

this extension notice available to the Commission.

Dated: November 10, 2003.

Barbara E. Tillman,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, Group III.

Appendix—Petition on Processed Hazelnuts from Turkey

All of the information you provide on this sheet will be entered on the record of this investigation as business proprietary information.

1. Please provide the following information about your company:

Company name

Name and title of the company president, director or manager

Your name and title

Business address

Phone number

Facsimile number

2. Please check all that apply to describe the business activities of your company:

- Processing of hazelnut kernels
Importation of hazelnut kernels
Sales of hazelnut kernels
Other hazelnut kernel activities (please explain)

3. If your company imported hazelnut kernels between October 2002 and September 2003 and sold the imported kernels as is without any further processing, please provide the quantity imported in the hazelnut kernel equivalent in pounds.

Yes: (Skip to question #5)
Quantity: Lbs.
No: (Please answer question #4)

4. If your company processed hazelnuts during the period October 2002 to September 2003, please provide the quantity of hazelnuts processed from domestic and imported sources in the hazelnut kernel equivalent:

Table with 3 columns: Type of product, Quantity in lbs. (Imports), Quantity in lbs. (Domestic Sources). Rows include Raw or natural, Shelled, Roasted, Blanched, Diced, Sliced, Meal, Flour, Butter, Paste, Croquant, Other (please explain).

Note: Make sure that you report only production quantity of the final marketed product. Please make sure that you do not double count the quantity of intermediate hazelnut products.

5. Is your company affiliated with a Turkish producer, manufacturer or exporter of hazelnuts?

Yes
No

6. Does your company (please check one):
A. Support this petition?
B. Oppose this petition?
C. Have no opinion?

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Announcing the First Symposium on Building Trust and Confidence in Voting Systems

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public symposium.

SUMMARY: The Help America Vote Act of 2002 ("HAVA") tasks the National Institute of Standards and Technology with assisting the Election Assistance Commission in the development of voluntary voting system guidelines. The First Symposium on Building Trust and Confidence in Systems offers the election community an opportunity to initiate collaboration prior to the implementation of HAVA. Four panel discussions will focus on the following key issues for improving voting systems: Specification, testability and qualification; security and openness; usability and accessibility; next steps/consensus issues. A draft agenda and invited panelists for the Symposium will be available at the NIST Web site at: http://vote.nist.gov by November 15, 2003.

DATES: The Symposium will be held on December 10 and 11, 2003, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The Symposium will be held in the Red Auditorium, Building 101 at the National Institute of Standards and Technology, 100 Bureau Drive, Gaithersburg, Maryland.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Additional information and electronic registration is available at the NIST Web site http://vote.nist.gov or by contacting Kimberly Snouffer on 301-975-2776. Because of NIST security regulations, advance registration is required. There will be no same day, on-site registration.

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Arden L. Bement, Jr.,

Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

National Fire Codes: Request for Proposals for Revision of Codes and Standards

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) proposes to revise some of its fire safety codes and standards, and requests proposals from the public to amend existing, or begin the process of developing new, NFPA fire safety codes and standards. The purpose of this request is to increase public participation in the system used by NFPA to develop its codes and standards. The publication of this notice of request for proposals 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: Interested persons may submit proposals on or before the dates listed with the standards.

ADDRESSES: Casey C. Grant, Secretary, Standards Council, NFPA, 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Casey C. Grant, Secretary, Standards Council, at above address, (617) 770-3000.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) develops building, fire, and electrical safety codes and standards. Federal agencies frequently use these codes and standards as the basis for developing federal regulations concerning fire safety. 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.

Request for Proposals

Interested persons may submit proposals, supported by written data, views, or arguments to Casey C. Grant, Secretary, Standards Council, NFPA, 1

Batterymarch Park, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101. Proposals should be submitted on forms available from the NFPA Codes and Standards Administration Office or on NFPA's Web site at www.nfpa.org.

Each person must include his or her name and address, identify the document, and give reasons for the

proposal. Proposals received before or by 5 p.m. local time on the closing date indicated would be acted on by the Committee. The NFPA will consider any proposal that it receives on or before the date listed with the code or standard.

At a later date, each NFPA Technical Committee will issue a report, which will include a copy of written proposals

that have been received, and an account of their disposition of each proposal by the NFPA Committee as the Report on Proposals. Each person who has submitted a written proposal will receive a copy of the report.

Document-edition	Document title	Proposal closing date
NFPA 1-2003	Uniform Fire Code	1/5/2004
NFPA 10-2002	Standard for Portable Fire Extinguishers	6/25/2004
NFPA 13-2002	Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems	11/5/2004
NFPA 13D-2002	Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in One- and Two-Family Dwellings and Manufactured Homes.	11/5/2004
NFPA 13R-2002	Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in Residential Occupancies up to and Including Four Stories in Height.	11/5/2004
NFPA 15-2001	Standard for Water Spray Fixed Systems for Fire Protection	12/31/2004
NFPA 18-1995	Standard on Wetting Agents	1/5/2004
NFPA 24-2002	Standard for the Installation of Private Fire Service Mains and Their Appurtenances	11/5/2004
NFPA 52-2002	Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) Vehicular Fuel Systems Code	1/5/2004
NFPA 54-2002	National Fuel Gas Code	1/5/2004
NFPA 57-2002	Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Vehicular Fuel Systems Code	1/5/2004
NFPA 72-2002	National Fire Alarm Code®	11/5/2004
NFPA 73-2000	Electrical Inspection Code for Existing Dwellings	1/5/2004
NFPA 79-2002	Electrical Standard for Industrial Machinery	6/25/2004
NFPA 80-1999	Standard for Fire Doors and Fire Windows	1/5/2004
NFPA 90A-2002	Standard for the Installation of Air-Conditioning and Ventilating Systems	1/5/2004
NFPA 90B-2002	Standard for the Installation of Warm Air Heating and Air-Conditioning Systems	1/5/2004
NFPA 160-2001	Standard for Flame Effects Before an Audience	1/5/2004
NFPA 170-2002	Standard for Fire Safety Symbols	1/5/2004
NFPA 230-2003	Standard for the Fire Protection of Storage	1/5/2004
NFPA 251-1999	Standard Methods of Tests of Fire Endurance of Building Construction and Materials	1/5/2004
NFPA 253-2000	Standard Method of Test for Critical Radiant Flux of Floor Covering Systems Using a Radiant Heat Energy Source.	1/5/2004
NFPA 255-2000	Standard Method of Test of Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials	1/5/2004
NFPA 257-2000	Standard on Fire Test for Window and Glass Block Assemblies	1/5/2004
NFPA 269-2000	Standard Test Method for Developing Toxic Potency Data for Use in Fire Hazard Modeling	1/5/2004
NFPA 285-1998	Standard Method of Test for the Evaluation of Flammability Characteristics of Exterior Non-Load-Bearing Wall Assemblies Containing Combustible Components Using the Intermediate-Scale, Multistory Test Apparatus.	1/5/2004
NFPA 286-2000	Standard Methods of Fire Tests for Evaluating Contribution of Wall and Ceiling Interior Finish to Room Fire Growth.	1/5/2004
NFPA 291-2002	Recommended Practice for Fire Flow Testing and Marking of Hydrants	11/5/2004
NFPA 303-2000	Fire Protection Standard for Marinas and Boatyards	1/5/2004
NFPA 307-2000	Standard for the Construction and Fire Protection of Marine Terminals, Piers, and Wharves	1/5/2004
NFPA 312-2000	Standard for Fire Protection of Vessels During Construction, Repair, and Lay-Up	1/5/2004
NFPA 318-2002	Standard for the Protection of Semiconductor Fabrication Facilities	1/5/2004
NFPA 484-2002	Standard for Combustible Metals, Metal Powders, and Metal Dusts	1/5/2004
NFPA 495-2001	Explosive Materials Code	1/5/2004
NFPA 498-2001	Standard for Safe Havens and Interchange Lots for Vehicles Transporting Explosives	1/5/2004
NFPA 505-2002	Fire Safety Standard for Powered Industrial Trucks Including Type Designations, Areas of Use, Conversions, Maintenance, and Operation.	1/5/2004
NFPA 654-2000	Standard for the Prevention of Fire and Dust Explosions from the Manufacturing, Processing, and Handling of Combustible Particulate Solids.	1/5/2004
NFPA 730-P*	Guide for Electronic Premises Security	1/5/2004
NFPA 731-P*	Standard for the Installation of Electronic Premises Security Systems	1/5/2004
NFPA 750-2003	Standard on Water Mist Fire Protection Systems	6/25/2004
NFPA 1000-2000	Standard for Fire Service Professional Qualifications Accreditation and Certification Systems	1/5/2004
NFPA 1071-2000	Standard for Emergency Vehicle Technician Professional Qualifications	1/5/2004
NFPA 1123-2000	Code for Fireworks Display	1/5/2004
NFPA 1124-2003	Code for the Manufacture, Transportation, Storage and Retail Sales of Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles.	1/5/2004
NFPA 1126-2001	Standard for the Use of Pyrotechnics before a Proximate Audience	1/5/2004
NFPA 1145-2000	Guide for the Use of Class A Foams in Manual Structural Fire Fighting	1/5/2004
NFPA 1221-2002	Standard for the Installation, Maintenance, and Use of Emergency Services Communications Systems	1/5/2004
NFPA 915-2000	Standard for Fire Apparatus Preventative Maintenance Program	1/5/2004
NFPA 1982-1998	Standard on Personal Alert Safety Systems (PASS)	6/25/2004
NFPA 1983-2001	Standard on Fire Service Life Safety Rope and System Components	1/9/2004
NFPA 2010-P*	Standard on Aerosol Fire Extinguishing Systems	1/5/2004

* Proposed NEW drafts are available from NFPA's Web site—www.nfpa.org or may be obtained from NFPA's Codes and Standards Administration, 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169-7471.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

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

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) revises existing standards and adopts new standards twice a year. At its November meeting or its May meeting, the NFPA acts on recommendations made by its technical committees.

The purpose of this notice is to request comments on the technical reports that will be presented at NFPA's 2004 November 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: Forty-three reports are published in the 2004 November Meeting Report

on Proposals and will be available on January 23, 2004. Comments received on or before April 2, 2004, will be considered by the respective NFPA Committees before final action is taken on the proposals.

ADDRESSES: The 2004 November Meeting Report on Proposals is available and downloadable from NFPA's Web site—<http://www/nfpa.org> or by requesting a copy from the NFPA, Fulfillment Center, 11 Tracy Drive, Avon, Massachusetts 02322. Comments on the report should be submitted to Casey C. Grant, Secretary, Standards Council, NFPA, 1 Batterymarch Park, P.O. Box 9101, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Casey C. Grant, Secretary, Standards Council, NFPA, 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101, (617) 770-3000.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

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Revisions of existing standards and adoption of new standards are reported

by the technical committees at the NFPA's November meeting or at the May meeting each year. The NFPA invites public comment on its Report on Proposals.

Request for Comments

Interested persons may participate in these revisions by submitting written data, views, or arguments to Casey C. Grant, Secretary, Standards Council, NFPA, 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101. Commenters may use the forms provided for comments in the Reports 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 April 2, 2004, for the 2004 November 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 2004 November Meeting Report on Comments by September 24, 2004, prior to the November 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 November meeting, November 13-17, 2004, in Miami Beach, Florida, by NFPA members.

2004 NOVEMBER MEETING—REPORT ON PROPOSALS

NFPA 11	Standard for Low-, Medium-, and High-Expansion Foam Systems	C
NFPA 11A	Standard for Medium- and High-Expansion Foam Systems	W
NFPA 12	Standard on Carbon Dioxide Extinguishing Systems	C
NFPA 13E	Recommended Practice for Fire Department Operations in Properties Protected by Sprinkler and Standpipe Systems	C
NFPA 35	Standard for the Manufacture of Organic Coatings	C
NFPA 50	Standard for Bulk Oxygen Systems at Consumer Sites	W
NFPA 50A	Standard for Gaseous Hydrogen Systems at Consumer Sites	W
NFPA 50B	Standard for Liquefied Hydrogen Systems at Consumer Sites	W
NFPA 55	Standard for the Storage, Use, and Handling of Compressed Gases and Cryogenic Fluids in Portable and Stationary Containers, Cylinders, and Tanks.	C
NFPA 76	Recommended Practice for the Fire Protection of Telecommunications Facilities	P
NFPA 92B	Guide for Smoke Management Systems in Malls, Atria, and Large Areas	C
NFPA 99	Standard for Health Care Facilities	P
NFPA 99B	Standard for Hypobaric Facilities	C
NFPA 99C	Standard on Gas and Vacuum Systems	P
NFPA 110	Standard for Emergency and Standby Power Systems	P
NFPA 111	Standard on Stored Electrical Energy Emergency and Standby Power Systems	C
NFPA 214	Standard on Water-Cooling Towers	C
NFPA 225	Model Manufactured Home Installation Standard	N
NFPA 326	Standard for the Safeguarding of Tanks and Containers for Entry, Cleaning, or Repair	C
NFPA 329	Recommended Practice for Handling Releases of Flammable and Combustible Liquids and Gases	C
NFPA 501	Standard on Manufactured Housing	P
NFPA 501A	Standard for Fire Safety Criteria for Manufactured Home Installations, Sites, and Communities	P
NFPA 520	Standard on Subterranean Spaces	C
NFPA 600	Standard on Industrial Fire Brigades	C
NFPA 601	Standard for Security Services in Fire Loss Prevention	C
NFPA 720	Recommended Practice for the Installation of Household Carbon Monoxide (CO) Warning Equipment	C
NFPA 850	Recommended Practice for Fire Protection for Electric Generating Plants and High Voltage Direct Current Converter Stations.	C