

Dear Senators Nichols, Zito, Semmelroth, and
Representatives Raymond, Shirts, Mathias:

The Legislative Services Office, Research and Legislation, has received the enclosed rules of the Department of Agriculture:
IDAPA 02.02.14 - Rules for Weights and Measures-Proposed Rule (Docket No. 02-0214-2601).

Pursuant to Section 67-454, Idaho Code, a meeting on the enclosed rules may be called by the cochairmen or by two (2) or more members of the subcommittee giving oral or written notice to Research and Legislation no later than fourteen (14) days after receipt of the rules' analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to call a meeting on the enclosed rules is no later than 11/09/2026. If a meeting is called, the subcommittee must hold the meeting within forty-two (42) days of receipt of the rules' analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to hold a meeting on the enclosed rules is 12/07/2026.

The germane joint subcommittee may request a statement of economic impact with respect to a proposed rule by notifying Research and Legislation. There is no time limit on requesting this statement, and it may be requested whether or not a meeting on the proposed rule is called or after a meeting has been held.

To notify Research and Legislation, call 334-4854, or send a written request to the address on the memorandum attached below.



Terri Kondeff
Director

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Agricultural Affairs Committee and the House Agricultural Affairs Committee

FROM: Legislative Drafting Attorney - Alli Olson

DATE: October 22, 2026

SUBJECT: Department of Agriculture

IDAPA 02.02.14 - Rules for Weights and Measures-Proposed Rule (Docket No. 02-0214-2601)

Summary and Stated Reasons for the Rule

The Idaho Department of Agriculture submits notice of proposed rulemaking for the Rules for Weights and Measures, IDAPA 02.02.14. ISDA states that purpose of the rulemaking is to stabilize and match the fee structure to the current real costs of the weights and measures program. The Department states that the weights and measures program is responsible for ensuring compliance with the requirements and standards found in the authorizing statutes to ensure consistency and accuracy in the weights and measuring devices found throughout everyday commerce in Idaho. It goes on to state the program is currently operating with the same number of full-time positions as it did in 1979 while the number of devices inspected has increased by over 30,000 in fiscal year 2025 as compared to 1979, and that the program's fees are 66% below the national average.

Negotiated Rulemaking / Fiscal Impact

ISDA states that negotiated rulemaking was conducted and notice was published in the July 1, 2026, Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Vol. 26-7, pages 39-40.

The Department states that it anticipates the fee structure will generate \$747,000 for the weights and measures dedicated fund.

Statutory Authority

The Department appears to have the authority to promulgate this rule pursuant to sections 71-111, 71-121, 71-232, 71-233, 71-236, 71-241, 71-408, Idaho Code.

cc: Department of Agriculture
Lloyd Knight

*** PLEASE NOTE ***

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Per the Idaho Constitution, all administrative rules may be reviewed by the Legislature during the next legislative session. The Legislature has 3 options with this rulemaking docket: **1)** Approve the docket in its entirety; **2)** Reject the docket in its entirety; or **3)** Reject the docket in part.

IDAPA 02 – IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

02.02.14 – RULES FOR WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

DOCKET NO. 02-0214-2601 (FEE RULE)

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING – PROPOSED RULE

AUTHORITY: In compliance with Section [67-5221\(1\)](#), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections [71-111](#), [71-121](#), [71-232](#), [71-233](#), [71-236](#), [71-241](#), and [71-408](#), Idaho Code.

PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE: A public hearing concerning this rulemaking will be held as follows:

Tuesday, October 20, 2026 2:00 p.m. (MT)
In Person: Idaho State Department of Agriculture 2270 Old Penitentiary Road, Boise, ID 83712 Virtual: https://teams.microsoft.com Meeting ID: 297 181 480 671 334 Passcode: Mg3uv6om Dial in by phone +1 208-985-2810,,477151912# United States, Boise Find a local number Phone conference ID: 477 151 912# Join on a video conferencing device Tenant key: idahogov@m.webex.com Video ID: 113 371 689 0

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The scope of this rulemaking will focus on the fee structures contained within this rule chapter. The Weights and Measures program is responsible for ensuring compliance with the requirements and standards found in the authorizing statutes to ensure consistency and accuracy in the weights and measuring devices found throughout everyday commerce in Idaho. Such devices include fuel pumps and scales used to measure and distribute goods.

The program is currently operating with the same number of full-time positions as it did in 1979. Program staff inspected 7,700 devices in 1979, and that number has increased to over 38,000 devices in FY2025. The current fees are 66% below the national average, generating \$535,000 in annual revenue. The fee structure needs to be stabilized and matched to the current real costs of the program, which include personnel costs and capital replacement of specialized equipment and vehicles necessary to implement the program.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: Proposed increases on devices and metrology fees are intended to match inflation since the last fee increase, which occurred decades ago. The specific increases are described in Tables 1-A, 1-B and Sections 015, 016, 100 and 450 of the proposed rule.

FISCAL IMPACT: The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking:

Based off recent trends of licensing data the Department anticipates the revenue generated from the fee increases to add an estimated \$747,00.00 to the weights and measures dedicated fund. These funds will be used to fund the capital replacement and maintenance of specialized equipment, lab testing, vehicles, as well as the personnel that operate the equipment necessary to perform annual tests and inspections for accuracy on over 38,000 scales and measuring devices used in commerce throughout the state.

NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING: Pursuant to Section [67-5220\(1\)](#), Idaho Code, negotiated rulemaking was conducted. The Notice of Intent to Promulgate Rules - Negotiated Rulemaking was published in the July 1, 2026 Idaho Administrative Bulletin, [Vol. 26-7, page 39-40](#).

INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE: Pursuant to Section [67-5229\(2\)\(a\)](#), Idaho Code, the following is a brief synopsis of why the materials cited are being incorporated by reference into this rule:

The referenced NIST Handbook 44 and Handbook No. 133 have been updated to the 2026 edition.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Dr. Scott Leibsle, Administrator – Division of Animal Industries at (208) 332-8614.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 28, 2026.

DATED this 27th day of August, 2026.

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THE FOLLOWING IS THE PROPOSED TEXT OF FEE DOCKET NO. 02-0214-2601
(Only Those Sections With Amendments Are Shown.)

02.02.14 – RULES FOR WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.

01. Required Reference Materials. The [2025⁶](#) edition of Handbook No. 130 of the National Institute of Standards and Technology ([NIST](#)), United States Department of Commerce, “Uniform Laws and Regulations in the Areas of Legal Metrology and Fuel Quality,” and [NIST Handbook 44](#) “Specifications, Tolerances, and Other Technical Requirements for Weighing and Measuring Devices,” (Published December, 2024⁵) hereby incorporated by reference, is the specifications, tolerances and other technical requirements for commercial weighing and

measuring devices, unless otherwise stated in these rules.

(7-1-26)()

02. **Required Reference Materials for Checking Prepackaged Commodities.** The 2025⁶ edition of Handbook No. 133 of the National Institute of Standards and Technology, United States Department of Commerce, “Checking the Net Contents of Packaged Goods,” (Published ~~January 10~~ December, 2025) hereby incorporated by reference, is the authority in checking packaged commodities, unless otherwise stated in these rules. (7-1-26)()

(BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

012. LICENSE REQUIRED FOR COMMERCIALY-USED WEIGHING OR MEASURING INSTRUMENT OR DEVICE.

Weighing or measuring instruments or devices used for commercial purposes in the State of Idaho must be licensed annually. (3-15-22)

01. **Annual License.** No person may operate or use for commercial purposes within the state any weighing or measuring instrument or device specified in Section 71-113, Idaho Code, that is not licensed in accordance with this rule. (7-1-26)

02. **Specific Device.** Any license issued applies only to the instrument or device identified by Device Code, as listed in TABLE 1-A, and rated capacity on the application for license. ~~The license is applicable to an equivalent replacement for the original instrument or device, within the annual license period.~~ (3-15-22)()

(BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

015. LICENSE RENEWALS.

Any device or instrument will be considered rejected if the license for that device or instrument is not renewed thirty (30) days after expiration. A person failing to pay the annual license fee after forty-five (45) days following the expiration date, forfeits the right to use the instrument or device for commercial purposes, and ~~the~~ may result in the issuing of a stop-use order for the instrument or device ~~may be taken out of service~~ by the ISDA ~~Bureau of Weights and Measures (Bureau)~~ until the license fee and a twenty-five dollar (\$25) late fee per device is paid. (7-1-26)()

016. MAXIMUM AND MINIMUM LICENSE FEE SCHEDULE FOR COMMERCIALY-USED WEIGHING AND MEASURING INSTRUMENTS AND DEVICES.

The annual license fee for instruments and devices is based on manufacturer’s rated capacity. The minimum annual license fee for commercially used instrument and device types is ~~twelve~~ one hundred twenty dollars (\$120) ~~when licensing a single device to cover the cost of device inspection.~~

TABLE 1-A <u>DEVICE FEES</u>		
DEVICE CODE	KEY	FEE- (Not to Exceed)
A	Scales ≤ 50 lbs	\$ ~~6~~ <u>20</u> .00
B	Scales > 50 ≤ 1,159 lbs	\$ ~~12~~ <u>30</u> .00
C	Scales ≥ 1,160 ≤ 7,499 lbs	\$ ~~24~~ <u>50</u> .00
D	Scales ≥ 7,500 ≤ 59,999 lbs	\$ ~~100~~ <u>175</u> .00
E & F	Scales 60,000 lbs or more	\$ ~~100~~ <u>175</u> .00
G	Motor-fuel device < 20 gpm	\$ ~~6~~ <u>20</u> .00
H	Meter ≥ 30 < 150 gpm	\$ ~~33~~ <u>50</u> .00

TABLE 1-A <u>DEVICE FEES</u>		
DEVICE CODE	KEY	FEE- (Not to Exceed)
I	Meter ≥ 150 gpm	~~\$40~~ 65.00
J	~~LPG dispenser~~	~~\$40.00~~
~~J~~ K & L	LPG temperature compensated	~~\$60~~ 80.00
M	Cordage or Fabric meters	~~\$5~~ 20.00
N	Natural gas motor fuel devices	~~\$60~~ 75.00
O	Bulk oil meter	~~\$35~~ 50.00
P	Meter > 20 ≤ 30 gpm or fuel additive metering devices	~~\$10~~ 20.00

TABLE 1-B METROLOGY LAB FEES		
<u>WEIGHT CLASS</u>	<u>KEY</u>	<u>FEE</u> (Not to Exceed)
<u>2, 3, S1, F1, F2</u>	<u>Weights 0-5 kg / 0-10 lbs and > 5 kg / > 10 lbs</u>	<u>\$50.00 each</u>
	<u>Weights > 5 kg / > 10 lbs</u>	<u>\$80.00 each</u>
<u>1, E1, E2, M, S</u>	<u>Weights 0-3 kg / 5 lbs and > 3 kg / > 5 lbs</u>	<u>\$60.00 each</u>
	<u>Weights > 3 kg / > 5 lbs</u>	<u>\$200.00 each</u>
<u>M1, M2, M3, 4, 5, 6, 7, F, P, Q, T</u>	<u>Weights 0-3 kg / 9 lbs</u>	<u>\$20.00 each</u>
	<u>Weights 4 kg / 10-160 lbs</u>	<u>\$60.00 each</u>
	<u>161 lbs – 3000 lbs</u>	<u>\$150.00 each</u>
	<u>Weight Carts</u>	<u>\$250.00 each</u>
	<u>Provers <100 gal</u>	<u>\$750.00 each</u>
	<u>Provers >100 gal</u>	<u>\$1000.00 each</u>
	<u>5 gal Test Measures</u>	<u>\$80.00 each</u>
	<u>Hourly Rate (Minimum of one hour)</u>	<u>\$175.00/hour</u>
REGISTERED SERVICE PERSON FEES		
	<u>Registered Service Person License Fee</u>	<u>\$150.00 each</u>

(3-15-22)()

017. VOLUNTARY INSPECTION OF WEIGHING AND MEASURING INSTRUMENTS ~~AND~~ DEVICES, RE-EXAMINATION OF REJECTED DEVICES, AND FEES.

In addition to commercially used weighing and measuring instruments and devices, the ~~Bureau~~ ISDA, at the request of an owner or user thereof, may inspect and test non-commercial weighing or measuring instruments or devices to ascertain if they are correct. Any entity making such special request, or a re-examination of a rejected device, must pay the ~~Bureau~~ ISDA the cost of the inspection as listed in Section 016 and 100. (7-1-26)()

(BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

100. CHARGES FOR SPECIAL REQUEST TESTING ~~OR~~ EXAMINATION, OR RE-EXAMINATION.

01. Mileage Charges. (3-15-22)

a. Current state mileage rate for car travel. (7-1-26)

b. ~~Seventy~~Ninety-five cents (\$.795) a mile for pickup and prover. (3-15-22)()

c. Two dollars and ~~fifty~~ seventy-five cents (\$2.5075) a mile for heavy capacity scale trucks. (3-15-22)()

02. **Fee Collection.** Such fees will be collected to and from ~~place where working and back~~ staff assigned workstation. Where more than one (1) request is to be handled on same trip, the mileage will be prorated between the parties requesting the service. (3-15-22)()

03. **Personnel Charges.** There will also be an hourly personnel charge of ~~thirty~~ fifty dollars (\$3050) per hour per person for special request testing, chargeable during the time of the actual testing and examination of devices and for driving time. (3-15-22)()

101. -- ~~99~~49. (RESERVED)

450. LICENSES FOR SERVICE PERSONS FOR COMMERCIAL WEIGHING AND MEASURING DEVICES.

01. **Application.** A registered service person must apply for a license on a form prescribed by the Department. ()

a. The ISDA reserves the right to deny any application for a license. ()

02. **Annual Application Period and Fees.** Registered service persons must have a license in place in order to place a commercial device into service. All licenses, regardless of when issued, expire December 31 of the license year. Applications must be complete and include a non-refundable application fee according to Section 016 of these rules. ()

a. The application period is November 1 through December 31 of each year for the next calendar year. a late fee of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) will be applied to each late license application for previously licensed registered service persons. ()

03. **Application Approval.** An applicant will be notified when the application has been approved or denied. Upon notification of approval of a license application, the applicant must remit to the ISDA the appropriate license fees according to Section 016 of these rules. Upon receipt of payment of the license fee, the license will be issued. ()

04. **License Not Transferable.** All licenses are non-transferable. ()

05. **Registered Service Person License.** A licensed registered service person authorizes an individual person to place into service any commercial weighing and measuring devices. ()

06. **NTEP.** National Type Evaluation Program. ()

07. **Placed Into Service.** The placement of a new NTEP device into commercial use or placing an NTEP device back into commercial use after being rejected by the ISDA. ()

08. **Ineligibility.** No license will be issued to an ineligible person. ()

a. A person who does not possess valid equipment necessary to certify commercial weighing and measuring devices. ()

b. A person who materially falsifies any information contained in a license application to the ISDA, or submits an application to the ISDA with any materially false statements or misrepresentations, is ineligible for a license. ()

09. **License Expiration.** A license is valid from January 1 until December 31 of each year, except for a license issued as a result of a late application, which is valid from date of issuance until December 31 of that year. ()

10. **Additional Responsibilities.** Registered service person must possess the appropriate certifications and equipment. ()

a. At the time of applying, the registered service person must provide a copy of all intended equipment to be used by the licensee. The equipment certification date must not exceed more than two (2) years at the time of applying. ()

11. **Suspension or Revocation of a License.** A registered service person's license may be suspended or revoked if the licensee violates the following three (3) times within a one (1) year period: ()

a. If the registered service person is found to be without acceptable equipment. ()

b. If the registered service person is found to negligently certify and place equipment into service. ()

c. If the registered service person places devices into service that are found to be significantly out of tolerance. ()

d. If the registered service person places a non-NTEP device into service. ()

e. A registered service person with a suspended license will be ineligible to obtain a license for a period of one (1) year from the date of the third violation. ()

f. A registered service person with three (3) suspended licenses over a three-year period may be ineligible for a future license. ()

12. **Violations.** Violations may include: ()

a. Any licensee found to exceed three (3) suspended licenses over a three-year period. ()

b. Any person who violates or fails to comply with the rules promulgated under this chapter may be assessed a civil penalty by the ISDA or its duly authorized agent of not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for each offense and shall be liable for reasonable attorney's fees. Assessment of a civil penalty may be made in conjunction with any other ISDA administrative action. A political subdivision of the state may request the county prosecuting attorney to bring a civil action to enforce these rules. ()

451. -- 649. (RESERVED)

650. **RURAL FUEL EXEMPTION.** Exemptions. Fuel dispensers located in a rural area may request an exemption. Devices for consideration must be licensed, but shall not be required to have an active Certificate of Conformance; these devices must have had an active Certificate of Conformance at one time and meet the required tolerance for the device. ()

651. -- 999. (RESERVED)

PROPOSED RULE COST/BENEFIT ANALYSIS

Section 67-5223(3), Idaho Code, requires the preparation of an economic impact statement for all proposed rules imposing or increasing fees or charges. This cost/benefit analysis, which must be filed with the proposed rule, must include the reasonably estimated costs to the agency to implement the rule and the reasonably estimated costs to be borne by citizens, or the private sector, or both.

Department or Agency: AGRICULTURE_____

Agency Contact: Dr. Scott Leibsle_____ **Phone:** 208.332.8614_____

Date: 9.10.26_____

IDAPA, Chapter and Title Number and Chapter Name:

[IDAPA 02.02.14 – Rules for Weights and Measures](#)_____

Fee Rule Status: ☒ **Proposed** ☐ **Temporary**

Rulemaking Docket Number: 02-0214-2601_____

STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC IMPACT:

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INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE SYNOPSIS

In compliance with Section 67-5223(4), Idaho Code, the following is a synopsis of the differences between the materials previously incorporated by reference in this rule that are currently of full force and effect and newly revised or amended versions of these same materials that are being proposed for incorporation by reference under this rulemaking.

The following agency of the state of Idaho has prepared this synopsis as part of the proposed rulemaking for the chapter cited here under the docket number specified:

***Idaho State Department of Agriculture
IDAPA 02.02.14 - Rules for Weights and Measures.
Proposed Rulemaking - Docket No. 02-0214-2601***

Incorporating by reference the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) Handbook 44, Specifications, Tolerances, and Other Technical Requirements for Weighing and Measuring Devices is more practical and cost effective than reproducing similar specifications in Rule. The NIST Handbook 44 is a nationally recognized standard used by weights and measures officials to test suitability and accuracy of weighing and measuring devices used in commerce. This document is also used by manufacturers of weighing and measuring devices, service entities and users of weighing and measuring devices. Adopting the most current version promotes uniformity throughout the United States. The 2026 edition can be found online at the following link; <https://www.nist.gov/system/files/documents/2025/12/30/0-01-title-26-HB44-20251222.pdf>

Listed below is an overview of changes to the 2026 edition of NIST Handbook 44 Incorporation by Reference by ISDA Weights and Measures. A brief summary follows each change, or group of related changes.

NIST HB44 2025 Amendments

Section	Code	S&T Item No.	Paragraph	Action	Page
2.20.	Scales	SCL-25.4	S.1.2.2.2. Class III, III L, and IIII Scales	Amended	2-9
			S.1.2.2.2.2. Weight Classifiers	Amended	2-9
			Table S.6.3.b. Notes for Table S.6.3.a. Marking Requirements, Note 4. (b)	Amended	2-25

		SCL-25.2	Table S.6.3.a. Marking Requirements, Minimum Verification Scale Division ($e_{\min}$)	Amended	2-24
		SCL-25.5	T.N.2.4. Multi-Interval and Multiple Range (Variable Division-Value) Scales	Amended	2-44
2.24	Automatic Weighing Systems Code	AWS-24.1	N.1.5. Test Loads	Amended	2-111
			N.1.5.1. Initial Verification	Added	2-111
			Table N.1.5. Test Loads	Amended	2-111
			N.1.5.2. Subsequent Verification	Added	2-112
			N.2. Test Procedures -Weigh-Labelers	Amended	2-112
			N.2.1. Non-Automatic Tests	Amended	2-112
			N.2.1.3. Shift Test	Amended	2-112
			N.2.2.1. Tests Non-Automatic	Amended	2-112
			N.2.2.2. Automatic Tests	Amended	2-112
			N.3. Test Procedures -Automatic Checkweigher	Deleted	2-113
			Table N.3.2. Number of Sample Weights per Test for Automatic Checkweighers	Amended	2-113
Appendix D.	Definitions	SCL-25.4	weight classifier	Amended	D-38
		SCL-25.2	$e_{\min}$ (minimum verification scale division)	Amended	D-15
			$e_{\min}$ (minimum verification scale Interval)	Added	D-15

NIST HB44 2025 Summary of Changes

Section	Code	Paragraph	Action	Impact to Idaho	Summary
2.20.	Scales	S.1.2.2.2. Class III, III L, and IIII Scales	Amended	Minimal	Removed wording “and weight classifiers”
		S.1.2.2.2.2. Weight Classifiers	Amended	Minimal	Removed wording “or less than”
		Table S.6.3.b. Notes for Table S.6.3.a. Marking Requirements, Note 4. (b)	Amended	Minimal	Removed wording (or a weight classifier marked for special use”

		Table S.6.3.a. Marking Requirements, Minimum Verification Scale Division (e_{min})	Amended	None	Replaced Scale Division with (Scale Interval)
		T.N.2.4. Multi-Interval and Multiple Range (Variable Division-Value) Scales	Amended	None	Replaced the scale division with “verification scale interval”
2.24	Automatic Weighing Systems Code	N.1.5. Test Loads	Amended		
		N.1.5.1. Initial Verification	Added	None	An initial verification test shall be conducted at a minimum of four different test loads according to Table N.1.5.1
		Table N.1.5. Test Loads	Amended	None	Added words “Initial Verification” to table title
		N.1.5.2. Subsequent Verification	Added	Minimal	Subsequent Verification at a minimum of two different test loads at or near the minimum load and the maximum load expected during normal operation.
		N.2. Test Procedures - Weigh-Labelers	Amended	Not applicable/ID does not test these devices	The device shall be tested at the normal operating speed using test pucks or packages.
		N.2.1. Non-Automatic Tests	Amended	Minimal	-if weighing system is designed to operate non-automatically and used in that manner during normal operation, it shall be tested non-automatically. The device shall not be tested non-automatically if it is used only in the automatic mode.
		N.2.1.3. Shift Test	Amended	Minimal	Replaced $\frac{1}{2}$ with “ $\frac{1}{3}$ ”
		N.2.2.1. Tests Non-Automatic	Amended	Not Applicable	

		N.2.2.2. Automatic Tests	Amended	Not Applicable	
		N.3. Test Procedures - Automatic Checkweigher	Deleted	Not Applicable	
		Table N.3.2. Number of Sample Weights per Test for Automatic Checkweighers	Amended	Not Applicable	
Appendix D.	Definitions	weight classifier	Amended	None	Replaced division with “interval” Removed text “These scales usually have a verification scale interval ϵ that is smaller than the displayed scale division (d).”
		e_{min} (minimum verification scale division)	Amended	None	Removed 2.20 and 2.32 references
		e_{min} (minimum verification scale Interval)	Added	Minimal	Added “The smallest verification scale interval for which a weighing element complies with the applicable requirements.”

NIST HB44 2025 Editorial Changes

Section	Code	Paragraph	Action	Page
2.20.	Scales	S.1.11.1. Devices and Systems Adjusted Using a Removable Digital Storage Device.	Added a designation after the paragraph “(added 2019)” to identify the date it was added to the handbook.	2-14
		<i>Table 3. Parameters for Accuracy Classes</i>	Corrected footnote references for Class III and III L devices under the U.S. Customary Units section of the table. The footnote reference for Class III was changed to “4” from “5”. The footnote reference for Class III L was changed to “2” from “3”.	2-22
		<i>UR.2.10. Primary Indicating Elements Provided by the User.</i>	Changed the title font of UR.2.10. from upright roman type to italic type and corrected the reference to the sub-paragraph of S.1.1.1. from “(c)” to “(d)”.	2-54

Section	Code	Paragraph	Action	Page
2.23.	Weights	S.2.1. Surface.	Removed the second “or” in the second sentence of the paragraph to make the sentence grammatically correct and to read as: “A weight of more than 2 grams or 30 grains shall not have sharp edges, points, or corners.	2-95
3.31.	Vehicle-Tank Meters	Table 1. Accuracy Classes and Tolerances for Vehicle-Tank Meters Other Than Vehicle-Mounted Milk Meters	Reformatted the overregistration tolerance for Accuracy Class 1.5 Water to be consistent with the other cells in the table.	3-41
Appendix A: Fundamental Considerations	4. Inspection of Commercial Equipment	4.1. Inspection Versus Testing.	Added the word “the” between the words “of” and “value” in the second-to-last sentence to read: “The term testing may then be limited to those operations carried out to determine the accuracy of the value or performance of the equipment under examination by comparison with the actual physical standards of the official.”	A-6
Appendix C: General Tables of Units of Measurement	1. Tables of Metric Units of Measurement		Added terms and numbers to further describe the prefixes for multiples and subdivisions in the first paragraph of “1. Tables of Metric Units of Measurement”.	C-3
			Added four new SI prefixes. Two for forming multiples: ronna and quetta. Two for forming submultiples: ronto and quecto.	C-3
	Entire Appendix C.		Nonbreaking spaces inserted, following the SP 811 SI symbol writing style.	C-3
			Formatting updated following NIST SP 811 section 10.5.3 grouping digits style.	C-3

Incorporating by reference the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) Handbook 130, Uniform Laws and Regulations in the Areas of Legal Metrology and Fuel Quality is more practical and cost-effective than reproducing similar specifications in Rule. The NIST Handbook 130 is a nationally recognized standard used by weights and measures officials. This document includes a compilation of model laws and regulations and related interpretations and guidelines designed to encourage uniformity in the adoption and implementation of weights and measures laws and regulations. Adopting the most current version promotes uniformity

throughout the United States. The 2026 edition can be found online at the following link;
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		7.1.1. Premium Diesel	Deleted	209
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B. Uniform Regulation for the Method of Sale of Commodities	2.21.2. Metered Sales by Liquid Volume, (c)	Amended	Minimal	The January 2030 deadline for temperature compensation on all metered sales is now extended to January 2034.
	2.39.2 Premium Diesel Fuel, (b)	Note Added	Minimal	When Cloud Point determinations are made, ASTM D2500. "Standard Test Method for Cloud Point of Petroleum Products and Liquid Fuels" is the referee method.
	1.7.1. Ice Cream and Similar Frozen	Amended	None	Text change from "Factory Packaged Ice Cream and Similar Frozen Products" to "Ice Cream, Ice Pops, and Similar Frozen Novelties."
F. Uniform Fuels and Automotive Lubricants Regulation	7.1. ASTM Standard Test Methods	Amended	Minimal	Added "or as otherwise specified in these regulations"
	7.1.1. Premium Diesel	Deleted	Minimal	removed
	7.2.2. Reproducibility	Amended	None	Revised to indicate section 7.2.1 instead of section 2.2.1

	2.2.1. Premium Diesel Fuel, (b)	Note Added	Minimal	When Cloud Point determinations are made, ASTM D2500. "Standard Test Method for Cloud Point of Petroleum Products and Liquid Fuels" is the referee method.
	3.11.2.1.4 Identification of Grade	Added	Minimal	Each retail dispenser of CNG shall be labeled with an identification of the grade of the product as identified in the latest version of ASTM D8080.
	3.12.2.4. Identification of Grade	Added	Minimal	Each retail dispenser of LNG shall be labeled with an identification of the grade of the product as identified in the latest version of ASTM D8080.

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B. Uniform Regulation for the Method of Sale of Commodities	Section 2 Non-Food Products	Deleted the word ' ~~or~~ ' in Section 2.33.4. Street Sign Prices and Other Advertisements.	141

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Chapter 3. Test Procedures – For Packages Labeled by Volume	Figure 3-5. Height Measurement	Moved Figure 3-5 as it was referenced on the previous page.	71
	Figure 3-6. “Width Measurement	Added the callout of Figure 3-6.	71
	3.1.4.2. Test Procedure. a. Boxed firewood, Step 7	Added parentheses around 1 000 000 in Volume in liters example. The note in step 7, should say 1 liter = 1 000 000 mm ³ . The metric example should be first and then the cubic foot.	97
	Figure 3-15a and 3-15b. Firewood Bundle and Bag	Added the callout of Figure 3-15a and 3-15b.	102
	3.14.4. Test Procedure - Bundled and Bagged Firewood, Step 4	Updated note in step 4, to say 1 liter = 1 000 cm ³ . The metric example should be first and then the cubic foot.	107
	3.9.1.1. and 3.15.1. Test Equipment, Rigid Rules	Remove the word "Starrett"	108
	Table 3- 7. Recommended Chute Dimensions	Added the callout of Table 3- 7.	108
Chapter 4. Test Procedures – Packages Labeled by Count, Linear Measure, Area, Thickness, and Combinations of Quantities	4.9.2. Test Procedure, Step 8	Updated notation to describe values.	148
Appendix C. Model Inspection Report Forms	Random Package Report – Example	Change the comma in the words product description - lot code - unit price.	202

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Appendix E. General Tables of Units of Measurement	1. Tables of Metric Units of Measurement	Added digits to the prefixes for the decimal/subunits.	235
		Added four new SI prefixes. Two for forming multiples: ronna and quetta. Two forming submultiples: ronto and quecto.	235
	Entire Appendix E.	Nonbreaking spaces inserted, following the SP 811 SI symbol writing style.	235
		Formatting updated following NIST SP 811 section 10.5.3 grouping digits style.	235

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