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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION  
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**DATE:** June 6, 2018

## BALLOT VOTE SHEET

**TO:** The Commission  
Alberta E. Mills, Secretary

**THROUGH:** Patricia M. Hanz, General Counsel  
Patricia H. Adkins, Executive Director

**FROM:** Patricia M. Pollitzer, Assistant General Counsel  
Hyun S. Kim, Attorney, OGC

**SUBJECT:** Draft Final Rule: *Children's Products, Children's Toys, and Child Care Articles: Determinations Regarding Lead, ASTM F963 Elements, and Phthalates for Engineered Wood Products*

**BALLOT VOTE DUE:** Tuesday, June 12, 2018

Staff is forwarding to the Commission a memorandum recommending that the Commission issue a final rule determining that certain untreated and unfinished engineered wood products (EWPs), specifically, particleboard, hardwood plywood, and medium-density fiberboard, made from virgin wood or pre-consumer waste wood does not contain lead, the ASTM F963 elements, or specified phthalates, at concentrations that exceed the required limits under the CPSC's statutes for children's products, children's toys, and child care articles. Based on these determinations, the specified EWPs would not require third party testing for compliance with these requirements. The Office of the General Counsel is providing for the Commission's consideration the attached draft final rule for publication in the *Federal Register*.

Please indicate your vote on the following options:

- I. Approve publication of the attached final rule in the *Federal Register*, as drafted.

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II. Approve publication of the attached final rule in the *Federal Register*, with the changes specified below.

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III. Do not approve publication of the attached final rule in the *Federal Register*.

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IV. Take other action as specified below:

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Attachment: Draft *Federal Register* Notice; Final Rule: Children's Products, Children's Toys, and Child Care Articles: Determinations Regarding Lead, ASTM F963 Elements, and Phthalates for Engineered Wood Products