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Washington, D.C. 20207

Subject: Anchor Ovenware, Casserole Dish, 9 in Diameter, 2 Quart

Dear CPSC.

Tonight my wife was cooking dinner when her casserole dish, described above, literally exploded, with the sound of a gunshot, on the stove top. Luckily, she was away from the stove when it exploded, or she could have been seriously injured by flying glass and hot water.

After putting several of the bottom pieces of the dish together, we discovered there was a small warning not to use this casserole dish on the stove top. My wife thought she was cooking with Vision Ware, a far more popular pyrex glass dish maker whose dishes can be used on the stove top. Anchor Ovenware makes dishes almost identical to Vision Ware, but theirs are not stove top compatible. She did not buy the Anchor Ovenware herself. It was a wedding gift, among with several Vision Ware dishes. I propose, to prevent future injuries that could result from this inconsistency between very similar dishes, that all glass ovenware should be capable of cooking on the stove top.

Sincerely,

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If you have any changes, additions, or comments you wish to make concerning your attached report, please make them in the space below.

I confirm that the information in the attached report (including any changes, additions, or comments I have made) is accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Matt J. Friedrich
Signature

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Date

I request that you do not release my name.

You may release my name to the manufacturer but I request that you not release it to the general public.

You may release my name to the manufacturer and to the public.

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