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ASABE REVISES SLOW-MOVING VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION EMBLEM STANDARD

ST JOSEPH, MICHIGAN— The American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE) has revised its standard that identifies the requirements and applications for the slow-moving vehicle (SMV) emblem.

ANSI/ASAE S276.8 APR2016, Slow-Moving Vehicle Identification Emblem (SMV Emblem), was revised to clarify the requirement for the use of the SMV emblem on towed agricultural implements and equipment and clarify the center triangle color as nonreflective red-orange fluorescent throughout the document. This widely used emblem provides a means of identifying and communicating the relative speed of such slow-moving.

ASABE members with standards access and those with site-license privileges can access the full-text via electronic download 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 OrderStandard@asabe.org.

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