Pursuant to Section 5 of the NFPA Regulations Governing the Development of NFPA Standards, the National Fire Protection Association has issued the following Tentative Interim Amendment to NFPA 484, Standard for Combustible Metals, 2022 edition. The TIA was processed by the Technical Committee on Combustible Metals and Metal Dusts, and the Correlating Committee on Combustible Dusts, and was issued by the Standards Council on April 12, 2022, with an effective date of May 2, 2022.

1. Revise A.3.3.44 to read as follows:

A.3.3.44 Ignitible Fibers/Flyings. …

In this document, the zone classification system does not address ignitible fibers/flyings as a fire hazard in a layer, which is not addressed in the IEC zone system (see IEC 60079-10-2, Explosive atmospheres — Part 10-2: Classification of areas — Explosive dust atmospheres). Where these are present, the user should consider installation in accordance with Article 503 of NFPA 70. [499, 2021]