

MEETING LOG

SUBJECT: Meeting of ASTM Infant Bath Tubs Warning Task Group

FY 24 OP PLAN ENTRY: Infant Bath Tubs

DATE OF MEETING: 3/21/2024

LOCATION OF MEETING: Virtual (Webex)

CPSC STAFF FILING MEETING LOG: Zachary Foster

FILING DATE: 4/3/2024

CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Zachary Foster

NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Contact ASTM for attendee list

Summary of Meeting:

This task group ("TG") was formed to explore potential revisions to the warning requirements in ASTM F2670 intended to address drowning hazards associated with infant bath tubs.

The meeting began with a summary of the previous meeting and resumed a discussion of potential pictograms for the warning label from the previous meeting. The TG examined two pictograms to potentially be used on the label. TG members noted that one of the pictograms appeared to show an infant bath tub placed into water. The TG recommended editing this pictogram (by removing the "water" lines) to further emphasize that when an infant bath tub is used in adult tub or sink, the adult tub/sink should not have water in it. For another pictogram, CPSC staff recommended that a red strikethrough symbol be used to grab the attention of the consumer. Several TG members agreed with CPSC staff's recommendation. The TG lead will edit the pictogram(s) based on feedback from the TG and prepare a pictogram for consideration by the subcommittee.

Next Steps:

The TG will prepare its recommendations for consideration by the subcommittee at the next subcommittee meeting. CPSC staff will continue to participate in the subcommittee and TG meetings when scheduled.