



National Fire Protection Association

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MEMORANDUM

TO: NFPA Technical Committee on Fire Tests

FROM: Tracy Golinveaux, Staff Liaison

DATE: September 7, 2011

SUBJECT: NFPA Technical Committee on Fire Tests Ballot on Proposal to NFPA 58

At the Technical Committee on Fire Tests July, 2011 meeting, it was voted to submit the attached proposal in the Committee's name on NFPA 58, *Liquefied Petroleum Gas Code*. In accordance with NFPA policy, a Committee can submit proposals in its name on another Committee's Report when the proposals are balloted through the submitting Committee (NFPA Committee Officers' Guide, Annex B.13).

Please see the attached draft proposal on NFPA 58 on Annex H.

Note that you are voting only on whether you agree to submit the proposal to NFPA 58 in the name of the Technical Committee on Fire Tests.

Please complete and return your ballot as soon as possible but no later than **Friday, September 23, 2011**. As noted on the ballot form, please return the ballot to Diane Matthews either via e-mail to dmatthews@nfpa.org or via fax to 617-984-7110. You may also mail your ballot to the attention of Diane Matthews at NFPA, 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02169.

The return of ballots is required by the Regulations Governing Committee Projects.

Attachments: Draft Proposal
Letter Ballot

NFPA 58/FIZ-AAA PROPOSAL- Annex H

Submitter: Technical Committee on Fire Tests

Recommendation: Replace Annex H with the requirements found in NFPA 290, *Standard for Fire Testing of Passive Protection Materials for Use on LP-Gas Containers*, 2013 edition or with reference to that Standard.

Substantiation: NFPA 290 was developed by the Fire Test Technical Committee at the request of the Technical Committee on Liquefied Petroleum Gases as a result of numerous BLEVE incidents, however, NFPA 58 does not reference the requirements in NFPA 290. The Fire Test Technical Committee requests that the requirements in NFPA 290 developed for NFPA 58 be incorporated into Annex H.

NFPA TECHNICAL COMMITTEE ON FIRE TESTS

INFORMATIONAL BALLOT

FIZ-AAA Ballot Proposal to NFPA 58

“Annex H”

Please record your vote as to whether you agree to submit the proposed committee proposal to NFPA 58 in the name of the Technical Committee on Fire Tests.

Affirmative

Negative*

Abstain*

*Per NFPA Regulations comments must accompany any negative or abstaining vote.

COMMENTS:

Please return as soon as possible, but no later than **Friday, September 23, 2011** to:

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Signature: _____

Name - Please Print: _____

Date: _____

Note: Please remember that the return of ballots and attendance at Committee Meetings is required in accordance with Section 3.1.3.1 of the Regulations Governing Committee Projects.