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SUBJECT: WCMA Technical Committee Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: August 19, 2009

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LOCATION: Washington, DC

CPSC ATTENDEES: Rana Balci-Sinha Human Factors
Renae Rauchschwalbe, Compliance
Suad Wanna-Nakamura, Health Sciences

NON-CPSC ATTENDEES:
Please contact WCMA for the list of attendees.

SUMMARY OF MEETING:

- 1) Roman shade task group provided status update regarding possible fixes such as cordless and breakaway. Discussed roman shade pull force test procedures. The formation of a loop includes cord as well as the shade material.
- 2) Roll-up blind task group provided status update. Testing needs to include both static and dynamic scenarios as well as component and system level testing. The current breakaway tassel test procedure described in the ANSI/WCMA A100.1 may work for roll-up blind breakaway devices.
- 3) CPSC outlined the critical entanglement factors based on the past incidents.
- 4) Discussed a potential recall to retrofit campaign for roman shades and roll-up blinds.