



MINUTES

of the

TECHNICAL & RESEARCH COMMITTEE MEETING

NATIONAL INSULATION MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION
New York, N. Y. September 15, 1967

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 A.M. with the following in attendance:

T.S. Bassett	Johns-Manville
T.S. Campbell	Owens-Corning
C.E. Ernst	Johns-Manville
W. Gubar	Certaineed-Gustin Bacon
S.K. Heard	Owens-Corning
H.P. Hoopes	Fibreboard
W.T. Irwin	PPG Industries
A. Kevlin	Owens-Corning
J. McAllister	Baldwin-Ehret-Hill
K.M. Ritchie	Baldwin-Ehret-Hill
W. Schwingen	Ruberoid
B. Tower	Johns-Manville
J.M. Barnhart	NIMA

THERMAL CONDUCTIVITY ROUND ROBIN

An initial draft of the rewrite of ASTM C-177 will be circulated to the Subcommittee for comment.

STRESS CORROSION

It was agreed that ASTM C-16 Subcommittee T-VIII should ask review of existing methods of test for significance of details.

If the Committee can't agree on a method of test, NIMA is to request a letter ballot of T-VIII on the proposed method of test previously agreed upon by the T & R Committee

IDCNA MANUAL

After a detailed discussion by the Committee it was agreed by a vote (7-1) that only ASTM specification data be given to IDCNA, for the following reasons:

1. A significant number of test values is not available to completely establish other criteria.

2. The other categories were not considered pertinent.
3. If any further information is given, the possibility exists that certification to these requirements will have to be made by the manufacturers.

If it was further believed that no additional characteristics (physical, thermal, chemical, etc.) should be given to IDCNA.

NEXT MEETING DATE

The Committee will meet in San Francisco Calif. June 20 and 21, 1967, in conjunction with the ASTM Meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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