

**ACCREDITED STANDARDS COMMITTEE Z245
ON
EQUIPMENT TECHNOLOGY AND OPERATIONS
FOR WASTES AND RECYCLABLE MATERIALS**

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CC: ASC Z245 Committee

FROM: Craig R. Wallwork, Secretary

Subject: Meeting Minutes, October 29, 2008

The ASC Z245 Subcommittee 1 on Mobile Equipment met at the Sheraton Four Points at O'Hare Airport in Chicago, IL on October 29, 2008. Attendees were:

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1.0 Call to Order

1.1 The Chairman and Secretary of the Subcommittee welcomed the attendees. The

meeting was called to Order at 8:00 a.m. The goal of the meeting was to advance discussions on previous issues, discuss tabled items and open up discussions on new topics proposed by Subcommittee members.

2.0 Agenda Approval

2.1 Agenda Z245 SC1 N0213 dated October 20, 2008 was approved.

3.0 Previous Meeting Minutes

3.1 Previous Meeting Minutes Z245 SC1 N0209 dated July 25, 2008 were approved.

4.0 Committee Agenda

4.1 Refuse Vehicle Body Ladders and Fall Protection

Action Item: Craig Wallwork briefed the Subcommittee concerning the Environmental Research and Education Foundation (EREF) funding a study on fall protection. There is an application process and the deadline for submitting a request was too late to be considered for the early December selection. The application will be provided to the Subcommittee Chair and he will appoint a Working Group (WG) to fill out the application and provide it to the Secretary for submittal to the EREF for consideration. Additional members volunteered to serve on the WG and they are: Jerry Zanzig, Dwayne Jones, Frederic Proulx, Tom Roberts, Scott Dankel, and Eric Handler.

4.2 Discussion on Signage, Size Requirements, Pictographs and Verbiage

Action Item: This issue was tabled until the next scheduled Subcommittee Meeting

4.3 Rear Load Container Lifting Devices

Action Item: Previous discussions had centered on the hook style most manufacturers supply with new bodies is equipped with ANSI and OSHA approved safety clip. The hook styles are available, but are generally not installed unless specifically requested by the end user. The Subcommittee members discussed a variety of hooks and safety latches. It was agreed to add to the standard "variety of hooks". The committee also agreed to add "hook must match cable strength" under 7.2.61.

4.4 Should Battery Disconnects be required?

Action Item: It was the Subcommittee's intent to have technicians on a conference call while this issue was discussed. Unfortunately, this did not happen and we will make arrangements for this to happen at the next meeting, whether via conference call or the next time the Subcommittee meets at the Annual Meeting. A number of members volunteered to serve on the existing WG and they are: Jim Marks, Ralph Ford, Garry Mosier, Shawn Mandel and Chris Rode. The Subcommittee discussed vehicle types; lockable battery disconnects; should there be a main disconnect and should it be tied to diagnostics. The WG plans on a conference call prior to the next Subcommittee meeting.

4.5 Warning Alarm for raised arm/hoist in the upright position

Action Item: The Subcommittee discussed narrowing the scope of the item and limit the discussion to just roll-offs for audio and/or visual signals. After much discussion and deliberation the consensus of the group was to drop the issue.

5.0 New Topics/Issues for Potential Review and Revision

5.1 Front Loader Hopper Dimensions and Front Fork Compatibility Dimension

Action Item: The Subcommittee discussed developing a recommended practice for consistently and accurately rating the size and dimensions for front loader refuse vehicle hopper openings and fork configurations. This would be compatible with ANSI Z245.60, Type “S” front load containers. The consensus was to incorporate the Z245.6 Standard Type “S” front load containers into the Appendix.

6.0 New Business/Old Business Items tabled from the Subcommittee Meeting

6.1 Battery Disconnects

6.2 Warning Signs, Signage, Size Requirements, Pictographs and Verbiage

6.3 Tarping

6.4 Vehicle Conspicuity

7.0 Date and Time of Next Meeting

7.1 The next meeting will be at the Annual Meeting to be held at the Vinoy Resort in St. Petersburg, FL March 24-27, 2009.

8.0 Adjournment

8.1 The meeting was adjourned at 1:49 p.m. Central Time October 29, 2008.