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References:

- a. MAS/176-PCS/4521 dated 9 May 1997
- b. PFP(NAAG)D(2010)0017 dated 14 July 2010 (Edition 2) -

1. The enclosed NATO Standardization Agreement, which has been ratified by nations as reflected in the NATO Standardization Document Database (NSDD), is promulgated herewith.

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ACTION BY NATIONAL STAFFS

3. National staffs are requested to examine their ratification status of the STANAG and, if they have not already done so, advise the Defence Investment Division through their national delegation as appropriate of their intention regarding its ratification and implementation.

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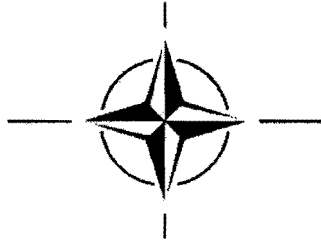
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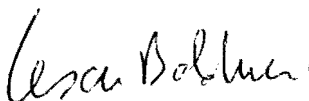
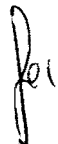


**NATO STANDARDIZATION AGENCY
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**STANDARDIZATION AGREEMENT
(STANAG)**

SUBJECT: CHEMICAL, BIOLOGICAL, RADIOLOGICAL AND NUCLEAR (CBRN)
CONTAMINATION SURVIVABILITY FACTORS IN THE DESIGN,
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RECORD OF AMENDMENTS

No.	Reference/Date of amendment	Date entered	Signature

EXPLANATORY NOTES

AGREEMENT

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2. No departure may be made from the agreement without informing the tasking authority in the form of a reservation. Nations may propose changes at any time to the tasking authority where they will be processed in the same manner as the original agreement.
3. Ratifying nations have agreed that national orders, manuals and instructions implementing this STANAG will include a reference to the STANAG number for purposes of identification.

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Related documents:

AJP-3.8	ALLIED JOINT DOCTRINE FOR NBC DEFENCE
ATP-3.8.1 VOLUME I	CBRN DEFENCE ON OPERATIONS

AIM

1. The aim of this agreement is to register national acceptance of AEP-7 Edition 5.

AGREEMENT

2. Participating nations agree to use AEP-7 Edition 5.
3. Changes to AEP-7 Edition 5 will be incorporated into the publication and will be accepted as part of it, provided they have been formally offered by AC/225(JCGCBRN) to national authorities concerned and have been agreed by them.

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