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As an ANSI ASD, NEBB is currently developing a Whole Building Technical Commissioning Standard and a Technical Retro-Commissioning of Existing Buildings Standard. NEBB has submitted these standards for approval as American National Standards in compliance with ANSI’s Essential Requirements.

The Whole Building Technical Commissioning Standard describes the technical commissioning procedures utilized for newly installed or retrofitted buildings technical systems. It defines the technical work procedures and technical testing processes required to facilitate fully functional systems.

The Technical Retro-Commissioning of Existing Buildings Standard describes the technical retro-commissioning procedures utilized for existing building technical systems for the improvement and optimization of Indoor Environmental Quality and Comfort and Energy and Water utility usage reduction.

**The “NEBB Standards Council” oversees the development of NEBB standards in conjunction with project subcommittees. NEBB’s current project subcommittee is [the NEBB Standards Committee](#). Members of the NEBB Standards Committee are classified by the NEBB Board of Directors as Provider, Users or General Interest representatives in accordance with the following definitions:**

Provider	User	General Interest
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An individual employed by or otherwise representing an organization that provides building systems testing and analysis services shall be classified as a Provider.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An individual employed by or otherwise representing an organization that purchase, uses or specifies building systems testing and analysis services shall be classified as a User.</li> <li>This category includes, but is not limited to, design engineers, architects, owners, builders, and mechanical contractors.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General interest members are neither Providers nor Users.</li> <li>This category includes, but is not limited to, educators, researchers, representatives of regulatory agencies, representatives of industry organizations, and manufactures of related products.</li> </ul>

The NEBB Standards Committee is established by the NEBB Board of Directors, and is the ANSI consensus body responsible for developing and maintaining standards. In accordance with the [NEBB Procedures for American National Standards](#), membership of the NEBB Standards Committees must be sufficiently diverse to ensure reasonable balance without dominance by any single interest group. Membership on NEBB standards committees is open to any person directly or indirectly affected by the standards.

**Application** – Individuals seeking membership on a NEBB standards committee must submit a written application to the NEBB Secretariat, for consideration by the NEBB Board of Directors, indicating their interest in the work of the committee and their qualifications, willingness to participate, and affiliations which might affect their classification. Applicants shall identify their interest category when applying.

**Process** – Submitted applications shall be considered by the NEBB Board of Directors, which shall accept or reject all applications. Rejected applicants shall have the right to appeal in accordance with Section 6, Appeals in the NEBB Procedures for American National Standards (See link above to access document.)

If you wish to apply for membership on the NEBB Standards Committee, please complete the [NEBB Standards Committee Volunteer Application](#) and the [NEBB Potential-Sources-of-Bias-Conflict-of-Interest Form](#) and return to the NEBB Secretariat, Tiffany J. Suite ([tiffany@nebb.org](mailto:tiffany@nebb.org)) with a current resume for consideration.

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