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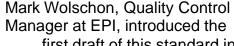
Standards Worldwide

ASTM International has recently published the newest standard specification for strength and

continuity testing of PVC thermal welds. ASTM D 7177

Standard Specification for Air Channel Evaluation

of Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Dual Track Seamed Geomembranes received final review and



first draft of this standard in June of 2003. Mark has worked diligently on behalf of the PVC industry to see this specification standard become a reality. His persistence and perseverance are highly

regarded by all of us at EPI. The final standard will benefit many owners and end users to insure that all PVC installations are done to the highest quality



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Adobe Acrobat Adobe Reader approval at the ASTM summer meeting last June in Reno, Nevada. ASTM International Technical Committee D35 on Geosynthetics granted final authorization for addition of this specification to the ASTM Standards.



standard. ASTM D 7177 is now available online from ASTM International at

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and its methods are incorporated in the EPI Quality Control Manual as well as the CSI format PVC specification available from EPI.

If you have any questions, please contact Dan Rohe or Mark Wolschon at EPI, or phone toll free 800-OK-LINER.