Consensus Standards Development Board Proposed Tentative Interim Amendment #3. April, 2009

a. the section(s) of the standard that should be amended;

V2M2 5.1.2, V2M2 5.2.1 c), V2M2 7.3 d)

b. the rationale for the Tentative Interim Amendment:

The TIA will correct an implementation problem that was discovered during LASC review.

c. the factor(s) that would determine whether the amendment qualifies as a Tentative Interim Amendment:

The language in these sections conflicts with other language in related PT modules.

- d. the proposed change to the standard, including suggested wording is as follows:
 - Section 5.1.2: The Primary AB shall require that the PT samples for initial accreditation be obtained from any PTPA-accredited PT provider as part of a TNI-compliant PT study, unless there are not any PTPA-accredited PTP for the FoPT in which case the PT sample may be purchased from any PTP and the AB shall accept the results from the PTP selected by the laboratory.
 - Section 5.2.1 c): The laboratories obtain PT samples from any PTPA accredited PTP unless there are not any PTPA-accredited PTP for the FoPT in which case the PT sample may be purchased from any PTP and the AB shall accept the results from the PTP selected by the laboratory.

Section 7.3 d): the laboratory submits analytical results for a FoPT from a PT provider that is not accredited by the PTPA unless there are not any PTPA-accredited PTP for the FoPT in which case the PT sample may be purchased from any PTP and the AB shall accept the results from the PTP selected by the laboratory.