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

TO: L-42 Mailing List

SUBJECT: Revised Solvent Specification

At the August 27, 2003 L-42 Surveillance Panel meeting, the panel approved a motion to revise the cleaning solvent specification to D 235 – Type II, Class C. Sections 4.2 and 5.1.2 of the L-42 test procedure (STP 512A) have been revised. The effective date for this change is January 1, 2004.

The updated version of the L-42 test procedure is available in its entirety from the TMC web site (ftp://ftp.astmtmc.cmu.edu/doc/gears/l42/procedure_and_ils) or by contacting the TMC for a hard copy. The revised sections of the L-42 test procedure are attached.

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Attachment

c: ftp://ftp.astmtmc.cmu.edu/docs/gears/l42/procedure_and_ils/il03-3.pdf

Distribution: Email

4.2 Cleaning Solvent— A solvent meeting Specification D 235 – Type II, Class C.

CAUTION—Cleaning solvent is both toxic and flammable. Do not breathe its fumes or allow it to come in contact with the skin. Keep flames away from the cleaning solvent.

5.1.2 Spray clean the gears and interior of the case with cleaning solvent (see Section 4.2) and air dry. Do not disassemble.