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ASABE ADOPTS ISO STANDARD FOR AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY SPRAYERS

ST JOSEPH, MICHIGAN— The American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE) has completed adoption of ISO 4254-6:2009, Agricultural machinery—Safety—Part 6: Sprayers and liquid fertilizer distributors.

The adoption, ANSI/ASABE AD4254-6:2009 AUG2013, Agricultural machinery—Safety—Part 6: Sprayers and liquid fertilizer distributors, clarifies the North American design practices for such equipment.

This adoption further harmonizes national and international standardization, a goal that facilitates manufacturing, safety advancements and product marketing worldwide. This standard is part of a group of nearly 40 international standards that ASABE has adopted and published for national use.

ASABE members with standards access and those with site-license privileges can access the full-text of the standard by electronic download in about a week. Location for the download is on the ASABE online Technical Library at: elibrary.asabe.org. Others can obtain a copy for a fee directly from the library or by contacting ASABE headquarters at martin@asabe.org.

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