

US Consumer Product Safety Commission Log of Meeting

Subject: CSA Front Mounted Burner Control Task Force

Date: June 4, 2020

Location: Teleconference

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CPSC Participants: Scott Ayers and Chen Su.

Non-CPSC Participants: Contact CSA for a list of attendees.

Summary of Meeting:

Contact CSA for more details on this meeting.

This meeting was a working task force meeting of the CSA Task Force that handles gas ranges and oven (Z21.1). The purpose of the meeting was to discuss issues related accidental activation of gas burners.

The participants discussed the factors related to the accidental activation of gas burners and agreed that the next step is to collect data of control knob push-in force, stroke distance, and rotating tongue from manufacturers. Representatives of manufacturers indicated that the collection of such data will be around September due to shutdown of labs. CPSC indicated that the request of consumer incident data is in the process of internal review.

The next task force teleconference will be scheduled near the end of summer.