

**U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission
Log of Meeting**

SUBJECT: ASTM F15.22 Toy Safety Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: 6 June 2006

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LOCATION: Toy Industry Association Hdqts, NY, NY

CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Vincent J. Amodeo

NON-CPSC ATTENDEES:

Kathie Morgan	ASTM International
Joan L. Lilly	Binney & Smith
Richard Rosati	Bureau Veritas
Eric Tarnow	Carter's
Elaine H. Besson	EHB Consulting
Lindsay Harris	Evenflo, Inc.
Joel Taft	Fisher-Price
Kitty Pilarz	Fisher-Price
Bob Coughlin	Fisher-Price
Harry Ehrlich	Harry Ehrlich Associates
Arthur Kazianis	Hasbro Inc.
Jeff Lipko	Intertek
Nancy A Cowles	Kids In Danger
Aaron Locker	Locker, Greenberg & Brainin
Ramon Primicias	Mattel, Inc.
Frank Gibbs	Mattel, Inc.
Frank Olbrych	Newell Rubermaid
Dotty Drago	Product Safety Consulting
Gary Jones	Radica, U.S.A
Tim Edwards	Sassy, Inc.
Piyush Shah	SGS, U.S Testing Co.
Joan Muratore	Tech/ Baby & Child Products
John Kupsch	The Good Housekeeping Institute
Joan Lawrence	TIA, Inc.
Lorca Hjortsberg	TIA, Inc.
Rachel Murray Meyer	Toy Safety and Quality

SUMMARY OF MEETING:

Meeting opened by Chair Joan Lawrence.

Feb meeting minutes were approved.

Reports for work groups.

- **Frank Gibbs spoke for the Acoustics wg – The latest changes to the updates to the F963 toy standard address efforts to reconcile with the ISO EN71 toy standard.
The ISO standard is in final draft stage.**
- **Rick Rosati spoke for the Cords and Elastics wg – Incident data had been reviewed. A video on the use of the proposed test fixture for small loops was presented. Dottie Drago asked if we were looking at the wrong hazard pattern. There are 2 distinct injury types: wrap-arounds and hangings. Dottie volunteered to review the incident data and do a hazard analysis. Group was requested to look at requirements for cords intended to be hung around the neck.**
- **Ramon Primicias spoke for the Flammability wg – CPSC was sent a document requesting interpretation on various example toys. No response yet. Aaron Locker asked why flammability is being added to the toy standard since he saw no hazard pattern. Ramon stated this was to harmonize with what CEN is doing. What is CPSC position on the proposed test requirement?**
- **Miscellaneous wg –**
 - o **Folding Mechanisms – no comments on proposed revision**
 - o **Packaging film – harmonize with ISO.**
 - o **Use and Abuse – removed toys intended for over 96 months from reqt.**
 - o **Reordering of standard – entire standard will not be reorganized, but section 4 will be reordered.**
- **Yo-Yo balls wg – no comments of proposed test. Kitty Pilarz will create an ASTM standard requirement and test procedure based on the proposed test requirements.**
- **Hemispheric Shaped Objects wg – proposed vacuum test fixture not very practicle. Recommended not doing this test.**
- **Jaw Entrapment wg – 3-dim test blocks. Currently would Apply to handles and steering wheels on toys under 1.1 lb intended for up to 18 mo. Current scope of toys is too broad. Narrow to type of toys involved in incidents?**
- **New business – a magnet working group was formed to be headed by Arthur Kazianis.**

Meeting was adjourned.