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Report on ISO/FDIS 16111 Transportable gas storage devices — Hydrogen absorbed in reversible metal hydrides

We are pleased to inform you that the joint ISO/TC 197 and ISO/TC 58/SC 3 Working Group 10 has further advanced the development of the international standard **ISO/WI 16111 Transportable gas storage devices — Hydrogen absorbed in reversible metal hydrides**.

The document has now reached the approval stage (FDIS). It will soon be circulated for approval among the whole membership of ISO. A copy of the FDIS will be provided to the Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (SCETDG) as soon as it is available.

For your information, this FDIS circulation follows a successful DIS vote that ended on 28 February 2008. The DIS was well received and got a 94 % approval of the P-members that cast a vote. Comments received on the DIS were returned to the working group, who diligently addressed them and produced the FDIS text.

Please note that the ISO Central Secretariat is putting in a special effort to make sure that this International Standard will be published in time for the December 2008 meeting of the SCETDG.

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