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**LOG OF MEETING  
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**SUBJECT:** Meeting with Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association on Infant Carriers and Baby Swings.

**DATE OF MEETING:** June 25, 1997

**PLACE:** CPSC headquarters, 4330 East West Towers, Bethesda, MD.

**LOG ENTRY SOURCE:** Mark Kumagai, ESME

**DATE OF ENTRY:** June 30, 1997

**COMMISSION ATTENDEES:** Mark Kumagai, ESME

Mark Kumagai	Directorate for Engineering Sciences
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George Sushinsky	Directorate for Laboratory Sciences
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**NON-COMMISSION ATTENDEES:**

Bob Waller	Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association
Rick Locker	Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association
Sam Cristy	Product Safety Letter
John Whalen	BNA

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**SUMMARY OF MEETING:**

The CPSC staff met with representatives for the Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association (JPMA) to discuss injury data and the development of a voluntary standard for baby swings and infant carriers. CPSC staff presented a hazard sketch and summaries of the in depth investigations. Both parties agreed that developing a voluntary standard to address these issues would be beneficial. JPMA agreed to communicate this recommendation to the manufacturers of baby swing and infant carriers, and to initiate the ASTM voluntary standards process.

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