

U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20207

Record of Commission Action Commissioners Voting by Ballot Placed in the Record at Open Commission Meeting May 21, 1992

At the May 21, 1992, meeting of the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, the Commission was briefed by staff on a <u>Federal Register</u> document amending the Commission's rules interpreting Section 15 of the CPSA to reflect amendements to that section in the Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 1990. No decisions were made.

Chairman Jacqueline Jones-Smith convened today's meeting. Commissioners Carol G. Dawson and Mary Sheila Gall were present.

<u>Ballot Vote Decisions</u>. The following decisions made by ballot vote of the Commissioners were placed into the record.

1. <u>Letter of Denial - Petition CP 90-2 Concerning Spas</u> (Due 4/23/92)

The Commission voted unanimously (3-0) to approve a letter to Dr. Edward Press denying his petition requesting mandatory safety standards for spas. Voting to approve were Chairman Jones-Smith, Commissioner Dawson, and Commissioner Gall.

2. Carbon Monoxide Detector News Release (Due 4/27/92)

The Commission voted unanimously (3-0) to approve a news release concerning the new Underwriters Laboratories standard for carbon monoxide detectors. Voting to approve were Chairman Jones-Smith, Commissioner Dawson, and Commissioner Gall.

3. <u>Federal Register Notice on Long Range Planning Public Hearing</u> (Due 5/1/92)

The Commission voted unanimously (3-0) to approve a <u>Federal</u> Register concerning a public hearing scheduled for June 18, 1992 on the Commission's development of a long range plan. Voting to approve were Chairman Jones-Smith, Commissioner Dawson, and Commissioner Gall.

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4. <u>Federal Register Notice Announcing Proposed Cross-Species</u> <u>Scaling Methodology</u> (Due 5/7/92)

The Commission voted unanimously (3-0) to approve a <u>Federal Register</u> notice requesting public comment on a proposed uniform method for cross-species scaling in risk assessments performed by Federal agencies. The notice will be published by the Environmental Protection Agency and will indicate approval by CPSC, the Food and Drug Administration and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration. Voting to approve were Chairman Jones-Smith, Commissioner Dawson, and Commissioner Gall.

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