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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: L-60-1 Mailing List

SUBJECT: Nitrile and Latex Gloves for Catalyst Handling

At the August 24, 2005 L-60-1 Surveillance Panel meeting, the panel approved a motion allowing the use of new nitrile or latex gloves to handle the catalyst in order to avoid contamination. A revised Section 8.6.4 of Test Method D 5704 is attached. This change is effective the date of this information letter.

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Attachment

c: ftp://ftp.astmtmc.cmu.edu/docs/gears/1601/procedure_and_ils/il05-3.pdf

Distribution: Email

(Revises Test Method D 5704-05 as amended by Information Letters 04-2 through 05-2)

8.6.4 Record the weight of the catalyst with the notched strip to the nearest 0.0001 g prior to installation. Handle cleaned catalyst strips with one of the following: new nitrile gloves, new latex gloves, tweezers or ashless filter paper to avoid contamination of the catalyst surface from skin contact.