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LOG OF MEETING

SUBJECT OF MEETING: Carbon Monoxide (CO) Poisoning and
CO Detectors

DATE OF MEETING: October 13, 1997

LOCATION OF MEETING: Capital Hilton
16th and K Streets, N.W.
Washington, DC

LOG ENTRY DATE: October 15, 1997

LOG ENTRY SOURCE: Elizabeth W. Leland, EC *EWL*

ATTENDEES:

CPSC
Elizabeth W. Leland, EC

Non-CPSC
Ana Validzic, National SAFE KIDS Campaign (session
coordinator)
Ann Zukevas, George Washington University, Washington, DC
Other attendees of the National SAFE KIDS Campaign
Coalition Coordinators Leadership Conference (about 20
persons)

SUMMARY OF MEETING:

Ms. Zukevas and Ms. Leland were the featured speakers for this break-out session of the Conference. Due to unanticipated time constraints, Ms. Leland was allotted 5 - 10 minutes for speaking about CO poisoning and CO detectors. Ms. Leland provided very brief information about the characteristics of CO, the reasons CO is dangerous, the mechanism by which CO enters the bloodstream, and the effects and symptoms of CO poisoning. Ms. Leland mentioned prevention and detection as ways to address the hazard of CO poisoning and referred attendees to CPSC publications about CO poisoning and CO detectors.

