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Proposed Addendum am to Standard 34-2022, Designation and Safety Classification of Refrigerants

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FOREWORD

This proposed addendum adds the zeotropic refrigerant blend R-487B to Tables 4-2 and D-2.

Note: This addendum makes proposed changes to the current standard. These changes are indicated in the text by <u>underlining</u> (for additions) and <u>strikethrough</u> (for deletions) except where the reviewer instructions specifically describe some other means of showing the changes. Only these changes to the current standard are open for review and comment at this time. Additional material is provided for context only and is not open for comment except as it relates to the proposed changes.

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Modify Tables 4-2 and D-2 as shown.

Table 4-2 Data and Safety Classifications for Refrigerant Blends

Refrigerant Number = 487B

Composition (Mass %) = R-170 / 1270 (17.0 / 83.0)

Composition tolerances = (+1.0, -2.0 / +2.0, -1.0)

OEL = 560 ppm v/v

Safety Group = $\underline{A3}$

 $RCL = 1.300 \text{ ppm} / 0.13 \text{ lb}/1000 \text{ ft}^3 / 2.1 \text{ g/m}^3$

 $LFL = 22,000 \text{ ppm} / 2.3 \text{ lb}/1000 \text{ ft}^3 / 36 \text{ g/m}^3$

Highly Toxic or Toxic Under Code Classification = Neither

Table D-2 Data Classifications for Refrigerant Blends

Refrigerant Number = 487B

Composition (Mass %) = R-170 / 1270 (17.0 / 83.0)

Average Relative Molar Mass = 39.4 g/mol

Bubble Point (°F) = -87.8°F

Dew Point (°F) = -62.3°F

Bubble Point ($^{\circ}$ C) = -66.6 $^{\circ}$ C

Dew Point (°C) = -52.4°C