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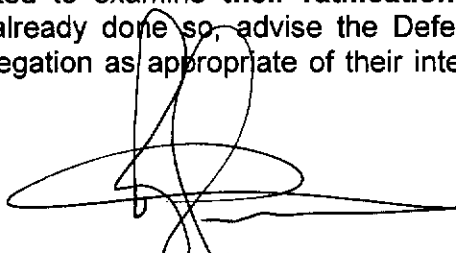
**STANAG 4625 JAS (EDITION 1) – ASSESSMENT OF EFFECT LEVELS OF CLASSICAL WARFARE AGENTS APPLIED TO THE SKIN TO BE USED IN THE DESIGN OF PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT - AEP-52**

Reference: PFP(NAAG)D(2003)24 dated 5 December 2003

1. The enclosed NATO Standardization Agreement, which has been ratified by nations as reflected in the **NATO Standardization Document Database (NSDD)**, is promulgated herewith.
2. The reference listed above is to be destroyed in accordance with local document destruction procedures.

ACTION BY NATIONAL STAFFS

3. National staffs are requested to examine **their ratification status of the STANAG** and, if they have not already done so, advise the Defence Investment Division through their national delegation as appropriate of their intention regarding its ratification and implementation.



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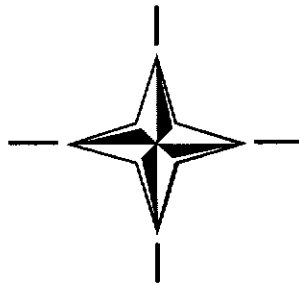
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**NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION  
(NATO)**



**NATO STANDARDIZATION AGENCY  
(NSA)**

**STANDARDIZATION AGREEMENT  
(STANAG)**

**SUBJECT: ASSESSMENT OF EFFECT LEVELS OF CLASSICAL WARFARE  
AGENTS APPLIED TO THE SKIN TO BE USED IN THE DESIGN OF  
PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT - AEP-52**

Promulgated on 8 August 2006

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Brigadier General, POL(A)  
Director, NSA

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RECORD OF AMENDMENTS

No.	Reference/date of Amendment	Date Entered	Signature

EXPLANATORY NOTES

AGREEMENT

1. This NATO Standardization Agreement (STANAG) is promulgated by the Director NATO Standardization Agency under the authority vested in him by the NATO Standardization Organisation Charter.
2. No departure may be made from the agreement without informing the tasking authority in the form of a reservation. Nations may propose changes at any time to the tasking authority where they will be processed in the same manner as the original agreement.
3. Ratifying nations have agreed that national orders, manuals and instructions implementing this STANAG will include a reference to the STANAG number for purposes of identification.

RATIFICATION, IMPLEMENTATION AND RESERVATIONS

4. Ratification, implementation and reservation details are available on request or through the NSA websites (internet <http://nsa.nato.int>; NATO Secure WAN <http://nsa.hq.nato.int>).

FEEDBACK

5. Any comments concerning this publication should be directed to NATO/NSA – Bvd Leopold III - 1110 Brussels - BE.

**NATO STANDARDIZATION AGREEMENT**  
**(STANAG)**

**ASSESSMENT OF EFFECT LEVELS OF CLASSICAL WARFARE AGENTS APPLIED TO THE SKIN TO BE USED IN THE DESIGN OF PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT - AEP-52**

Related Document: None

**AIM**

1. The aim of this agreement is to register national acceptance of AEP-52.

**AGREEMENT**

2. Participating nations agree to use AEP-52 as a manual for the assessment of effect levels of classical warfare agents applied to the skin to be used in the design of protective equipment.
3. Changes to AEP-52 will be incorporated into the publication and will be accepted as part of it provided they have been formally offered by the AC/225(JCBCBRN) to national authorities concerned and have been agreed by them.

**IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AGREEMENT**

4. This STANAG and AEP-52 are considered ready to be implemented when the AEP-52 has been received by the authorities and units concerned.