



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

Record of Commission Actions
Commissioners Voting by Ballot
Placed in the Record at Open Commission Meeting
September 21, 1994

At the September 21, 1994, meeting of the Consumer Product Safety Commission, the staff briefed the Commission in open session on a child-resistant packaging requirement under the Poison Prevention Packaging Act for the topical anesthetics lidocaine and dibucaine. By unanimous vote of the Commissioners, the Commission also waived advance notice and held a portion of the briefing in closed session in order to discuss proprietary information submitted by a firm. No decisions were made on the lidocaine/dibucaine matter in open or closed session.

Chairman Ann Brown convened today's meeting. Commissioner Mary Sheila Gall and Commissioner Jacqueline Jones-Smith were present.

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

1. Federal Register Notice Requesting Comment on Petition CP 94-1 for Development of a Safety Standard for Portable Electric Heaters (Due 9/8/94)

The Commission voted 2-1 to approve publication of the draft Federal Register notice requesting comment on new petition CP 94-1. Chairman Brown and Commissioner Gall voted to approve; Commissioner Jones-Smith voted not to publish the notice.

2. Semiannual Regulatory Flexibility and Unified Agendas (Due 9/16/94)

The Commission voted unanimously (3-0) to approve the Commission's current regulatory agenda for inclusion in the Unified Agenda of Federal Regulations, to be published in the Federal Register in October 1994.

For the Commission:

Sadye E. Dunn, Secretary