

# 122nd SMPTE Technical Conference and Equipment Exhibit

9-14 November 1980, New York Hilton Hotel, New York City

Program Chairman Richard S. Marcus, Rombex Productions Corp., has appointed the following topic chairmen for the 122nd Technical Conference and Equipment Exhibit.

## Television Papers

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## Historical Papers

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## Tutorial Papers

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According to Mr. Marcus, plans and ideas for the program are coming along very nicely. A series of papers will be presented prior to the general papers sessions in which technical terms will be explained for general information purposes. The papers sessions will intermingle historical and tutorial papers with the more technical motion picture and television papers.

Anyone wishing to submit a paper for consideration on the program should contact one of the above or **Lynne Robinson**, at SMPTE Headquarters, 862 Scarsdale Ave., Scarsdale, NY 10583, (914) 472-6606 for the author's kit.

# Standards & Recommended Practices

## Approved American National Standards

The American National Standards Institute approved three new American National Standards on 28 November 1979: ANSI C98.15M-1980, Basic System Parameters for 1-in Type B Helical-Scan Video Tape Recording; ANSI C98.16M-1980, Dimensions and Location of Records for 1-in Type B Helical-Scan Video Tape Recording; and ANSI C98.17M-1980, Frequency Response and Operating Level of Recorders and Reproducers for Audio Records for 1-in Type B Helical-Scan Video Tape Recording.

Copies of the standards may be obtained for a nominal fee from the American National Standards Institute, 1430 Broadway, New York, NY 10018.

## Approved SMPTE Recommended Practices

Two SMPTE Recommended Practices on the 1-in Type B format were approved by the Society's Board of Governors on 13 July

1979: RP 83-1980, Specifications of Tracking Control Record for 1-in Type B Helical-Scan Video Tape Recording; and RP 84-1980, Video Reference Carrier Frequencies and Pre-Emphasis Characteristics for 1-in Type B Helical-Scan Video Tape Recording.

SMPTE Recommended Practices are available from Society Headquarters for \$1.50 each.

## Reaffirmed American National Standards

The American National Standards Institute approved reaffirmation of two American National Standards on 27 December 1979: ANSI PH22.168-1973 (R1980), Dimensions for 16-mm Motion-Picture Film Perforated Super 8, (1-4); and ANSI PH22.184-1973 (R1980), Motion-Picture Raw Stock Identification and Labeling. — *Alex E. Alden, Manager of Engineering Services*