Information Concerning

2016 Summary of Final Complaint and Appeals Decisions re: American National Standards (ANS) Process (Updated)

Below is a summary of final appeals and complaint decisions issued in 2016. A prior listing was incomplete. Questions may be directed to psa@ansi.org.

ANSI Executive Standards Council (ExSC)

- 1. Joint appeal by Alcatel-Lucent, Ericsson, and Qualcomm of the ANSI ExSC's decision to reaccredit IEEE. Appeal denied.
- 2. Complaint filed by Ms. Stein with the ANSI Executive Standards Council (ExSC) of UL's status as an ANSI Accredited Standards Developer (ASD). Complaint denied.
- 3. Appeal by Corporate Cleaning Services, Inc. (CCS) of the accreditation of ASC I14 Window Cleaning Safety with the International Window Cleaning Association (IWCA) as secretariat, as a developer of American National Standards (ANS) granted. Accreditation withdrawn.

ANSI Board of Standards Review (BSR)

- ANSI Board of Standards Review (BSR) hearing of the ANSI Appeals Board remand of IICRC S600 Standard and Reference Guide for Professional Carpet Installation as an American National Standard (ANS). Appeal denied.
- 2. Appeal filed by the Professional Ropes Course Association (PRCA) of the ANSI BSR's approval of ACCT 03-2016 Challenge Course and Canopy/Zip Line Tour Standards as an American National Standard (ANS). Appeal denied.

ANSI Appeals Board

- Two appeals filed separately by (1) Alcatel-Lucent and Ericsson and (2) Qualcomm, with the ANSI Appeals Board of the ANSI Executive Standards Council's (ExSC) appeals decision to uphold its decision to reaccredit IEEE. Appeals dismissed.
- Appeal filed by Shaw Industries with the ANSI Appeals Board of the ANSI Board of Standards Review's (BSR) decision upon remand, to reinstate the approval of IICRC S600 Standard and Reference Guide for Professional Carpet Installation as an American National Standard (ANS). Appeal dismissed.
- 3. Appeal filed with the ANSI Appeals Board of the ANSI Board of Standards Review's (BSR) decision to deny the Professional Ropes Course Association's (PRCA) appeal of the approval of ACCT 03-2016 Challenge Course and Canopy/Zip Line Tour Standards as an American National Standard (ANS). Appeal dismissed.
- 4. Appeal filed by Thermal Design with the ANSI Appeals Board of the ANSI Executive Standards Council's (ExSC) decision to dismiss its prior complaint regarding the approval by ASHRAE, an ANSI Audited Designator, of ASHRAE/IES 90.1 (Addendum ab) Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings as an American National Standard (ANS). Appeal dismissed.