



U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION  
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Record of Commission Action  
Commissioners Voting by Ballot\*

Commissioners Voting:   Acting Chairman Nancy A. Nord  
                                  Commissioner Thomas H. Moore

ITEM:

Accreditation Requirements for Third Party Conformity Assessment Bodies to Test the Requirements for Lead Content in Children's Metal Jewelry as Established by the Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 2008  
(Briefing Package dated December 5, 2008, OS No. 4577)

DECISION:

The Commission voted unanimously (2-0) to accept the staff's recommended approach and publish the *Federal Register (FR)* notice as drafted. The *FR* notice will explain and establish the accreditation requirements for third part conformity assessment bodies to test children's metal jewelry for conformity with the 600 parts per million ("ppm") and 300 ppm limits on lead content as required by § 101(a)(2) of the Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 2008, P.L. 110-314. The *FR* notice will also solicit comments from interested parties on the established approach for the laboratory accreditation process for testing for lead content in children's metal jewelry.

For the Commission:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T.A. Stevenson", written over a large, stylized checkmark or "V" shape.

Todd A. Stevenson  
Secretary

\* Ballot vote due December 12, 2008