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| **(PETROLEUM, COAL & RELATED PRODUCTS DEPTT.)** |
| **RESOLUTIONS** |
| **Rubber and Rubber Products Sectional Committee, PCD 13** | **35th Meeting**  |
| **DATE & TIME** | Monday, 1000h, 08 July 2024  |
| **CHAIRMAN**  | Dr. K. Rajkumar, Director, IRMRA, Thane  |
| **MEMBER SECRETARY** | Shri Rajat Gupta, Scientist-C/ Deputy Director, PCD  |

***Resolution PCD13/2024:01/R-1***

**2.4 Request for Co-option in Sectional Committee**

The Committee decided to Co-opt the following organizations/members:

1. MM Rubber Co Ltd.
2. Dr. Siby Varghese, In personal capacity

The Committee decided not to Co-opt Devashish Polymers Pvt. Ltd. and Laghu Udyog Bharti, New Delhi. The Committee approved the fresh nominations from The Rubber Board and Reliance Industries Ltd., Vadodara.

***Resolution PCD13/2024:01/R-2***

**3.1 Review/ Revision of Indian Standards**

1. The Committee decided to archive the following the Standards:

IS 10130, IS 13978, IS 13981, IS 14128, IS 917, IS 4135, IS 6450, IS 7497, IS 8134, IS 8135, IS 10357, IS 10358, IS 10387, IS 8891, IS 6058.

1. The Committee noted that ARP has been allotted for IS 8483, IS 3692, IS 5270, IS 5193, IS 5192 (Part 1), IS 5192 (Part 2), IS 4588, IS 5598, IS 13101, IS 11001.
2. The Committee decided to reaffirm IS 15361 and IS 1741.
3. The Committee decided to issue IS 5190 into wide circulation for 2 months by updating the cross-referred standards.
4. The Committee decided to reaffirm with revision IS 14424 and align IS 14424 with ISO 20058 and issue the National foreword into Wide circulation for a period of 2 months.
5. The Committee decided to align IS 447 with ISO 3821 and issue the National foreword into Wide circulation for a period of 2 months.

***Resolution PCD13/2024:01/R-3***

1. The Committee decided to issue the working draft on ‘Soothers and pacifiers for babies and young children’ as P-Draft for 1 month.
2. The Committee decided to drop the subject on ‘Silicone Rubber’.
3. The Committee requested inputs on Item 3.3 and 3.4 of the agenda from IRMRA and add in Dr. ND Gangal in WG 2. The Committee also decided to hold a webinar on “Safe materials- Additives and Chemicals for rubber industry” on 9th August 2024. GRP Ltd. and Dr. ND Gangal is requested to deliver the presentations.
4. The Committee noted Item 3.5 of the agenda.
5. The Committee requested NOCIL and LANXESS for inputs on IS 7069 and IS 14923.
6. The Committee requested ATMA for inputs on IS 15078.
7. The Committee decided to issue the working draft on ‘Recovered carbon black’ as P-Draft for 1 month.
8. The Committee decided to drop the subject on Nitrile Butadiene Rubber (NBR), Carboxylated Nitrile Butadiene Rubber (XNBR) latex, High Styrene Rubber (HSR) and Carboxylated styrene acrylic latex.
9. The Committee requested IRMRA to provide inputs on standard on ‘Polyolefin Elastomer’.

***Resolution PCD13/2024:01/R-4***

1. The Committee finalized the Doc. No. PCD 13 (24810), PCD 13 (24812), PCD 13 (24813), PCD 13 (24814), PCD 13 (24815), PCD 13 (24817), PCD 13 (24819), PCD 13 (24820), PCD 13 (24821), PCD 13 (24827), PCD 13 (25080), PCD 13 (25081), PCD 13 (25110), PCD 13 (25111) and PCD 13 (25112) and decided to send it for printing.
2. The Committee deliberated on the comments received on Doc. No. PCD 13 (25078) and PCD 13 (25079) and disagreed with the comments and further decided to finalize the documents and requested BIS Sectt. to send the documents for printing.
3. The Committee decided to send the document No.’s PCD 13 (25765), PCD 13 (25998) and PCD 13 (25999) for printing with the approval of Chairperson, if no comments were received during the wide circulation period.

***Resolution PCD13/2024:01/R-5***

1. The Committee disagreed with the comments received on IS 7933.
2. The Committee decided to take the decision on revision of IS 3399 based on the ARP report received.
3. The Committee deliberated on the comments received on IS 12076 and IS 14127 and agreed with the comments and further decided to issue the draft revisions into wide circulation for 2 months. The Committee also decided to send the draft revisions for printing with the approval of Chairperson, if no comments were received during the wide circulation period.
4. The Committee decided to issue an amendment to IS 9573 (Part 1) and IS 9573 (Part 2) with agreed changes.
5. The Committee deliberated on the comments received on IS 12585 and disagreed with the comments.
6. The Committee decided to issue an amendment to IS 7466 with agreed changes.
7. The Committee decided to issue an amendment to IS 11356 (Part 1) and IS 11356 (Part 2) with agreed changes.

***Resolution PCD13/2024:01/R-6***

The Committee APPROVED the following Delegation and requested members to send their nominations if anybody wants to participate in 72nd meeting of ISO/TC 45 'Rubber and Rubber Products' scheduled for 21 Oct- 25 Oct 2024 in Nara, Japan:

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| **Sl No.** | **Name**  | **Organization** |
|  | Dr. K. Rajkumar | Indian Rubber Manufacturers Research Association  |
|  | Dr. Bharat Kapgate | Indian Rubber Manufacturers Research Association  |
|  | Dr. Ranjit K Matthan | In personal capacity |
|  | Sh. Srikanth Krishnamurthy | All India Rubber Industries Association |
|  | Sh. Chinmoy Ray | All India Rubber Industries Association |
|  | Sh. Philip C. Jacob | Association of Planters of Kerala |
|  | Sh. Santosh Kumar | United Planters Association of Southern India |
|  | Sh. Satish Abraham | Association of Latex Producers of India |
|  | Shri Kalyan Das  | GRP Limited, Mumbai |
|  | Mr. K M Ravi | GRP Limited, Mumbai  |
|  | Dr. Siby Varghese | In personal capacity |
| 12. | Sh. Rajat Gupta, Sc. C | BIS |

***Resolution PCD13/2024:01/R-7***

1. The Committee requested inputs on Safe handling practices for rubber materials, White/ Latex Reclaimed Rubber and Characterization of Polymer Bound Rubber Chemicals from members.
2. NWIP received from LERC on PNG hoses. The committee requested to send the working draft for further consideration.