

CPSC Lapse Plan Overview	
Estimated time (to nearest half day) required to complete shutdown activities:	<i>½ day</i>
Total number of agency employees expected to be on board before implementation of the plan:	<i>561 FTEs</i>
Total number of agency employees expected to be furloughed under the plan (unduplicated count):	<i>473 FTEs</i>
Total number of employees to be retained under the plan for each of the following categories:	
Compensation is financed by a resource other than annual appropriations:	<i>19 FTEs</i>
Necessary to perform activities expressly authorized by law:	<i>4 FTEs</i>
Necessary to perform activities necessarily implied by law:	<i>0 FTEs</i>
Necessary to the discharge of the President's constitutional duties and powers:	<i>0 FTEs</i>
Necessary to protect life and property:	<i>65 FTEs</i>
Brief summary of significant agency activities that will continue during a lapse:	
<p>During a lapse in appropriations, the following excepted activities will continue: periodic review of the most severe incidents to determine an imminent threat to the safety of human life, urgent recalls in the event of an affirmative confirmation of an imminent threat to the safety of human life, import surveillance and product screening at ports to detect an imminent threat to the safety of human life, security of physical and IT assets, and other required operations to support exempt and excepted activities. Exempt employees will continue to work in the areas of import surveillance and product screening at ports as well as administering and awarding pool safety and carbon monoxide detector grants.</p>	
Brief summary of significant agency activities that will cease during a lapse:	
<p>During a lapse in appropriations, the following activities are among those that will not be performed unless they are performed by an employee who is not funded by general appropriations (absent an imminent threat to the safety of human life): timely analysis of incident data from hospitals and emergency rooms; product safety testing; field investigations; recalls (only recalls involving an imminent threat to the safety of human life will be conducted); ongoing and planned rulemaking activities including efforts to protect consumers from injuries and death associated with carbon monoxide poisoning, fire hazards, drowning prevention, infant products, and other hazards; payments to vendors and non-exempt employees; contracting; information and education efforts to consumers regarding safe sleep practices, drowning prevention, toy safety and other safety hazards; public Commission meetings; civil penalties; stakeholder education; small business and consumer ombudsman support; responding to Congressional requests; audit activities; responding to FOIA requests; international outreach and communications; hiring; travel; and product safety research.</p>	