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TO: TEOST Mailing List
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SUBJECT: TEOST & MTEOS Technical Update: Cross Referencing of Instruments

At the ASTM D02.B07 meeting of June 18, 2001, the section approved a motion whereby calibrating an instrument for either TEOST-33C or MHT TEOST voids all prior calibrations on that apparatus. That is, you can no longer obtain dual, simultaneous TMC calibrations, one for TEOST-33C and one for MHT TEOST, on the same apparatus (instrument). A single instrument can only be considered in calibration for one method at a time. If a TMC calibrated instrument is converted for use in another test method and converted back again, a new TMC calibration is recommended to confirm the performance of the instrument.

Effective immediately, only the latest passing TMC calibration on a TEOST or MTEOS instrument will be considered valid for each instrument. (Note that the approved motion is not retroactive and does not void previous non-reference tests run on instruments with dual TEOST and MTEOS TMC calibrated status).

Please direct any inquiries to my attention.

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