

**SC Approval Date:** November 14, 2002

**Consensus Committee (CC) Title:**

Consensus Committee (CC) on Storm Shelters (IS-STM)

**IS-STM CC SCOPE:**

The Consensus Committee (CC) on Storm Shelters (IS-STM) shall have primary responsibility for minimum requirements to safeguard the public health, safety and general welfare through design, construction, and installation requirements for storm shelters. The requirements contained in the International Codes pertaining to these situations shall be incorporated into the standards developed by the IS-STM CC.

**TITLE OF STANDARD:**

Standard on Design, Construction and Performance of Storm Shelters

**ANSI PINS: Scope Summary or Abstract of Project:**

The objective of this Standard is to provide technical design and performance criteria that will facilitate and promote the design, construction, and installation of safe, reliable, and economical storm shelters to protect the public. It is intended that this Standard be used by design professionals, storm shelter designers, manufacturers, and constructors, building officials, emergency management personnel, and government officials to insure that storm shelters provide a consistently high level of protection to the sheltered public.