analysis, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Three Lafayette Centre, 21st Street, Washington, DC, 20581, telephone 202–418–5281.**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Copies of the terms and conditions will be available for inspection at the Office of

the Secretariat, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Three Lafayette Centre, 21st Street Washington, D.C. 20581. Copies of the terms and conditions can be obtained through the Office of the Secretariat by mail at the above address or by phone at (202) 418–5097.

Other materials submitted by the CME in support of the applications for contract market designation may be available upon request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552) and the Commission's regulations thereunder (17 CFR Part 145 (1987)), except to the extent they are entitled to confidential treatment as set forth in 17 CFR 145.5 and 145.9. Requests for copies of such materials should be made to the FOI, Privacy and Sunshine Act Compliance Staff of the Office of the Secretariat at the Commission's headquarters in accordance with 17 CFR 145.7 and 145.8.

Any person interested in submitting written data, views, or arguments on the proposed terms and conditions, or with respect to other materials submitted by the CME, should send such comments to Jean A. Webb, Secretary, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Three Lafayette Centre, 21st Street, NW, Washington, DC 20581 by the specified date.

Issued in Washington, DC, on June 12, 1996.

Blake Imel,

Acting Director.

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Interactive Symposium on Internal Controls and Risk Management Practices

This is to give notice that the Acting Chairman of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission will conduct a public meeting on Monday, June 24, 1996 from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the first floor hearing room of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street, N.W., Washington, DC, 20581.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss current risk management

strategies and the usefulness of existing resources with a diverse group of industry experts, market users, regulators and academics, toward the goal of identifying areas where consumer and financial professional awareness of available techniques can be enhanced by educational outreach efforts of regulators and the private sector.

The agenda is as follows:

Interactive Symposium

What Users, Brokers and Dealers in Financial Instruments Should Know About Risk Management Practices and Internal Controls and the Role of Regulators and Self-Regulators in Assuring Maintenance of Adequate Risk Management Practices and Internal Controls

I. Dialogue—Risk Management and Internal Controls Concerns From the Perspective of an FCM/Dealer and a Counterparty

II. Counterpoint: Evaluating Risk Management and Internal Control Systems—What Do Users Need From Audit Reports

III. End-Users' Perspectives on Risk Management and Internal Controls: The Points of View of the Board of Directors and Management

IV. Free for All: What Can and Should Regulatory and Self-Regulatory Authorities be Doing With Respect to Risk Management Strategies and Internal Controls: [Chairs from prior panels, invited representatives from certain SROs and regulators and other interested parties]

The meeting is open to the public. However, there is limited seating available. For further information, please contact Mr. Jordan C. Klear, Division of Trading and Markets, at (202) 418–5485, if you wish to attend. The Acting Chairman of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, John E. Tull, Jr., is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will, in his judgment, facilitate the orderly conduct of business.