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ASTM consensus has not been obtained on this information letter. An appropriate ASTM ballot will be issued in order to achieve such consensus.

TO: Cummins Mailing List

SUBJECT: Removal of 9 Month Requirement on Stand Instrumentation Calibrations

During the April 19, 2021 Surveillance Panel teleconference the panel agreed to drop the requirement that test stand instrumentation be calibrated every 9 months.

Revised text of sections 8.3.2.2 and 8.3.2.3 of D7468-20 are attached. This change is effective immediately.

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Attachment

c: http://www.astmtmc.cmu.edu/ftp/docs/diesel/cummins/procedure_and_ils/ISM/il21-01_ISM.pdf

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(Revises Test Method D7468-20)

Replace section 8.3.2.2 with the following:

8.3.2.2 Calibration of the Temperature Measurement Systems—Calibrate the temperature measurement systems before every reference oil test sequence. Each temperature measurement system shall indicate within ± 0.5 °C of the laboratory calibration standard. Trace the calibration standard to national standards.

Replace section 8.3.2.3 with the following:

8.3.2.3 Calibration of the Pressure Measurement Systems—Calibrate the pressure measurement systems before every reference oil test sequence. Trace the calibration standard to national standards.