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STANDARDS AND RECOMMENDED PRACTICES

Approved American National Standards

Three American National Standards were recently approved by the American National Standards Institute: ANSI PH22.137-1981, Position, Dimensions and Reproducing Speed of Four Magnetic Sound Records on 35-mm Motion-Picture Release Prints; ANSI PH22.166-1981, Specifications for 8-mm Type S Sound and Silent Motion-Picture Film Camera Cartridge Notches for Exposure Control and Stock Identification; and ANSI PH22.201M-1981, Dimensions of Type W Camera Aperture Image on 16-mm Motion-Picture Film for Enlargement. PH22.137 and PH22.166 are revisions of existing standards. Copies of the standards may be obtained for a nominal fee from the American National Standards Institute, 1430 Broadway, New York, NY 10018.

Reaffirmed American National Standards

The American National Standards Institute approved reaffirmation of three American National Standards on August 11 1981: ANSI PH22.107-1975 (R1981), Dimensions of Double 8-mm Type R (Regular 8) Motion-Picture Camera Spools (25-ft

[7.6-m] Capacity); ANSI PH22.143-1975 (R1981), Specifications for Length of Film on 8-mm Type R (Regular 8) Motion-Picture Camera Spools (25-ft [7.6-m] (Capacity); and ANSI PH22.173-1975 (R1981), Dimensions for Double 8-mm Type R (Regular) Motion-Picture Camera Spools (100-ft [30-m] Capacity).

Proposed American National Standards

Two Proposed American National Standards are published here for a trial period and public review: PH22.200M, Specifications for Camera Run Length, Perforation Cutout and End-of-Run Notch in 8-mm Type S Model 1 Motion-Picture Film Camera Cartridges; and V98.31M, Dimensions of Small Video Cassette for 3/4-in Type E Helical-Scan Video Tape Recording. Comments should be addressed to Alex E. Alden, Manager of Engineering Services, at Society Headquarters before January 1, 1982. The proposals have been submitted to the appropriate American National Standards Committees. Consequently, all comments received from *JOURNAL* publication will be reviewed prior to the conclusion of action by the committees.—*Alex E. Alden, Manager of Engineering Services.*