



U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

LOG OF MEETING

SUBJECT: ASTM International Subcommittee F08.22-Camping Softgoods (Tents)

DATE OF MEETING: June 19, 2019

LOCATION: Outdoor Retailer Show
Hyatt Regency at Colorado Convention Center
Denver, Colorado

SOURCE OF LOG: Allyson Tenney, Division Director,
Laboratory Sciences (LSE)

CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Allyson Tenney

NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S): ASTM Subcommittee members and nonmembers

SUMMARY OF MEETING:

Members of the ASTM International Subcommittee F08.22 on Camping Softgoods met on June 19 at the Hyatt Regency at Colorado Convention Center in Denver, Colorado during the Outdoor Retailer Show.

The meeting was called to order. After approval of the agenda, the first item discussed was the new work item on camping tents and draft standard specification. A considerable portion of the discussion focused on the surface area and composition of the fabrics outlined in the testing exemptions section of the draft specification. The group agreed to review the historical nature of the exemption and to conduct a limited round of testing in support further discussion and justification of the provision.

The group also discussed the status of the Canadian General Standards Board's revisions of the tent requirements. Canada's final draft standard, *Flammability and Labeling Requirements for Tents*, is expected to be approved and forwarded to the Standards Council of Canada for ratification as a National Standard of Canada and published in August 2019.

The second portion of the meeting focused on other agenda and work items not related to tents.

The next meeting is being planned for August 2019 as an online meeting. A future meeting will take place during the November or January Outdoor Retailer Show.