

US Consumer Product Safety Commission Log of Meeting

Subject: Joint UL/ULC STP on Flammable Liquid Containers

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Location: Teleconference

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Summary of Meeting:

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This a meeting of UL STP 30, which is preparing a new draft UL 30 joint standard that incorporates requirements from the current UL 30, UL 1313, and ULC ORD-30 voluntary standards, which cover flammable liquid containers. The new draft UL 30 joint standard also includes a test method for flame mitigation devices.

The STP formed several task groups in the spring to develop different parts of the new draft UL 30 joint standard; the work from each task group was collated into a final draft which was sent out for preliminary review to the STP. This meeting was called to continue to review comments received from the preliminary review by STP members.

The STP continued reviewing comments to the draft document. The STP did not complete the initial comment review and will continue to review comments at the next meeting. The meeting chair intends to hold a discussion on the merits of the proposed FMD performance test compared to other FMD performance tests in other standards (e.g. ASTM F3326 and ASTM F3429standards) after the STP completes the initial comment review. CPSC staff decided to hold off from participating in FMD comment discussions until that meeting.

During this meeting several comments were reviewed, including minor comments on the proposed FMD performance test. The STP reached consensus on those minor comments. The STP also discussed a minor comment on the requirement to “be able to clean a flame arrestor”. The STP tabled further discussion on that topic until discussing label and marking requirements.

The next meeting will be scheduled via a doodle poll in the near future.