



MEETING LOG

SUBJECT: *National Electrical Code (NEC-NFPA70) Code Making Panel (CMP) 17 task group (TG) 1* teleconference to discuss preliminary actions on public inputs to the first draft for the 2026 edition of the NEC

DATE OF MEETING: 11/15/2023

LOCATION OF MEETING: Virtual

CPSC STAFF FILING MEETING LOG: Andrew Trotta, Division of Electrical Engineering and Fire Sciences (ESEF)

FILING DATE: 11/17/2023

CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Andrew Trotta, ESEF

NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Please contact National Fire Protection Association staff liaison Michael McCabe (MMcCabe@nfpa.org) for the list of attendees

Summary of Meeting:

This was the fifth meeting of CMP17 TG 1 to discuss public inputs (PIs) for the First Draft of the 2026 edition of the *NEC*. TG 1 is covering PIs under Article 422, Appliances. All the actions of the TG are preliminary, to be presented for discussion and action by the entire CMP17 in January 2024 at the First Draft meetings. At this 11/15 meeting, the TG picked up discussion on a panel statement to support a proposed first revision action to delete Article Subdivision 422.12, Central Heating Equipment. Also, the TG engaged in considerable discussion on PIs related to Section 422.5, GFCI Protection, starting with PIs addressing the addition of list items to correlate with Article Subdivision 210.8, Ground-Fault Circuit-Interrupter Protection for Personnel, First Level Subdivision (D). The majority opinion was not to expand the current list of protected appliances in 422.5 because of the growing concern of unwanted tripping related to appliances with high-frequency currents and with electric ranges. The TG expressed a desire to wait until the technical committees revised the product safety standards to resolve these issues. The TG also raised concerns about whether the redundancy between 422.5(A) and 210.8(D) should be addressed by the Technical Correlating Committee.



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Next Steps:

The next meeting is scheduled for 11/20/2023.

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