



U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

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Record of Commission Action Commissioners Voting by Ballot*

Commissioners Voting: Acting Chairman Ann Marie Buerkle
 Commissioner Elliot F. Kaye
 Commissioner Robert S. Adler
 Commissioner Marietta S. Robinson
 Commissioner Joseph P. Mohorovic

ITEM:


Keurig Green Mountain, Inc. – Recommendation to accept \$5.8 million settlement for alleged violations of the Consumer Product Safety Act
(Briefing package dated February 6, 2017, OS No. 3110)

DECISION:

The Commission voted (4-1) to provisionally accept the Settlement Agreement and Order, which orders Keurig Green Mountain, Inc. ("Keurig" or the "Firm") to pay a civil penalty of \$5.8 million and to take other remedial actions. The provisional Settlement Agreement and Final Order will be announced in a *Federal Register* Notice. The Compliance Division staff of the Office of the General Counsel negotiated the proposed settlement agreement. The agreement resolves staff allegations that the Firm knowingly violated section 19(a)(4) of the Consumer Product Safety Act ("CPSA"), 15 U.S.C. § 2068(a)(4), by failing to timely report under section 15(b) of the CPSA that 6.6 million Keurig MINI Plus Brewing Systems contained a defect and posed an unreasonable risk of serious injury. Section 20(a)(1) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. § 2069(a)(1), permits the imposition of civil penalties for any person who knowingly violates prohibited acts.

Commissioner Kaye, Commissioner Adler, Commissioner Robinson and Commissioner Mohorovic voted to provisionally accept the Settlement Agreement and Order. Acting Chairman Buerkle voted to reject the Settlement Agreement and Order.

For the Commission:


Todd A. Stevenson
Secretary

* Ballot vote due February 15, 2017
(Commissioner Mohorovic extended the due date for the vote from February 10, 2017)