



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:

Technical Amendment to the Flammability Standards for Carpets and Rugs; Final Rule
(Briefing package dated September 10, 2007)

DECISION:

The Commission voted unanimously (2-0) to direct the Office of the General Counsel to prepare a *Federal Register* notice containing a final rule revising the carpet and rug flammability standards for consideration by the Commission. The Commission administers two flammability standards for carpets and rugs: 16 C.F.R. Part 1630 – Standard for the Flammability of Carpets and Rugs; and 16 C.F.R. Part 1631 – Standard for the Surface Flammability of Small Carpets and Rugs. The rule would remove the reference to Eli Lilly Company Product No. 1588 and replace that reference with the technical parameters defining the timed burning tablet as the standard ignition source.

For the Commission:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Todd A. Stevenson".

Todd A. Stevenson
Secretary

* Ballot vote due September 18, 2007