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### 2021

- 7 - 8 and 14 - 15 September - PrefabAUS 2021 Conference - [Virtual event](#)
- 10 September - Be Summit Melbourne - [virtual event](#)
- 11 - 13 October - DesignBuild Reimagined - ICC Sydney - [cancelled](#)
- 8 - 9 November - 2021 Backflow Prevention Conference - [Hellenic Club Canberra](#)
- 10 November - PPI Group Annual General Meeting - Zoom meeting - [contact Mr Stuart Henry](#)
- 26 November - Plumbing and Fire Industry Awards - [Crown Palladium VIC](#)

### 2022

- 10 - 12 May - DesignBuild Reimagined - [Melbourne Convention & Exhibition Centre](#)
- 1 - 2 June - Sydney Build Expo - [ICC Sydney](#)
- 3 - 10 October - 24th ICID International Congress - [Adelaide](#)

### 2023

- 13-17 March - ISH - [Frankfurt Fair and Exhibition](#)



## **PPI Group's submission on Draft NCC 2022 Amendment on lead levels in plumbing products**

A copy of this submission by PPI Group on the Draft NCC 2022 Amendment on lead levels in plumbing products, dated 7 July 2021, is available in the members area of the PPI Group website.

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## **PPI Group's supplementary submission on Draft NCC 2022 Amendment on lead levels in plumbing products**

A copy of this supplementary submission by PPI Group on ABCB project proposal to expand and revise the testing regime in AS/NZS 4040, dated 9 July 2021, is available in the members area of the PPI Group website.

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## **Minutes PPI Group's General Meeting 14 April 2021**

PPI Group's General Meeting minutes from 14 August 2021 are now available in the members area on the PPI Group website.

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## **Proposal to amend copper and copper alloy standards AS 1156, AS/NZS 1567, AS 1568, AS 1572 and AS 2738.**

PPI Group submitted a proposal to amend AS 1156, AS/NZS 1567, AS 1568, AS 1572 and AS 2738 to cater for low lead products, which standards are roughly 20 years out of date. Standards Australia advised that the kick-off meeting for the MT-002 Committee, with PPI Group representative Michael Moriarty, will most likely be held mid September 2021. More on this in the next Annual General Meeting on 10 November 2021.

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## **Simplifying WELS products registration on the cards**

PPI Group is pleased to inform that WELS have listened to PPI Group members' issues regarding the registration process of products, particular in respect to variants. From the 15 September 2021 a registrant will be able to apply to register or renew variants at the same time as the parent WELS product. There will be no requirement to provide a variant product image. Variant information will be recorded on the parent WELS product certificate.

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## **NCC 2022 public comment draft (stage 2) consultation now open**

The ABCB is now seeking comment on proposed amendments to energy efficiency and condensation technical provisions, for possible inclusion in National Construction Code (NCC)2022. Responses to this final stage are invited until **17 October 2021**. A copy of the Stakeholder Communication Pack NCC 2022 public comment draft (stage2) has been uploaded to the members area on the PPI Group website. Please login and click on ABCB to upload a copy.

**HAVE YOUR SAY**



## **WaterMark Technical Specification for public comment WMTS 534**

WMTS 534 Metallic pressure differential bypass valves used in heated water systems. Once published this Specification is intended to be adopted within the WaterMark Certification Scheme to enable certification of metallic pressure differential bypass valves used in heated water systems. **Comment closing: 7 September 2021.**

**SUBMIT YOUR COMMENT WMTS 534 HERE**



## **WaterMark Technical Specification for public comment WMTS 531**

WMTS 531 Commercial catering appliances. The development of this new Technical Specification has been deemed necessary as many commercial catering appliances have been certified under existing product

specifications such as WMTS 101, 104, or 105. **Comment closing: 29 September 2021.**

**[SUBMIT YOUR COMMENT WMTS 531 HERE](#)**



### **Expression of interest for new PPI Group's Special Interest Group (SIG): Gas Sector Products**

The PPI Group Board of Management has agreed to create a new SIG for gas sector products and is seeking expression of interest from members to participate in this working group.

**[PLEASE EXPRESS YOUR INTEREST HERE](#)**



### **Study ranks PVC preferred material for US water projects**

The AIM survey brought in 239 individuals from across the U.S. in spring 2021 with the objective of learning more about the market's satisfaction with PVC pipe and gain a better understanding of specification involvement by audiences on pipe material in water infrastructure projects.

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## Position Statement on Building Information Modelling and Digital Engineering Education

The Position Statement articulates and promotes education and training standards that drive high-quality consistent digital delivery education in Australia by integrating and aligning with national and international standards and keeping pace with emerging capabilities.

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