

MEETING LOG

MEETING TITLE/SUBJECT: CSA Gas Range Technical Subcommittee (TSC) Task Group Meeting

OP PLAN ENTRY: Gas ranges

DATE OF MEETING: March 7, 2024 **LOCATION OF MEETING:** Virtual

CPSC STAFF FILING MEETING LOG: Scott Ayers

Filing Date: March 8, 2024

CPSC STAFF ATTENDEE(S): Scott Ayers (ESEF), Maya Kim (LSM), and Chen Su (ESEF)

NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Contact CSA for a complete list of attendees.

Summary of Meeting:

Contact CSA for more details on this meeting.

The TSC established a joint task group (with the gas controllers TSC) to discuss gas range control knob requirements. There is a general concern that range knobs may be too easy to turn and activate a range, leading to an increased chance of fires.

CPSC staff proposed expanding the task group to include electric range stakeholders. CPSC staff pointed out that the issues apply to both types of ranges. Participants agreed and AHAM staff volunteered to put together a full day summit program. The summit would start with short presentations focusing on data, gas range controller issues, electric controller issues, and other issues of concern to develop consensus on the path forward. CPSC offered to participate in the summit.

Next Steps: AHAM will work with stakeholders to plan for a hybrid summit. AHAM will target a summit sometime in June 2024. The exact date and location will be determined at a later date.