



**U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION**  
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**MINUTES OF COMMISSION MEETING**  
December 9, 2009

Chairman Inez M. Tenenbaum convened the December 9, 2009, 9:00 a.m., meeting of the U. S. Consumer Product Safety Commission in open session. Commissioners Thomas H. Moore, Robert S. Adler and Anne M. Northup were present. Commissioner Nancy A. Nord was not present. Chairman Tenenbaum made welcoming remarks and opened for discussion the decisional matter involving the Notice of Inquiry; Identifying Labels for Drywall.

Notice of Inquiry; Identifying Labels for Drywall ; Draft *Federal Register* Notice

Commissioner Moore made a motion seconded by Commissioner Adler to approve the draft Notice of Inquiry, concerning tracking labels on drywall, with changes. The changes add two additional questions on which the Commission is seeking comments and information: "7. If the Commission were to define 'drywall' for tracking labels, or other purposes, what should such a definition include? 8. With what specificity should drywall manufacturers identify the 'date of manufacture,' and why?" The Chairman welcomed discussion from the Commission. Commissioner Moore explained the need for the changes. After discussion the Commission voted 5-0 approve the draft Notice of Inquiry for Identifying Labels for Drywall. (Commissioner Nord voted by written ballot.)

Final Rule on Registration Cards

Patricia Pollitzer, General Attorney, Office of General Counsel, Celestine Kiss, Engineering Psychologist, Division of Human Factors, and Patricia Edwards, General Engineer, Division of Mechanical Engineering briefed the Commission on the Final Rule, Requirements for Consumer Registration of Durable Infant or Toddler Products. After their briefing the staff responded to questions from the Commission. No decisions were made during this part of the meeting.

There being no further business on the agenda, Chairman Tenenbaum adjourned the meeting at 9:30 a.m.

For the Commission:

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