

US Consumer Product Safety Commission Log of Meeting

Subject: ASTM F15.45 Candle Fire Safety Task Group

Date: October 30, 2018

Location: Teleconference

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CPSC Attendees: Scott Ayers

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Summary of Meeting:

Contact Bob Moss of SEA Ltd. (rmoss@sea.com) or Bob Nelson, subcommittee chair (bobn323@msn.com) for more details of this meeting.

This meeting was held at the request of Bruce Campbell of Wicks Unlimited to discuss possible future changes to the ASTM standard including:

- Testing both trimmed and un-trimmed candles,
- Requiring candles to cool to a certain temperature between testing, and
- Testing a sample size instead of an individual candle.

After a group discussion, Bruce Campbell decided to focus on trimmed wicks and do a series of tests on trimmed and un-trimmed wicked candles then reconvene the group to share results. The next meeting will be scheduled after the series of tests is completed.