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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20207

Record of Commission Action
Commissioners Voting by Ballot *

Commissioners Voting: Chairman Ann Brown
Commissioner Mary Sheila Gall
Commissioner Thomas H. Moore

ITEM

Policy Statement on Reasonable and Representative Testing to Assure Compliance with the Standard for the Flammability of Clothing Textiles, 16 C.F.R. Part 1610

DECISION

The Commission voted unanimously (3-0) to approve a Federal Register notice providing guidance to manufacturers, importers, distributors, and retailers of fabric and garments of factors that the Commission considers in deciding whether to seek civil penalties for violations of the Standard for the Flammability of Clothing Textiles (General Wearing Apparel), 16 CFR Part 1610. The policy also gives guidance on the need for reasonable and representative testing to assure compliance with the standard.

For the Commission:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sadye E. Dunn".

Sadye E. Dunn
Secretary

* Ballot due July 31, 1998