

SUBJECT: ASTM F15 Task Group for Commercial Umbrellas (CU)

DATE OF MEETING: August 25, 2020

LOCATION: Conference call

CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Andy Newens (ESMC)

NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Contact ASTM for attendance list.

SUMMARY OF MEETING:

Ben Favret (Host) presented an updated draft of the *Wind Safety and Durability of Market Umbrellas* proposed standard incorporating the group's previous comments, notably the change in scope from "Commercial Umbrellas" to "Market Umbrellas", meant to be a more comprehensive term that includes consumer umbrellas along with commercial umbrellas.

There was a brief discussion on whether or how to reference the "Chapter 31 – WIND TUNNEL PROCEDURE" excerpt from the standard *ASCE 7-10: Minimum Design Loads for Buildings and Other Structures*. The group host will review the ASCE procedure again after today's meeting to determine if there is a need to reference this procedure to supplement the proposed new standard.

The ASTM Task Group Organizer (Molly, present on the call) proposed that at the next scheduled meeting on September 8, 2020, the group can decide if it is ready to recommend the creation of a new ASTM Subcommittee to continue to develop the proposed new standard.