

From: [Scott Cooper](#)
To: [Emily Bremer](#)
Subject: RE: Strauss on Strauss
Date: Thursday, February 06, 2014 2:15:56 PM

Emily,

This dropped through the hole in my head...

Very late, ANSI has no hard copy. Those who know (the smart money here at ANSI), don't think ASTM or ASME do either.

Jeff Grove (jgrove@astm.org) at ASTM would also be knowledgeable...

Belatedly (and sorrowfully),
Scott

From: Emily Bremer [<mailto:ebremer@acus.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, January 30, 2014 11:07 AM
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Subject: RE: Strauss on Strauss

Thanks, I got this, too. I've only skimmed, but I suppose it's about what I expected. Love your subject line here. J

I have a quick question for you—do SDOs (or maybe ANSI) publish hard copy catalogs of their products or some other kind of price lists? In response to the paper I shared with you analyzing the costs of the standards incorporated into federal pipeline regulations, Strauss said that he expected that the affected SDOs changed their prices (either reducing them or manipulating them to reduce the monopoly pricing differential for the incorporated standards) in response to Section 24. I don't think he has any data to support this claim—it's just his assumption. I doubt it, but in a way, I'm making an assumption, too, because the pricing data I've seen is all online, and I am not aware of any pre-2011/12 hard copy source of data I can point to in rebuttal. I'd be particularly interested in a hard copy catalog of ASME or ASTM standards. Any suggestions?

Cheers,
Emily

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Fyi

From: Peter Strauss [<mailto:pls7@columbia.edu>]

Sent: Wednesday, January 29, 2014 05:35 PM
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The comments of more than 40 mostly law profs just filed in the IBR rulemaking.

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