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SPRI Announces plans to canvass revised ANSI/SPRI IA-1 Standard

Waltham, MA, December 2009 — SPRI, the association representing sheet membrane and component suppliers to the commercial roofing industry, announced that it is revising ANSI/SPRI IA-1 *Standard Field Test Procedure for Determining the Mechanical Uplift Resistance of Insulation Adhesives over Various Substrates* and plans to canvass the document for re-approval as an American National Standard in the coming months.

This standard specifies a field-testing procedure to determine the mechanical uplift resistance of specific roof insulation/adhesive combinations. The testing procedure, which encompasses various types of adhesives, substrates and insulations, was first approved as a national standard in 2005.

AI-1 is being re-canvassed as required by the American National Standards Institute's policy that all National Standards must be re-evaluated every five years. Interested party may participate in the canvass process by e-mailing SPRI's headquarters at info@spri.org or by calling 781-647-7026.

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